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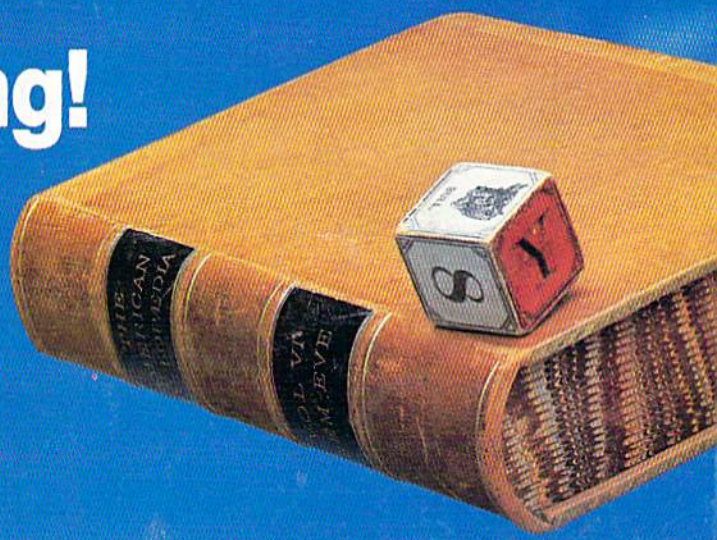
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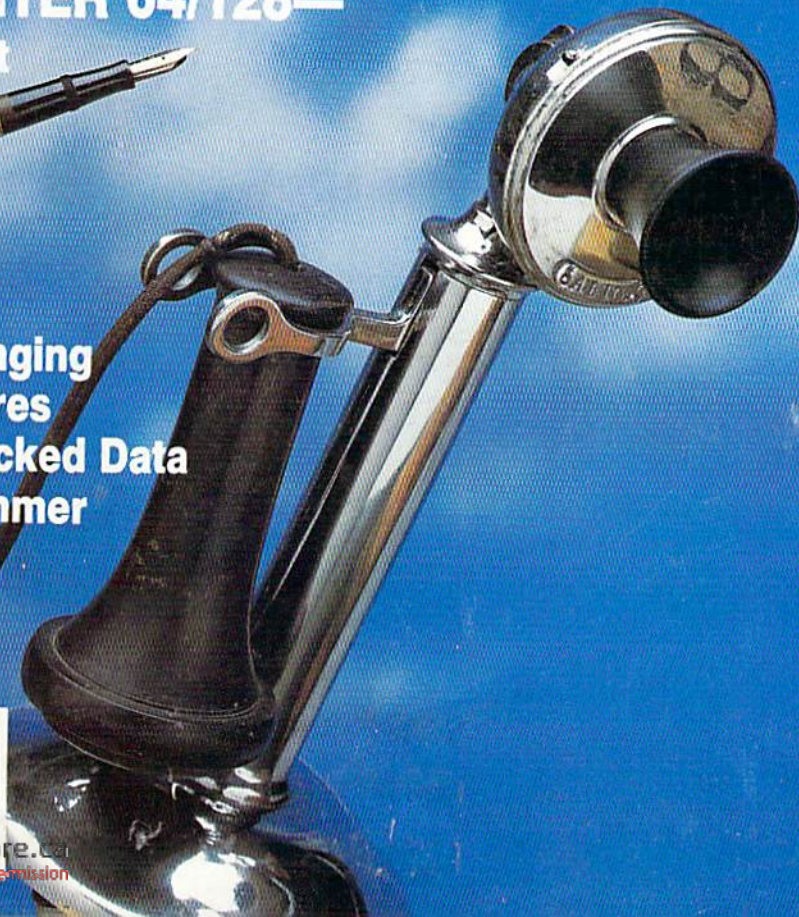
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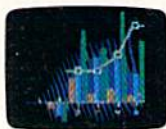
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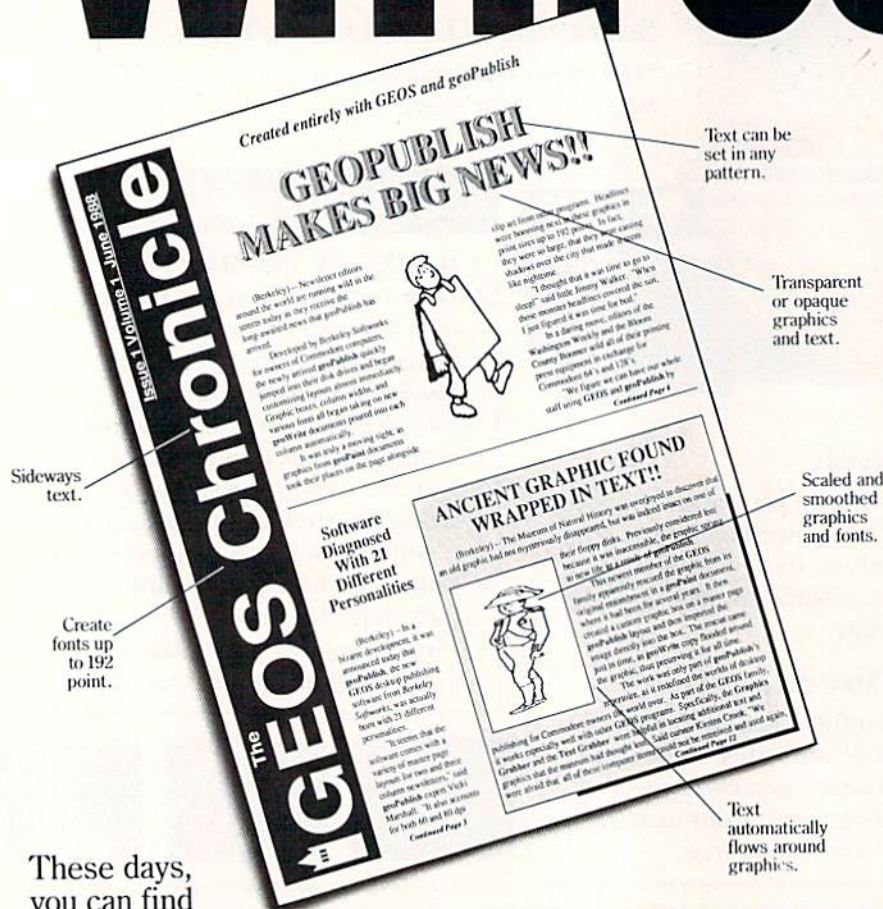
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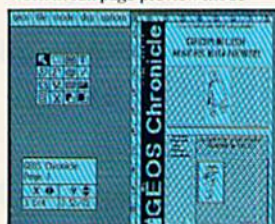
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 - Automatic smoothing option for pictures and text.
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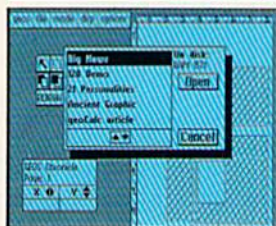
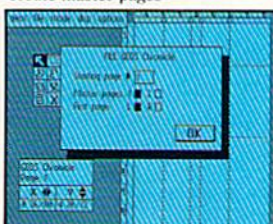
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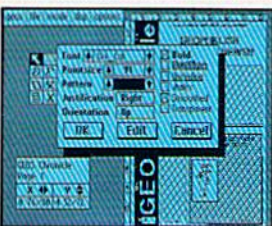
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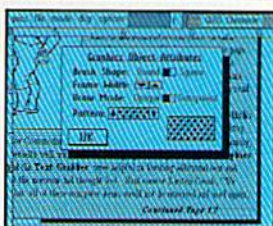
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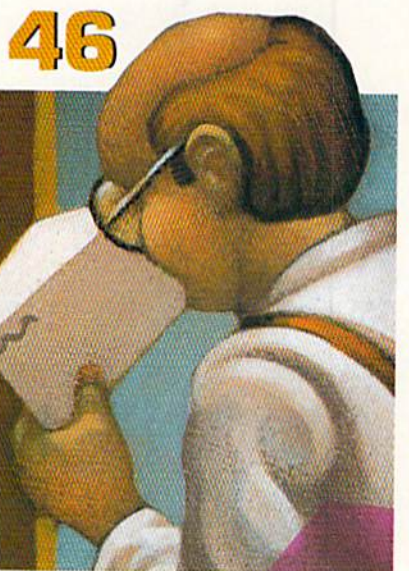
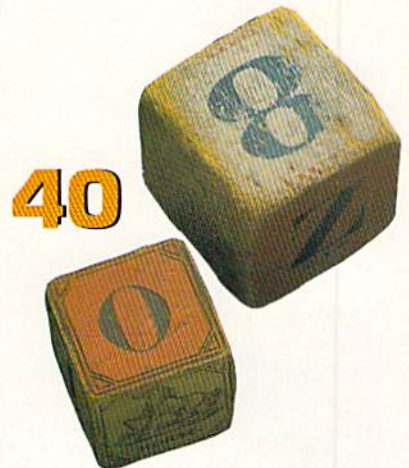
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RUNNING RUMINATIONS

Here's your opportunity to help us choose the top software products in the Commodore market.

GET OUT AND VOTE!

In this election year, we felt it only appropriate that *RUN* readers get a chance to vote too. So, in this issue, we present an opportunity for you to cast your ballot at the computing polls for the best software candidates in the marketplace.

What's your favorite Commodore game of all time? What's the most useful program you've ever used? What educational program is tops for your kids?

Given the vast library of Commodore software, these are tough questions. So we're asking *RUN* readers to indicate their personal favorites in *RUN*'s reader choice awards.

Here's your chance to choose the top software products in four major categories—entertainment, productivity, education and utility. Select those products that represent a high quality of performance and value in the Commodore market.

By virtue of their reviews, magazines usually have the *first* say about the performance of a product. But it is you, the reader, who ultimately makes or breaks a product—with your support or lack of support for it. This is your opportunity to tell us what products you think are tops.

You'll notice that the ballot on page 24 includes both 64 and 128 products together. So, for example, Vizawrite 128 competes against The Write Stuff for the 64. Regardless of which system you use, your choice for best word processor can be either a 64 or 128 program.

ABOUT THE BALLOT

Of necessity, selecting the nominees listed on the ballot was neither easy nor democratic. We cut through the caucuses and primaries and went straight to the convention with our choices.

Over the last year, literally thousands of computer programs have been released for the 64 and 128, and, obviously, no one can keep up with all of them. *RUN* editors sifted through hundreds of releases and reviews, and we relied heavily on our own familiarity with the products.

The selection process was partly personal—how do we, and our computer friends and associates, feel about this program—and partly scientific—what kind of reaction has this program received from reviewers and the consumer public?

RUN editors listed those products that we thought were significant in their category. We tried to keep the list as current as possible, restricting it to products released within the last year. However, we soon realized that this was impossible, since there are many "classics" that warrant consideration. For example, several new flight and naval simulations have surfaced during the recent year. We've included these, as well as the tried-and-true classics for this genre that computerists have used for years.

There were many products—considered outstanding at the time of their release—that have since become outdated and were thus not included. There may also be some products that have recently hit the market after this list was compiled.

We've anticipated that, in some cases, you won't agree with our choices.

If you don't see your favorite listed, write in the choice you feel would be most appropriate. These awards are an attempt to recognize those products that represent a high quality of performance and ease of use in the Commodore market.

RULES

The rules of the voting are simple. Go through the list of products and vote (by placing a check mark in the appropriate box in each category, or writing in your choice on the line provided) for those products that you feel are tops in their category. Fill out the ballot, including your name and address and whether you are a *RUN* subscriber, tear out the page from the magazine and send it in.

Vote for only one product per category. It doesn't necessarily have to be software you own or use every day. This is not a survey of reader ownership. You can vote for a product simply on the

basis of having seen it demonstrated on a friend's computer system or at a user group meeting.

Other rules to follow:
—write-in votes should be for only commercially available products.

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We hope that readers will take the time to participate in this voting process. Results of the contest and an analysis of the voting will be published in the December issue of *RUN*. Please don't call with queries before then.

As always, we welcome your suggestions for improving this process.

MICKEY MOUSE COMPUTING

Walt Disney World in Florida appears to be a popular attraction for home computerists.

According to a recent poll of visitors to the Epcot Center, nearly one-third have a home computer. Midwesterners, with 32%, boast the largest percentage of computer ownership, followed by southerners, northeasterners and westerners.

And what kinds of computers are these Mouseketeers using? According to the survey of 1,844 U.S. adults conducted Jan. 20–Feb. 2, 1988, 28 percent of those with home computers are using MS-DOS machines, while 21 percent of that group of users said that they were Commodore owners.

With the popularity of IBM PC or PC clone machines among Walt Disney World visitors, perhaps they should change the name of the operating system from MS-DOS to mouse-DOS.

—Dennis Brisson
Editor-in-Chief

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MAGIC

Magic readers improve some previously published programs and offer indented loops and numeric-expression input.

Compiled by TIM WALSH

\$4A0 C-64 CHARACTER MISCHIEF

Fancy screen effects are nothing new on the C-64; programmers have been performing them for years. Here's a new one that could be called bizarre, unique, odd, unusual... well, let's just say it defies description. Letter characters will perform this scrolling effect, and you can change the speed by entering POKE 49273, followed by a comma, and then any number from 1 to 255, with 1 being fastest.

Type it in, give it a try, and you're certain to agree that there is nothing like it. Since the routine can be repeatedly activated with SYS 49152, you can easily incorporate it into menus, text adventures and games. Think of the possibilities!

```
Ø REM MAGICAL CHARACTER SCROLL - JEFF MART
IN :REM*29
1Ø FOR I=49152 TO 49285:READD:POKE I,D:CK=
CK+D:NEXT :REM*162
2Ø IF CK<>18682 THEN PRINT"ERROR IN DATA..
." :END :REM*62
3Ø FORC=1TO24:FOR S= 65 TO 9Ø:PRINT CHR$(S
);:NEXT:NEXT :REM*234
4Ø PRINT:PRINT"{CTRL 2}{2 CRSR DNS}PRESS A
KEY FOR MAGICAL SCROLL{COMD 7}" :REM*237
5Ø GETA$: IF A$="" THEN 5Ø :REM*13 ▶
```

TRICK OF THE MONTH

\$4A1 AUTOMATICALLY INDENTING FOR-NEXT LOOPS

Structured programming always stresses the importance of indenting For-Next loops so that a programmer can find them quickly in a listing. Placing a colon before the statement(s) within a For-Next loop is the only way the C-64's interpreter will accept indentations. Here's an example of an indented loop:

```
10 FOR T=1 TO 10
20 : PRINT T
30 NEXT
```

While this method improves program clarity, it also quickly devours precious memory. To eliminate this problem, I wrote the 64 For-Next Indent program. After typing in and running this utility, program lines containing For-Next statements will automatically indent without losing any valuable memory when you list a program to the screen.

For a demonstration of how this program works, run Listing 1 and type in and list Listing 2 to the screen. Always bear in mind that in order for this program to work properly, your listings must adhere to one basic rule: The For and Next statements must be the only statements in a line. For added versatility, the program is designed so that pressing run-stop/restore won't deactivate the routine.

```
Ø REM FOR/NEXT LOOP INDENTER - SCOTT WEISGA
ARBER :REM*99
1Ø FORT= 828 TO 958 :REM*212
2Ø READ A :REM*28
3Ø POKE T,A :REM*231
4Ø X=X+A :REM*223
5Ø NEXT :REM*18Ø
```

```
6Ø IF X<>19344 THENPRINT"ERROR IN DATA...
":END :REM*211
7Ø POKE 1Ø2Ø,Ø:SYS936:SYS828:POKE 42731,1
37:POKE 42732,3 :REM*87
8Ø DATA 169,75,141,6,3,169,3,141,7,3,169,
Ø,133,251,96,8,133,252,132,253:REM*175
9Ø DATA 134,254,173,141,2,2Ø8,251,165,252
,2Ø1,129,2Ø8,9,238,252,3,238 :REM*25
1ØØ DATA 252,3,76,123,3,2Ø1,13Ø,2Ø8,17,16
9,2Ø,32,21Ø,255,32,21Ø,255 :REM*87
11Ø DATA 173,252,3,56,233,2,141,252,3,169
,54,133,1,166,254,164,253,4Ø :REM*159
12Ø DATA 165,252,76,26,167,32,2Ø5,189,8,1
33,252,134,253,132,254,169,32 :REM*84
13Ø DATA 172,252,3,24Ø,6,32,21Ø,255,136,2
Ø8,25Ø,4Ø,164,254,166,253,165 :REM*17
14Ø DATA 252,96,162,32,169,16Ø,16Ø,Ø,133,
252,132,251,177,251,145,251 :REM*114
15Ø DATA 2ØØ,2Ø8,249,23Ø,252,2Ø2,2Ø8,244,
96 :REM*62
```

```
Ø REM SAMPLE FOR/NEXT TEST - SCOTT WEISGA
RBER :REM*193
1Ø FOR T= 1 TO 5 :REM*119
2Ø FOR Y= 5 TO 1 STEP -1 :REM*47
3Ø PRINT Y,T :REM*62
4Ø PRINT T,Y :REM*82
5Ø NEXTY :REM*1Ø3
6Ø NEXT T :REM*1Ø3
```

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60 SYS 49152:GOTO 30 :REM*97
70 DATA 169,48,133,52,133,56,173,14,220,41
,254,141,14,220,165,1,41,251 :REM*177
80 DATA 133,1,169,0,133,252,133,254,169,200
8,133,255,169,48,133,253,160,0 :REM*70
90 DATA 177,254,145,252,230,254,208,2,230,
255,230,252,208,2,230,253,165 :REM*105
100 DATA 253,201,50,208,234,165,1,9,4,133,
1,173,14,220,9,1,141,14,220 :REM*207
110 DATA 173,24,208,41,240,24,105,12,141,2
4,208,169,48,133,253,162,0,160 :REM*58
120 DATA 216,177,252,72,136,177,252,200,14
5,252,136,192,8,208,245,104 :REM*91
130 DATA 145,252,232,238,60,3,208,3,238,61
,3,173,61,3,201,5,208,241,169 :REM*224
140 DATA 0,141,61,3,224,209,208,212,96
:REM*88
```

—JEFF MARTIN, ROSEVILLE, CA

\$4A2 UPDATE FOR 64 DOS SHELL

64 DOS Shell by John Ryan (November 1987) is a versatile disk utility and programming aid for the C-64 that matches the usefulness of Commodore's 1571 DOS Shell for the C-128. Yet, every program has room for improvement.

Place my 64 DOS Shell Boot on a disk containing 64 DOS Shell and run it. It will automatically load, protect and initialize 64 DOS Shell. All you have to do is press the restore key to activate the program.

```
0 REM 64 DOS SHELL BOOT - MARK WOLTER
:REM*169
10 PRINT CHR$(142):PRINT "BOOTING 64 DOS S
HELL..." :REM*102
20 SYS 57812 "ML DOS SHELL",8,1:POKE780,0:
SYS65493 :REM*17
30 POKE 51,44:POKE 52,135:POKE 55,44:POKE
56,135:CLR :REM*73
40 SYS 34500:REM INITIALIZE :REM*183
50 PRINT CHR$(147)"DOS SHELL INSTALLED"
:REM*196
60 PRINT"TO ACTIVATE, PRESS (CTRL 9)RESTOR
E{CTRL 0} KEY":NEW :REM*145
```

—MARK A. WOLTER, BRAUNSCHWEIG, WEST GERMANY

\$4A3 HIDE YOUR 64 LISTINGS AWAY

Newcomers to Commodore computing eventually encounter a lengthy program that reveals only a single line of code, such as 10 SYS 2068, when they attempt to list it to the screen.

Since such coding represents an excellent way to hide program listings from prying eyes, I've engineered an easy-to-use method of converting Basic programs to a similar format.

First, type in the listing below and save it to disk. Next, enter these commands in C-64 Direct mode:

```
POKE43,1:POKE44,8:POKE8192,0:POKE8193,0:NEW
```

Now load my program and run it. Don't worry if a syntax error appears. After the Ready prompt appears, enter these Pokes:

```
POKE43,1:POKE44,8
```

Now list the program to the screen, and run it again. Finally, list the program again and heed the message that appears at the beginning of the new listing. Now load in any Basic program, and add a line 0. Since the name of the game here is program security, line 0 might consist of:

```
0 POKE 808,239:POKE 792,193
```

which disables the C-64's run-stop/restore keys. Now enter the following two Pokes in Direct mode:

```
POKE 43,1:POKE 44,8
```

You're ready to save your program to disk. On all future loads, listing that file to the screen will produce a line number followed by a SYS command.

```
0 REM 64 HIDDEN BASIC LISTINGS - STEPHEN C
HEUNG :REM*135
10 FOR T= 2049 TO 2139:READ D:CK=CK+D:POKE
T,D:NEXT :REM*153
20 IF CK<> 5799 THEN PRINT"ERROR IN DATA S
TATEMENTS...":END :REM*33
30 DATA 11,8,196,7,158,50,48,54,49,0,0,0,1
69,30,133,43,76,113,168,78,65 :REM*177
40 DATA 82,68,73,78,65,32,211,0,60,8,0,0,1
28,58,143,69,77,66,69,82,32,84 :REM*43
50 DATA 79,32,77,65,75,69,32,65,32,76,73,7
8,69,32,48,0,90,8,10,0,151,32 :REM*68
60 DATA 51,44,49,32,175,32,167,32,148,32,8
9,79,85,82,32,80,82,79 :REM*90
70 DATA 71,82,65,77,0,0,0 :REM*196
```

—STEPHEN CHEUNG, DEER PARK, NY

\$4A4 SATELLITE TRACKERS: YOUR DATE HAS ARRIVED

Most segments of government and communications rely on the Greenwich time coupled with the Julian date calendar to reduce confusion caused by time zones. The Julian date consists of the last two digits of the year followed by the day of the year, with January 1, 1988 being 88001, January 2 being 88002, and so on.

A group of RUN readers in Florida who track satellites and read NASA-prediction bulletins requested that I modify Calendar Maker (see Easy Applications, January 1988) to automatically print the last three digits of the Julian date (001, 002, etc.) as the last memo of each day. Satellite trackers everywhere can add the following lines to their Calendar Maker listing. Happy tracking!

```
0 REM CALENDAR MAKER UPDATE (DAY OF YEAR)
LINES 445-658 - BOB KODADEK :REM*235
445 GOSUB 654 :REM*33
651 IF (YR/4)-INT(YR/4)=0 THEN ND(2)=29
:REM*74
652 RETURN :REM*25
653 : :REM*197
654 PRINT"PLEASE WAIT...":PRINT :REM*170
655 DZ=0:FOR I=0 TO 11:DZ=DZ+ND(I):DA(I)=D
Z:NEXT :REM*80
656 FOR I=1 TO ND(MO):XM$(I+J,5)=STR$(DA(M
O-1)+I) :REM*120
657 IF LEN(XM$(I+J,5))<10 THEN XM$(I+J,5)=
```

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```

XMS(I+J,5)+CHR$(32):GOTO 657 :REM*42
658 NEXT :REM*23
    
```

—BOB KODADEK, ASTON, PA

\$4A5 C-64 NUMERIC-EXPRESSION INPUT

Every C-64 programmer occasionally has had need for a numeric-expression Input routine in their programs. But just what, you might ask, is a numeric-expression Input routine? Simple: It is a routine that allows Input statements to accept and calculate equations such as $3*4+2,(8/2)$ and any other valid expression.

You don't have to be a programmer, though, to appreciate the benefits of a numeric-expression Input routine. Let's suppose you need to input the total cost of thirteen widgets at \$45.66 each, factor in seven percent sales tax, and you don't have a calculator handy. Entering the following equation into a numeric-expression Input routine would instantly calculate your answer:

1.07(13*45.66)

To use this routine in your own programs, include lines 60000 to 60030 and GOSUB 60000. The input value will be returned in the variable E.

```

Ø REM C-64 NUMERIC EXPRESSION INPUT - RICH
ARD PENN :REM*54
1Ø PRINTCHR$(147)"PLEASE ENTER AN EXPRESSI
ON";:GOSUB 6ØØØØ :REM*93
2Ø PRINT"THE VALUE YOU ENTERED IS";E
:REM*222
3Ø END :REM*158
6ØØØØ INPUT E$ :REM*48
6ØØ1Ø POKE 2,PEEK(646):POKE 646,PEEK(647):
PRINT"E=";E$;:GOTO6ØØ3Ø :REM*219
6ØØ2Ø POKE 631,145:POKE 632,145:POKE 633,1
45:POKE 634,13:POKE 198,4:END
:REM*151
6ØØ3Ø POKE 646,PEEK(2):PRINT"{CRSR UP}";:R
ETURN :REM*187
    
```

—RICHARD PENN, MONTREAL, QUEBEC, CANADA ■

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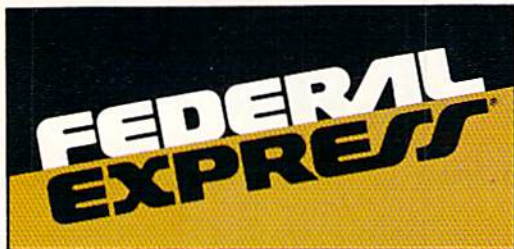
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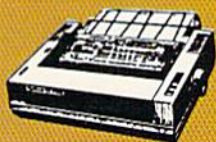
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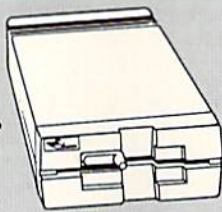
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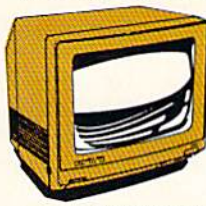


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A SHOW OF HANDS

LAGRANGE, IL—Free Spirit Software (905 West Hillgrove Rd., Suite 6, LaGrange, IL 60525) has released two educational programs.

Easy Sign aids in the learning of sign language for the deaf. A phrase or sentence typed in is displayed on the monitor in hand signs. The student may practice the alphabet, words or sentences. This C-64 tutorial is available for \$19.95.

The Number Show uses scenes and animation to introduce numbers to preschool and kindergarten children. The program's exercises drill in number skills and reinforce learning. You can see this C-128 show for \$19.95.

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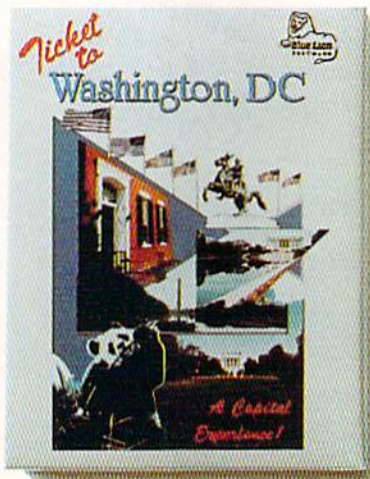
NEEDHAM, MA—Pro Tutor Accounting is a C-128 tutorial designed to help students, new employees and self-learners master basic accounting principles. It contains over 3000 questions in such areas as debits and credits, journalizing and balance sheets and simulates ledgers, T-accounts and other forms. It also keeps track of correct and incorrect answers, shows where mistakes were made and points out the student's strengths and weaknesses.

Two versions of Pro Tutor Accounting are available: the home and business version, for \$99, and the educational version, which includes teacher utilities for tabulating test scores, for \$249. Professional Software, Inc., 51 Fremont St., Needham, MA 02194.

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A CAPITAL EXPERIENCE

CAMBRIDGE, MA—Ticket to Washington, DC, a C-64 travelogue from Blue Lion Software (90 Sherman St., Cambridge, MA 02140), takes you to more than 45 different places in and around our nation's capital, from museums and Capitol Hill to Georgetown's cobble-



There are more than 14 mysteries for you to solve in Blue Lion Software's Ticket to Washington, DC.

stones and Mount Vernon. You can picnic on the Mall, take an excursion to Arlington national cemetery and visit the historic memorials.

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FORE THE PROS

MARATHON, NY—The Golf Package disk for the C-64 contains programs for every golfer, from the hacker to the serious statistician. Several of the programs keep records of scores and calculate handicaps for as many as 250 golfers. Included is the USGA system (U.S.), the RCGA system (Canada) and the SSS system (Great Britain, Ireland and Australia). The Callaway system and a nine-hole league handicapping system round out the programs for handicap calculation.

The individual golfer who wants to track his or her progress in several im-

portant areas of the game can select Golf Stats, which keeps records of putts, drives in fairway and sand saves, and then reports averages for the last 10, 30 and 100 rounds played. The package is available for \$19.95 from McConnell Software, PO Box 652, Marathon, NY 13803.

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INDOOR YOUTH SOCCER TOURNAMENT

CHICAGO—Mindscape, Inc., publisher of software for the Commodore computers, and the Chicago Sting co-sponsored the first-ever national indoor youth soccer tournament back in late February. Dubbed the Mindscape Cup, the contest was a double-elimination contest between youth all-stars chosen by each Major Indoor Soccer League team. Competitors traveled from as far away as Baltimore, Dallas and San Diego.

Eleven teams, each made up of twelve boys under the age of 14, played in the preliminary round. The championship round pitted the Chicago Sting against the Cleveland Force, with the Sting prevailing. The championship was played at the Sting's home field, the Rosemont Horizon.

Mindscape President and CEO Roger Buoy presented the Mindscape Cup to the Chicago team. At a brunch honoring all participants, Buoy spoke about the bright future for youth soccer in America and reaffirmed his company's commitment to continuing the Mindscape Cup. "Mindscape is dedicated to supporting and promoting youth sports, and I'm a firm believer that soccer is an exceptional way to bring young people together."

THREE FROM SCORPION

LAKE HOPATCONG, NJ—Scorpion (19 Harbor Drive, Lake Hopatcong, NJ 07849) has released three new C-64 products for \$29.95 each.

Alien Destruction Set, an arcade game, challenges players with four space

adventures requiring varying skills, such as quick puzzle-solving logic and fast space-combat reflexes.

Mandroid, also an arcade game, contains two adventures. You control Mandroid, half man and half machine, in his mission to infiltrate an enemy complex and save seven astronauts or as he tries to stop an evil scientist from creating an army of deadly soldiers.

Masterpiece, a graphics package, lets you move, copy, scale, rotate, twist and fold onscreen artwork. Other features include picture compression to save memory and loading Masterpiece pictures from Basic.

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LOGO PROBABILITY

MALDEN, MA—Logo Probability, part of a continuing series of educational products from Terrapin (376 Washington St., Malden, MA 02148), gives math students the opportunity to try their own ideas, examine results, make predictions and test hypotheses as they explore counting techniques, sample sizes, dependent and independent events, combinations and permutations, fairness, graphing and estimation, and using the Logo language.

The package, for the C-64, is designed to accompany several popular middle school and high school mathematics texts, including series published by Macmillan, Houghton Mifflin and Merrill. It includes student booklets, a teacher's guide and a disk. Logo Probability is written for use with Terrapin Logo and sells for \$23.95 with one student booklet, \$34.95 with eight booklets and \$59.95 with 25. Additional booklets are \$17.95 (set of eight) and \$49.95 (set of 25).

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STEALTH MISSION

CHAMPAIGN, IL—SubLogic (713 Edgebrook Drive, Champaign, IL 61820) has released Stealth Mission, a flight simulator with eight different missions and ten skill levels. The program includes automatic landing and refueling systems and

a real-time pause feature. You have a choice of three different jets to fly: the F-19 Stealth fighter, the experimental forward-swept-wing X-29 and the Navy F-14 Tomcat. The package is compatible with the company's scenery disks and provides complete VOR, ILS, ADF and DME avionics for cross-country navigation. Stealth Mission is available for the C-64 for \$49.95.

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PRINT A COLORING BOOK

PALATINE, IL—Coloring Book Page Maker, for the C-64, lets users of Broderbund Software's The Print Shop expand three-block, non-Commodore printer graphics files into full-screen-size Print Shop Screen Magic files. These files can then be printed with Print Shop's standard Screen Magic file-print utility to produce coloring book-like graphics for children to color in. Themes include holidays, sports and animals. Color this package inexpensive at \$7.95, from MicroAds, 145 East Norman Drive, Palatine, IL 60067.

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RESCUE YOUR SPIKE-HAIRED GIRLFRIEND

SAN JOSE, CA—Data East USA (470 Needles Drive, San Jose, CA 95112) has released Kid Niki for the C-64. Based on the coin-op version also developed by Data East, this one- or two-player ninja adventure game lets you become a radical fighter battling to save your spike-haired girlfriend. You must wield your sword to conquer dragons, evil monsters and ancient warriors at each of the seven levels, until finally rescuing the girl from the Stone Wizard. Your adventure will cost \$29.95.

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DARK CASTLE

CAMPBELL, CA—The C-64 version of Dark Castle, an arcade-action game, has been released by Three-Sixty (2105 S. Bascom Ave., Suite 290, Campbell, CA

95008). Set in medieval times, the game features a hero who must fight his way through 14 different rooms, warding off plague-infested rats, attacking bats and a fire-breathing dragon, among other dangers. Players control their hero with the keyboard or joystick, at one of three levels of difficulty. Enter the Castle for \$34.95.

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CALC GOES ONLINE

RINDGE, NH—Margaret Morabito, former associate editor at *RUN* and promoter of educational uses of Commodore computers, has announced that her Computer-Assisted Learning Center (CALC) newsletter is now available online through QuantumLink's Learning Center, in the Parent-Teacher Information Exchange section. Q-Link members who subscribe can download the monthly newsletter and hundreds of public domain and shareware education programs for the C-64, C-128, VIC-20, PET, Amiga and PC-10 computers. The cost is \$15 a year. For more information, contact CALC, PO Box 132, Rindge, NH 03461.

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CALLING ALL SOFTWARE PUBLISHERS

COLUMBUS, OH—The CompuServe online information service (PO Box 20212, Columbus, OH 43220) is calling all software publishers to join Softex, the company's online delivery system for retailing commercial programs for personal computers.

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- ▶ Vote for only one product per category. ▶ Only original ballots, not photocopies, will be recognized. ▶ Only one ballot per reader.
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- ▶ Send your ballot, before July 25, 1988, to: *RUN* Software Contest, 80 Elm St., Peterborough, NH 03458
- ▶ Results of the voting will be published in the December 1988 issue of *RUN*. Thank you for your participation.

ENTERTAINMENT

ARCADE ADVENTURES

- 5-1 Airborne Ranger (MicroProse)
- 2 Alternate Reality series (Datsoft)
- 3 Cauldron (Broderbund)
- 4 Defender of the Crown (Cinemaware)
- 5 Elite (Firebird)
- 6 Frankie Goes to Hollywood (Firebird)
- 7 Infiltrator series (Mindscape)
- 8 Moebius (Origin)
- 6-1 Pirates! (MicroProse)
- 2 Robot Rascals (Electronic Arts)
- 3 The Last Ninja (Activision)
- 4 The Movie Monster Game (Datsoft)
- 5 The Three Stooges (Cinemaware)
- 6 The Train (Accolade)
- 7 Other _____

ARCADE GAMES

- 7-1 Archon (Electronic Arts)
- 2 Beach Head (Access)
- 3 Boulder Dash series (Electronic Arts)
- 4 Dan Dare (Electronic Arts)
- 5 Delta Patrol (Electronic Arts)
- 6 Fairlight (Mindscape)
- 7 GeeBee Air Rally (Activision)
- 8 Into the Eagle's Nest (Mindscape)
- 9 Marble Madness (Electronic Arts)
- 0 Rad Warrior (Epyx)
- x Skyfox II (Electronic Arts)
- y Other _____

GRAPHICS ADVENTURES

- 8-1 Accolade's Comics
- 2 Guild of Thieves (Firebird)
- 3 Maniac Mansion (Activision)
- 4 The Pawn (Firebird)
- 5 Other _____

ROLE-PLAYING ADVENTURES

- 9-1 Alter Ego (Activision)
- 2 Bard's Tale series (Electronic Arts)
- 3 Beyond Zork (Infocom)
- 4 Mind Mirror (Electronic Arts)
- 5 Phantasia series (SSI)
- 6 Ultima series (Origin)
- 7 Wizard's Crown (SSI)
- 8 Other _____

SIMULATIONS

- 10-1 Apollo 18 (Accolade)
- 2 Chuck Yeager's Advanced Flight Trainer (Electronic Arts)
- 3 Echelon (Access)
- 4 Flight Simulator II (SubLogic)
- 5 Gunship (MicroProse)
- 6 Jet (SubLogic)
- 7 Project: Stealth Fighter (MicroProse)
- 11-1 Silent Service (MicroProse)
- 2 Stealth Mission (SubLogic)
- 3 Super Huey II (Cosmi)
- 4 Test Drive (Accolade)
- 5 Thunderchopper (ActionSoft)
- 6 Up Periscope! (ActionSoft)
- 7 Other _____

SPORTS GAMES

- 12-1 California Games (Epyx)
- 2 Championship Baseball (Activision)
- 3 Football (Software Simulations)
- 4 Hardball! (Accolade)
- 5 Indoor Sports (Mindscape)
- 6 LeaderBoard series (Access)
- 7 MicroLeague Baseball (MicroLeague Sports Assn.)
- 8 Pure-Stat Baseball (Software Simulations)
- 9 Superstar Ice Hockey (Mindscape)
- 0 4th & Inches (Accolade)
- x 10th Frame (Access)
- y Other _____

STRATEGY GAMES

- 13-1 Battlefront (Electronic Arts)
- 2 Gulf Strike (Avalon Hill)
- 3 President Elect (SSI)
- 4 Rebel Charge at Chickamauga (SSI)
- 5 Roadwar 2000 (SSI)
- 6 The Sentry (Firebird)
- 7 Tracker (Firebird)
- 8 Other _____

TEXT ADVENTURES

- 14-1 A Mind Forever Voyaging (Infocom)
- 2 Bureaucracy (Infocom)
- 3 Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy (Infocom)
- 4 Hollywood Hijinx (Infocom)
- 5 Leather Goddesses of Phobos (Infocom)
- 6 Nord and Bert Couldn't Make Head or Tail of It (Infocom)
- 7 Plundered Hearts (Infocom)
- 8 Seastalker (Infocom)
- 9 Wishbringer (Infocom)
- 0 Zork trilogy (Infocom)
- x Other _____

EDUCATION

- 15-1 Bank Street School Filer & Databases (Sunburst)
- 2 Carmen Sandiego series (Broderbund)
- 3 Cave of the Word Wizard (Timeworks)
- 4 Chem Lab (Simon & Schuster)
- 5 Ladders to Learning (McGraw-Hill)
- 6 MacBeth (Avalon Hill)
- 7 Speed Reader series (Davidson)
- 8 Stickybear series (Weekly Reader)
- 16-1 Success with Math series (CBS)
- 2 Talking Teacher (Firebird)
- 3 Teddy Bear, rels of Fun (DLM)
- 4 The Accelerated Reader (Readup)
- 5 The Perfect CollegeScore (Mindscape)
- 6 Typing Tutor IV (Simon & Schuster)
- 7 Whole Brain Spelling (SubLogic)
- 8 Other _____

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- TELECOMMUNICATIONS
- 17-1 Bobstern Pro (Progressive Peripherals)
- 2 Prototerm (Briwall)

- 3 Speedterm (Abacus)
- 4 Other _____

DATABASES

- 18-1 Data Manager (Timeworks)
- 2 Filer's Choice (Activision)
- 3 Fleet Filer (PSI)
- 4 geoFile (Berkeley Softworks)
- 5 Pocket Filer 2 (Digital Solutions)
- 6 Superbase (Progressive Peripherals)
- 7 Other _____

DESKTOP/TABLETOP PUBLISHING

- 19-1 Color Mail (Hallmark)
- 2 Create with Garfield (DLM)
- 3 geoPublish (Berkeley Softworks)
- 4 Hi-Tech Expressions series
- 5 Newsroom (Springboard)
- 6 Outrageous Pages (Electronic Arts)
- 7 PaperClip Publisher (Electronic Arts)
- 8 Personal Newsletter (Softsync)
- 9 PrintMaster (Unison World)
- 0 The Print Shop (Broderbund)
- x Other _____

GRAPHICS (DRAWING)

- 20-1 The Advanced OCP Art Studio (Firebird)
- 2 CAD 3-D (IHT)
- 3 CAD PAK 128 (Abacus)
- 4 Color Me (Mindscape)
- 5 Doodle! (City Software)
- 6 Flexidraw (Inkwell)
- 7 Home Designer 128 (Briwall)
- 8 KoalaPainter (Koala)
- 9 Other _____

INTEGRATED SOFTWARE

- 21-1 Fleet System (PSI)
- 2 GEOS (Berkeley Softworks)
- 3 Personal Choice series (Activision)
- 4 Pocket series (Digital Solutions)
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- 6 Other _____

SPREADSHEETS

- 22-1 geoCalc (Berkeley Softworks)
- 2 Multiplan (Epyx)
- 3 Planner's Choice (Activision)
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- 5 Swiftcalc (Timeworks)
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- 7 Other _____

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- 23-1 Fleet System IV (PSI)
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- 3 geoWrite Workshop 128 (Berkeley Softworks)
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- 5 Pocket Writer 2 (Digital Solutions)
- 6 Superscript 128 (Progressive Peripherals)
- 7 The Write Stuff (Busy Bee)
- 8 VizaWrite 128 (Progressive Peripherals)
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What's this I see on your Reader Service card? Quietly hidden away, question J asks how readers feel about replacing some C-64/C-128 coverage in *RUN* with Amiga coverage. A while back you started *AmigaWorld* instead of adding Amiga coverage to *RUN*, but it looks like you're preparing to do an about-face. Are *RUN* readers getting the *RUN*-around? My answer to question J is 6!

—JOHN KUHNE
NEWMARKET, ONTARIO, CANADA

Rest assured, John, that we have no plans to change our coverage. For the foreseeable future, the name RUN will remain synonymous with the Commodore eight-bit line. That notwithstanding, if our readers are upgrading to another system, we want to know about it.

—EDITORS

WATCHING GEOWATCH

I recently subscribed to *RUN* because of the geoWatch column, so I was disappointed to find it missing from the April issue. Will geoWatch be appearing consistently in the future?

—DAVID A. MCINERNEY
SILVER CREEK, NY

We skipped April to establish a new format for geoWatch. Since GEOS is so diverse, we felt we could make the column more valuable to readers by using a variety of authors specializing in different applications. Now you can look forward to an article by a different GEOS expert each month.

—EDITORS

BOUNDING OVER THE MAIN

I must disagree with Bob Guerra's relative rating of Up Periscope! and Silent Service in his February review of naval simulations. Both programs are excellent, but the various capabilities and realistic actions of the Silent Service escort vessels make that game by far the greater challenge to the electronic sub captain. The escorts strive, as real ones would, to drive an attacker away or deep long

enough for the convoy to escape, and, like real Japanese destroyers, those here set their depth charges too shallow. In Silent Service, it's also possible to sink a ship with surface gunfire and survive a collision with another ship.

Up Periscope!'s escorts sail calmly on while you pick off their convoy, one by one, and once they find a position in the convoy, there they remain, come torpedoes or high water. If you want to spend a truly frustrating half-hour, try sinking a ship with an Up Periscope! deck gun; it's like throwing spitballs at Hoover Dam. Also, only one torpedo will sink any Up Periscope! ship afloat. Just ask any WWII veteran how often that really happened!

The lack of full information on Silent Service's main screen, far from being unrealistic, contributes to the "fog of war" feeling present in any combat situation. I do agree that Up Periscope!'s graphics of the target ships are better, especially during ship sinkings, but for overall realism, Silent Service wins.

—GARY M. COLLINS
BONNER SPRINGS, KS

I'd like to mention a program not included in your review of naval simulations—Electronic Arts' new Strike Fleet. This real-life simulation of warfare in the modern Navy includes ten scenarios and a variety of naval vessels.

Strike Fleet wasn't available for review when Bob Guerra wrote his article. However, we will be reviewing it in the near future.

—EDITORS

KEEPING A BRANCH ALIVE

I read your "All in the Family Tree" article on genealogy programs last December and then Peggy Martin Perkins' letter about it in April's Mail RUN. Like her, I was surprised that Personal Ancestral File, a fine program from the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints (Mormons), wasn't mentioned. If, as you replied in April, the Church is discontinuing the CPM version of PAF, perhaps

they'd release it into the public domain. Could you publish their address, so I and other interested C-128 users could write and make that suggestion?

—ED DESOTO
REMBERT, SC

Sounds like a great idea! Our PAF contact was Lance Jacob, Ancestral File Operations Unit, 50 East North Temple St., Salt Lake City, UT 84150.

—EDITORS

ICs, DISKS AND AN APRIL FIRST

I've just seen the April issue of *RUN*, and the monochrome cover is a refreshing change from the day-glo that's so popular lately. As to the articles, I have three specific comments:

In Troubleshooting Tips, Eric Wendt mentions ICs bearing white splotches in some C-64s as often being bad. The splotches are drops of thermal compound that improve conductivity to heat-sink fingers that reach from the inside of the case to the ICs. If those ICs fail more often than others, part of the cause may be insufficient or improperly placed thermal compound or insufficient pressure from the fingers. Of course, these chips probably have a higher failure rate even when the heat-dissipation scheme is working properly, because of the amount of heat generated.

In Commodore Clinic, in the first question under Hardware, Lou Wallace states that single-sided disks shouldn't be used as double-sided, because the reverse side may be defective. I've never encountered a disk problem that could be attributed to surface failure on the back side of a single-sided disk, even at 96 tracks per inch. If there's validity to Mr. Wallace's statement, it may relate to reversing the direction of rotation of the disk, as when you flip a disk in a single-sided drive. This could disturb the disk liner and dislodge foreign material. Most of my experience has been with double-sided drives, where the direction of rotation doesn't change. ▶

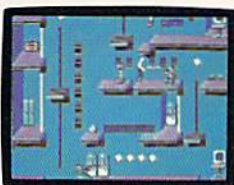


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With respect to Telecomputing Workshop, I called QuantumLink to inquire about their "no-smoking online policy." It turns out they've received so many cries of anguish, they've set up a Smokers' (tobacco only) area of the network. To access it, you log on normally, but add an S to your password. The Smokers' area contains especially profound

and thought-provoking files that aren't available elsewhere on Q-Link.

—DAVID McLANAHAN
MARLOW, NH

Although the files in the Smokers' section may be special, they're difficult to read because of the haze.

—EDITORS

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Up Periscope!

Our first advertising for Up Periscope! boasted of the program's vast superiority over other sub simulators, and detailed the many features that place it generations ahead of the pack.

Now that these facts have become common knowledge, we've asked the man behind the program to go into a bit more detail about how this simulation was created. As Captain John Patten, USN (Ret.) explains:

"I like to think of Up Periscope! as the Flight Simulator of submarine software. In fact, much of the program's 3D graphic routines come directly from Microsoft/SubLOGIC Flight Simulator.

"Whether or not you agree with my terms, you'll have to agree that Up Periscope! has the polish to provide years of unparalleled pleasure. Split-screen views give you the freedom to perform your duties without having to constantly change displays. SubLOGIC 3D graphics provide the realism missing from other submarine simulations. Unlike the U.S. Navy, this sub lets you go on liberty at a moment's notice by saving your mission-in-progress to disk. And I've even included a book about the strategies and tactics I taught in submarine school, with excerpts from actual WWII patrol reports.

"I've used my 24 years of Navy experience to give Up Periscope! the ultimate strategic realism. Experience the sophisticated action and strategy of Up Periscope! for yourself. You'll agree - this is the finest sub simulation available."



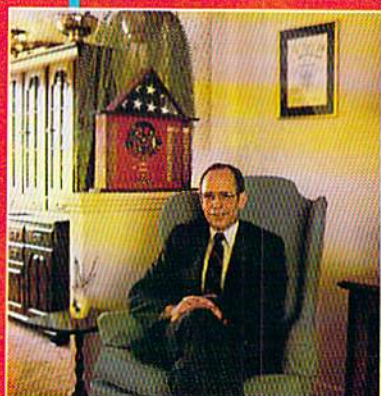
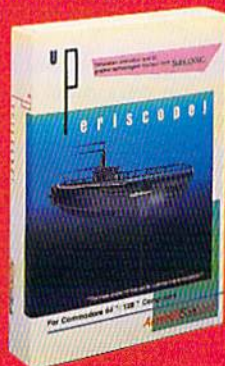
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INFILTRATOR II **A**

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Infiltrator II is an outstanding sequel to Infiltrator. It features all the elements of a good comic book, from a hero-versus-villain theme to action, excitement, mystery and humor.

This program should appeal to a wide variety of computer gamers. It is a role-playing graphics adventure, flight simulator, arcade and strategy game, all rolled into one.

In true comic book fashion, the computer gamer portrays all-American hero Captain Johnny "Jimbo Baby" McGibbits in his quest to destroy the evil villain, Mad Leader. Failing to do so could mean—what else!—the end of civilization as you know it.

Even though you're one of the world's greatest heroes, it's going to take everything you've got, and then some, to complete your quest. The Mad Leader won't knuckle under until you've completed three missions. Each mission requires you to fly a helicopter into enemy territory, complete a ground mission within the enemy compound, fly back to home base and land safely.

A successful landing in enemy territory gives you the opportunity to embark on one of the three ground missions. Each one involves exploring nine different screens and the many buildings that make up the enemy compound. You must also investigate the maze of rooms in the buildings.

You get five chances to finish a ground mission. If you can't complete a mission before you lose your five lives, you must start over again from home base.

You begin each ground mission equipped with supplies like sleeping gas, fake identification papers and a mine detector. You can add other items found in the enemy compound to your arsenal. In some cases, it's necessary to find specific elements in order to conclude a mission.

Throughout each mission, you'll run into many of the Mad Leader's loyal guards. They patrol both the compound and the rooms within its buildings, so you'll need quick reflexes and wits to make your way around. You may fool one guard with your fake papers but have to gas another to get him off your back. And, your reflexes are also tested as you first try to fight off other aircraft and then keep your own craft from pitching to one side or descending too quickly while landing behind enemy lines or at home base.

The flight simulation and ground mission phases of Infiltrator II are both marked by clear, detailed graphics, smooth animation and accurate response to input from joystick or keyboard. These characteristics make it a pleasure to play the game, despite the very difficult challenge it presents.

Infiltrator II is the type of game you can enjoy for many hours. But before you boot it up, take some time to read the manual. It's almost as enjoyable as the game itself, presenting a humorous, clever and thorough overview of Infiltrator II that will leave you chuckling and well-prepared to defeat the Mad Leader.

Once you start playing, don't get so wrapped up in the game's formidable challenge that you overlook Infiltrator

II's comic relief. For example, after you've failed a ground mission, you might be greeted by the message, "Get a real job!"

It would be a shame to give away too many jokes and punch lines, and it's fruitless to try to convey all of the game's outstanding features in a review of this size. A program as good as this one really must be played to be fully appreciated. (*Mindscape, Inc., 3444 Dundee Rd., Northbrook, IL 60062. C-64/\$34.95.*)

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coal into the boiler. You, in the role of Pierre LeFeu, are assisted by an injured comrade-in-arms named Le Duc. You're both members of the WWII French Resistance movement, whose mission is to capture a trainload of priceless art at midnight and deliver it to Allied forces in France before 8:00 AM.

Don't wait for the conductor to bellow "All abooaarrrd!" when the game starts. Instantly open fire with your fully automatic machine gun (joystick) and mow down the Nazis that appear in the railroad station's windows—you can bet they're going to be shooting at you. At the same time, Le Duc will be running across your line of fire to get into the station. Believe me, it's impossible to get used to accidentally gunning down your only companion with a shower of 50-caliber rounds. But don't worry—he must be wearing the world's best flak jacket, because he's apparently unaffected by your shots.

Once you've wasted a squad or two of Germans, the shooting stops and you must select a skill level. Next, you board the train, and the shoot-'em-up element of the game is put on hold while the simulation/strategy begins.

Your joystick now controls a four-position throttle, brake, forward/reverse lever and steam blow-off. Analog gauges for measuring speed, water temperature and steam pressure adorn the cab's control panel. Naturally, like any engineer worth his weight in axle grease, you also get to blow a whistle; unlike any engineer (where's the fireman?), you also get to shovel coal into the engine's boiler.

As you release the brake and begin chugging forward, everything—the control panel, the scenery out the side windows—begins to shake. Don't leave the throttle open too long, however, or you lose pressure and damage the boiler.

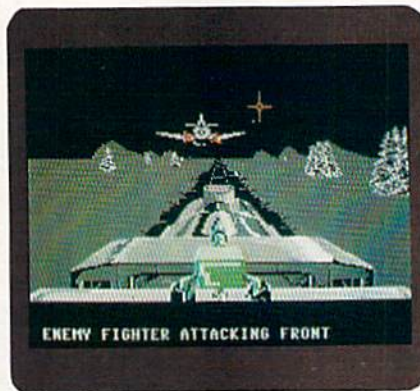
Suddenly, the entire mood changes, and life becomes a confused frenzy of mistakes in judgement. A message appears stating that an enemy airplane is attacking the front of the train. Quick! Read the manual! As the plane's motor roars louder, you see that the manual instructs you to "press 1" for a front view of the train.

So then you've got the view from the front, complete with a forward-mounted machine gun, but where in tarnation is the airplane? Quick! "Press 2" for a rear view! Ah-ha! There's that Nazi warplane, heading out of sight over the horizon. Oh no! A new message says that another plane is attacking! What to do? Quick! Press

1—there's that plane coming in low—just move the sights over to the left a little, line it up and ratta-tat-tat-tat-BOOOM!!

You'll also receive warnings of approaching railroad stations when you get within nine kilometers of them. For a maximum score, stop at every station and pump out some more rounds at the bad guys.

Inside these stations, you'll find German messages describing the condition of the tracks that lie ahead. Heed those messages, or you'll find yourself ditching the train because you, like the prov-



You'll need quick reflexes to find and fire at the enemy plane that attacks The Train.

erbial freight train to Georgia, ran out of track.

You can send for repair help or for members of the Resistance to clear the bridges and stations ahead. Speaking of bridges, you need to stop at every one of them, or else the game ends. At uncaptured bridges, you have to sink four ships—with the 155 mm cannon at your disposal—that are lobbing artillery shells at you.

When you repeat the above station-taking, airplane-shooting, ship-shelling, boiler-overheating/underheating and assorted train-wrecking for 20 to 40 minutes non-stop, you've got a fantastic game. However, it's not without some shortcomings. You soon become accustomed to the routine and know where to turn, when to shovel, and how to shoot.

While the graphics are vividly animated and finely detailed, a little more imagination could have done wonders. I'd love to see a stowaway Nazi attack the engineer in route, or maybe have a French damsel in distress tied across the tracks, waiting to be rescued. Variety could've been added to the engineer's duties by letting him perform mechan-

ical repairs (patch the boiler, fix the brakes, etc.) at the station.

Regardless, The Train represents a fine piece of software for your Commodore. Besides, tell me, how else can a train fanatic like myself enjoy a steam engine ride during my lunch break? (*Accolade*, 20813 Stevens Creek Blvd., Cupertino, CA 95014. C-64/\$29.95.)

—TIM WALSH
RUN STAFF

High Seas B+

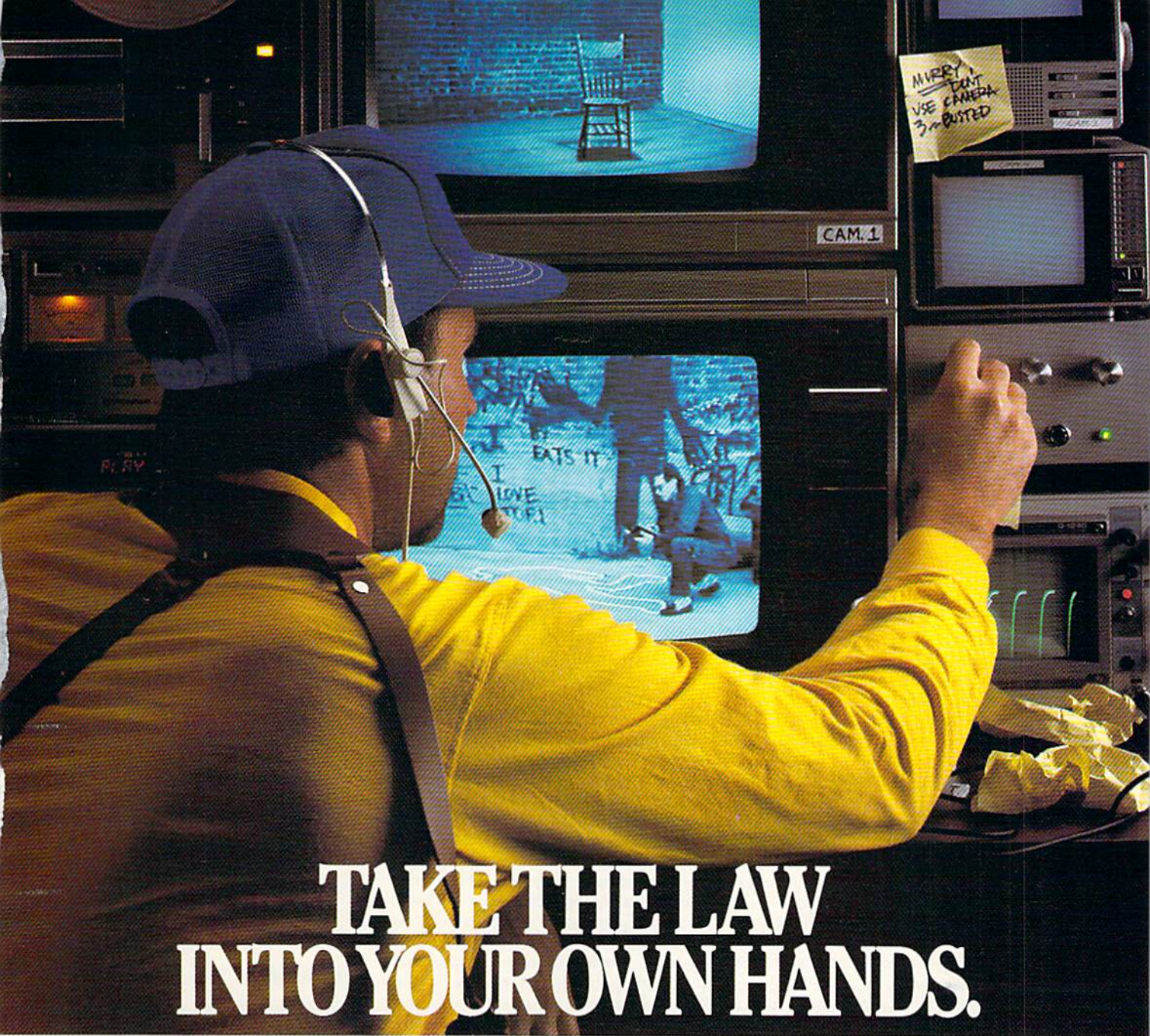
*All Hands on Deck,
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On Keyboard!*

There is a controlled confusion of men scrambling about the deck. Orders are shouted, cannons loaded, sailors rushing fore and aft. The sharp snapping of canvas and creaking strain of ropes and wood add to the tension. The enemy ships are closing in fast. Now it's a matter of who the better commander is. They have six ships to your four, 236 guns to your 124. The wind isn't with you, but it isn't really with the enemy, either. If your line holds together long enough, you just might have a chance. If not, your ships will be caught in a devastating attack to both port and starboard. Who will be the first to open fire? Should you shoot first and hope to cripple one of the enemy ships, or hold fire until the last moment when it will do the most damage?

These are the kinds of questions you'll have to answer when playing High Seas. As an 18th century commander, this action simulation puts you in charge of six kinds of warships. You can play against the computer or another opponent and control the game via either joystick or keyboard.

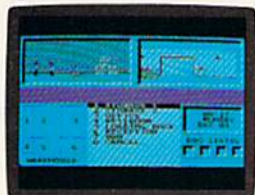
High Seas is not an arcade-style game—it should really be considered a strategy game more than anything else. Open fire too soon, and the enemy will be upon you before you can reload. Open fire too late or when the angle isn't quite right, and the enemy will cripple you before you have a chance to adjust.

The system used in High Seas is well chosen. Sea battles are like dog fights in slow motion: a great deal may be going on but it takes a long time for things to develop. You end up planning, giving orders and checking things before setting it all in motion. You sit back and watch until the com- ▶



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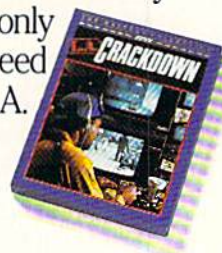
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puter stops the action to notify you of different events or when a reaction on your part is needed.

There are dozens of options in both the initial setup of High Seas and during game play. You can design your own scenarios or use one of the 11 that are supplied. You can decide the wind's speed, direction and frequency of change, pick how the sails are set, determine when to fire at which targets and how the guns are to be loaded.

There are status and damage reports and six types of shot you can load into the cannons. All these options, plus the usual save game, load game, and so forth, are selected by using a drop-down menu system.

Overall, High Seas is well designed. It's fairly easy to learn, and there are enough options to give the game some depth. In the two-ship scenarios, the action moves along at a good pace, but when you get into the more complicated seven, eight and even 15-ship scenarios, matters begin to slow to a crawl. It's possible to design a scenario consisting of up to 68 ships, but it would probably be impractical.

One flaw in the game design is that it's easy to lose track of the battle. If a ship takes rudder damage and sails off before repairs are made, it can be difficult getting back to the action, and the map views don't help much. But if you keep track of things carefully and don't try to command entire navies, then High Seas can be very challenging entertainment for a few hours.

It's a good game with good play techniques. The number of options adds realism and depth. And the computer plays a tough game, which makes it that much more enjoyable when you fire that final volley of shots and the enemy strikes his colors. (*Gardé*, 8 Bishop Lane, Madison, CT 06443. C-64/\$49.95.)

—GUY WRIGHT
AMIGAWORLD STAFF

KNIGHT ORC B-

You Poor, Oppressed

Little Orc!

You are a pungent little creature, little bigger than an overweight elf. You have the charisma of a blowfly and the appetite of a glutton. You have little or no magic and only rudimentary skills with a knife and a strangling cord. You are unusually ugly, even for an orc. Your name is Grindleguts.

This is not the way you've always pictured yourself, but it's what you're stuck

with in Knight Orc. You start the game by waking up to discover that you've been chosen as champion of all the orcs. To ensure that you don't decline the honor, you've been knocked out and tied to a horse, and are about to face a lance-wielding knight who is headed straight for you!

Fear not! You'll make it through the joust alive, although there may be times when you'll wish you hadn't.

Knight Orc is divided into three parts. In the first section, your main job is staying alive long enough to collect ten pieces of rope that will help you get across a chasm and back home. A couple of the puzzles here are clever, but it's mainly a basic text adventure.

Parts two and three tend to blend into each other, yet this is where the game really becomes a challenge.

Armed with nothing more than a cloak and a visor that makes the whole world take on a new look, you must find and learn 20 magic spells, recruit followers and eventually find an escape from this magic kingdom into the outside world. Along the way, you must keep from being killed by marauding humans, burned to a crisp by a dragon, fleeced by a mercenary troll and foiled by a dozen other pitfalls that threaten to shorten your life expectancy.

One very innovative feature of this game is the interaction with others. You must recruit several characters to help you with various problems. These characters lead completely separate lives, moving about independently as you "do your thing." You can tell a character to go to the castle, kill the magician, steal the gold and bring it to you at the bridge. You go about your business, and in a few moves, that character shows up with the treasure at the bridge! By telling various characters to wait one or two moves before performing an action—attacking, for example—you can have four or five companions simultaneously attack someone with you! That aspect, along with the wonderful graphics, makes the game quite remarkable.

Knight Orc does, however, contain a few minor problems, one of the most irritating of which is the restore feature. To protect their product, Firebird includes a password in the lengthy novel that comes with the game. This password must be typed in every time you use the restore option, which is extremely annoying when you're trying various solutions to a puzzle. I think it's quite unnecessary: one password per session is sufficient to prove that you have the manual. Adding insult to injury is the fact that every time you press

the restore key, the game asks "really restore?" This may not sound like a big deal, but after several hours of it, you find yourself answering aloud with phrases not generally understood by text adventure games!

Another nuisance is that several characters keep repeating the same action throughout the game. For instance, while learning a magic spell from a mouse, you're told that "the mouse is talking quickly; it seems to be trying to tell you something." After you interpret what the mouse is saying, you get the same description every time you're in the vicinity of the mouse—and you spend a lot of time with that little critter! It seems like a bit of sloppy programming in what is otherwise a quality product.

The one thing I really took exception to was a puzzle that seemed to me insolvable unless you happened to be familiar with *The Lord of the Rings*. I found no other clue in the game as to how to solve the problem, and I don't think it should be assumed that everyone who plays this game will be familiar with a particular piece of fantasy.

Other than those problems, the game is highly enjoyable and provides a real feeling of accomplishment when you make your way to the end. It's a worthwhile addition to any adventurer's library. (*Firebird*; distributed by Activision, 2350 Bayshore Parkway, Mountain View, CA 94043. C-64/\$39.95.)

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If I had a byte of memory for each time I've heard someone bemoan the death of arcade/action games, I'd have enough storage to make an Amiga 2000 look like a calculator. While it's certainly true that simulations and strategy games have taken up a fair slab of the entertainment purchases in the last 12 months, arcade/action games—just as classy and wrist-aching as their prehistoric counterparts—are once again beginning to appear on the shelves.

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sound, playability and the inherent ability to bring you back for more action time and time again. Magnetron might not attain the star status of those mentioned above, but it certainly deserves the honored "arm's reach" position at the computer.

Magnetron is a space shoot-'em-up that stands out for several interesting reasons, the least of which is the game's splendid graphics and fluid play. At the heart of what makes this program shine is its brilliant simulation of gravity and magnetic forces at work. You see, Magnetron takes place far into the future, where you, the last starship, must save Earth from 50 alien fortresses. Sounds familiar, you say? While zipping about in zero-gravity is tough enough for the aspiring space cadet, you must also contend with the unpredictable effects of the tremendous magnetic fields generated by these fortresses.

These fortresses are really armed satellites. To destroy them, you must pilot a small fighter into the heart of the stronghold and knock out the enemy

defenses. But take heed, the magnetic forces within the space citadels make this task a very difficult chore. While one moment you're drifting one way, a sudden shift of gravity can launch you in the opposite direction, and probably into a wall or some other foreign object likely to cause death.

Remember some of the earlier space games, where you tried to navigate down a narrow alley without destroying yourself in the process? Imagine trying to do so with huge magnets attempting to pull your ship asunder at every turn!

Each fortress represents a level of play. As you jet about, blasting and dodging, unpredictability knocks at every corner. Even the walls of the fortress can have you guessing, for even though a fighter can bounce off or pass directly through some walls, a sudden impact on others instantly generates an aluminum dustcloud from your little photon fighter.

Learning how to move about in this superb three-dimensional environment can be tedious at first. Each fortress is

viewed from an overhead perspective, and your photon fighter can be controlled from either joystick or keyboard input. It's extremely tough to control the fighter until you become very familiar with the joystick operation; this might take several smash-and-trash outings!

The difficulty in navigating about the fortresses might prove frustrating to some players. Younger gamers could even have trouble getting in and out of the first fortress alive. Don't give up; Magnetron includes a fortress editor. With just a little effort, you can easily create devastating death traps or weak, toddler-level space camps that can be saved to a separate disk and used in lieu of the standard game fortresses.

Overall, I was pleased with Magnetron. With its colorful graphics, smooth play, high-score menu and multiple skill levels, I felt as though I had stumbled upon an old friend. (Broderbund Software, Inc., 17 Paul Drive, San Rafael, CA 94903. C-64/\$24.95.)

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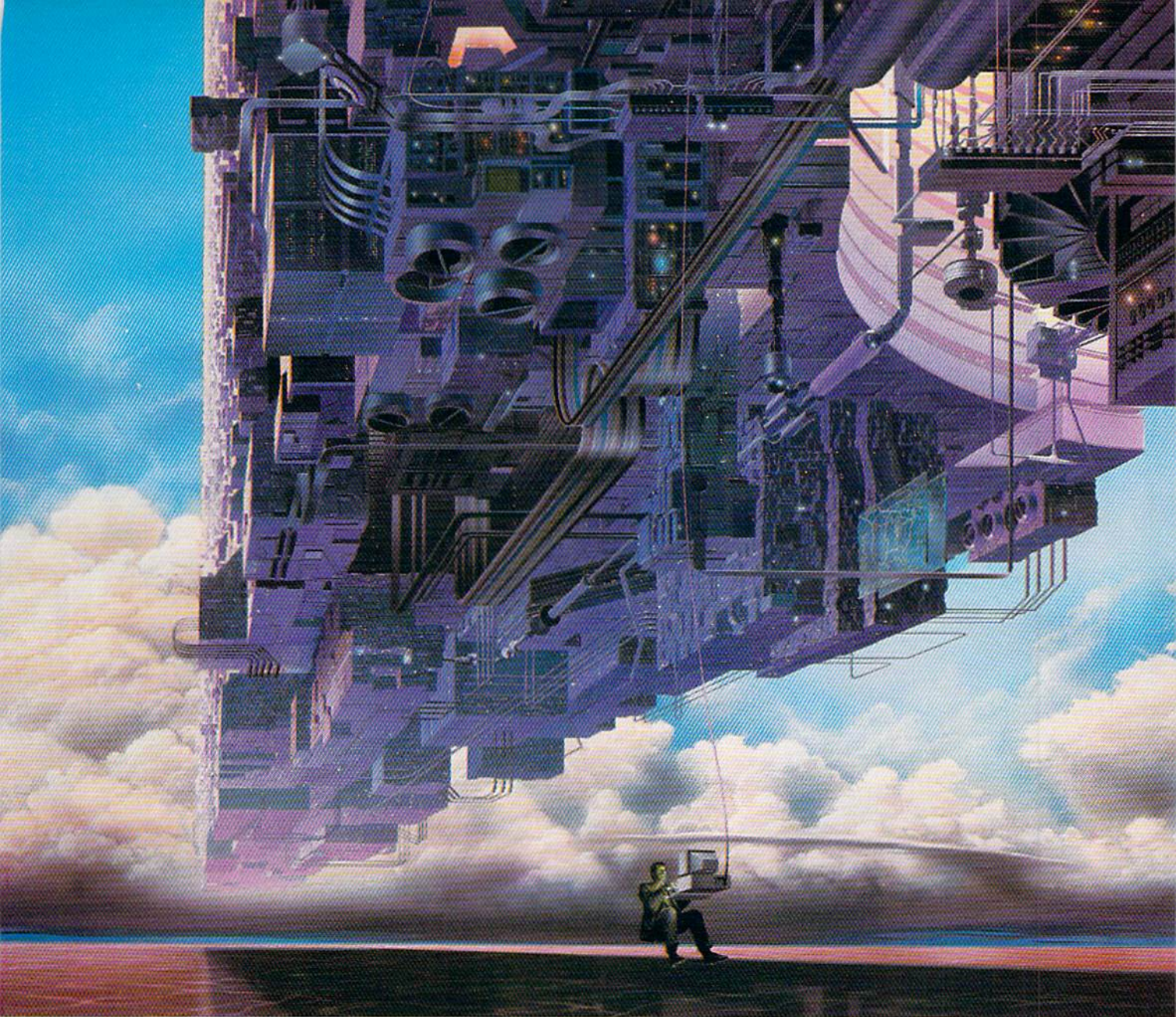
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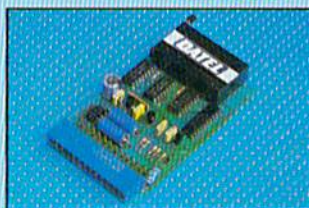


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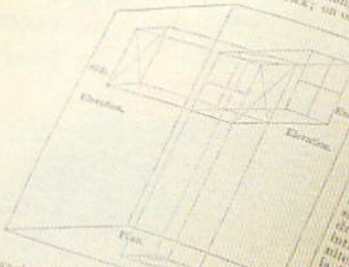


FIG. 1.

rectangle 8 by 2 1/2 in., the side elevation; on the other side a rectangle 4 by 2 1/2 in., the end elevation. If the brick be inclined to either or all of the sides of the box, the projected outlines will be varied; but the same rule for determining the position of points obtaining, viz: by letting fall perpendiculars on the planes to which they are referred, is the orthographic projection of any object, in the direction of the rays of the sun, if held between it and the eye. Simple objects in outline, but seen, to illustrate the construction of interior sections are necessary, that is, the objects cut by planes; all portions which would be thus absolutely cut are designated by filling up the outline with a quantity of inclined parallel straight lines, at equal intervals from each other, should there be distinct parts in contact with each other, to prevent confusion in the different sections are expressed by lines inclined in opposite directions. In most architectural and mechanical constructions it would be obviously impossible that they could be drawn full size, that is, as usually made use of, in which fractional constructions are included. The scale in most common use in architectural drawings is that of one fourth of an inch to the foot, or 1/4" of the linear dimensions; in mechanical drawings, one fourth or one eighth full size, that is, as usually made use of. Working drawings of machines, bodies are made by means of projections from these rules to an intermediate scale, and then by means of these rules to the perspective projection of the object. The rules for the projection of

FIG. 2.



T H E L A T E S T W O R D

Several new contenders have stepped into the word-processing fray. Which one will win your allegiance?

WORD PROCESSORS HAVE BATTLED for years to be king of the market mountain, and the sparring continues unabated in 1988. In this article, I survey five word processors for Commodore computers that have been released in recent months. As usual, each offers a variety of features, and they sell at a range of prices.

In Table 1, you'll find a summary of the features of these programs. Refer to Table 2 for a list of distributors and prices.

PAPERCLIP III

PaperClip III must be ranked as one of the finest word processors currently available for the C-64 or C-128. It supports most of the latest hardware for the 128, includes most of the features you'd expect to find in the best word processors and offers a few new ones as well.

First, a standing ovation for Electronic Arts, the new parent company for PaperClip's developer, Batteries Included, for removing all copy protection from the new version. Not only does this eliminate head banging on a 1541 disk drive and enable you to make backup copies, it also makes the program easily transferred to a 3½-inch disk for use with a 1581 drive.

I hope other companies will follow the lead set by EA. I also hope that users won't abuse the trust implied by this action. If PaperClip III begins to show up on bulletin board systems, it won't be long before industrial-strength copy protection will be back.

When you purchase PaperClip III, you'll find two disks in the box, one for the C-64 and one

for the C-128. Each disk contains the word processor on one side and a dictionary on the other. The versions are similar, the major differences being that the C-128 program offers an 80-column video display and supports the Commodore RAM expansion unit. (Note: The instructions aren't clear as to whether it supports only the 1750 RAM expander or both the 1750 and 1700.)

Electronic Arts has made the best use I've seen yet of the RAM expander in conjunction with a spelling checker. After the first check of a document, the contents of the dictionary are stored in memory. Then you just toggle the dictionary for further checks. You can even have the program prohibit more typing until the misspelled word is corrected.

The spelling checker includes a feature referred to in the instructions as an auto-expander, which allows two or more letters to act as triggers for longer phrases—VTY for "very truly yours," for example. These extenders are stored in a file and placed in memory whenever the program is loaded.

Unique to PaperClip III is its built-in telecommunications program, also loaded into memory so you can toggle between it and the word processor. You can write text with the word processor, format it and then transmit it to another computer or a BBS via this telecommunications option. The terminal program is also capable of uploading and downloading files via the X-Modem, X-Modem CRC and Punter protocols, and it includes a phone book that can store the phone numbers and terminal configurations for up to ten bulletin boards. ▶

By MICHAEL CAVANAUGH

The strength of FontMaster 128 lies in the way it handles graphics, not text.



PaperClip III has a few minuses. Column movement is somewhat limited, being designed more for manipulating tables and numbers than text, but this isn't a big problem unless you intend to work in a two-column, newspaper format. Then, the dictionary is rather small—40,000 words—for a professional word processor, but it's capable of virtually unlimited expansion. The most glaring problem is the lack of a thesaurus, a feature that has become almost standard in top-end programs.

While there's a very good mail-merge feature built into PaperClip III, this program is not part of an integrated productivity system. Electronic Arts does offer a database, The Consultant, but there's no mention of it in the PaperClip III instructions, so I assume they're not compatible.

PaperClip III is a post-formatted word processor, with the format commands embedded in the text. As a result, you must go to the video output feature to see how the text will look on paper. The video output shows italics, underlining, and super- and subscripts on the screen, and all the text enhancements, including boldface and combinations such as bold italics, are highlighted in user-defined colors. Line spacing is also displayed, something most of the what-you-see-is-what-you-get word processors don't offer.

FONTMASTER 128

Xetec's FontMaster 128, a surprisingly easy-to-use program, is part word processor and part desktop publisher. It lets you develop two set-up modules, each with a separate printer/interface configuration, and then switch between them from within the main program. It also supports over 100 printers and 20 interfaces, and, in case your hardware isn't among these, lets you customize the printer modules. There's even a test program you can run from within a setup file to make sure your printer/interface selection is working properly.

FontMaster 128's major commands are displayed in menus in the upper portion of the screen. While you'll need the manual to get started, I think you'll find after a few sessions that the on-screen menus are enough to get you through most writing chores.

Like PaperClip III, FontMaster 128 is not copy-protected. It does, however, require the use of a dongle to save or print a file. The dongle is unobtrusive, attaching to the cassette port on the back of the computer, and the power cord for a printer interface is piggy-backed to it.

Since there's no copy protection, FontMaster 128 can be transferred to a 3 1/4-inch disk with a simple file copier. When you are using the 1581 drive, the load time for this program drops from 33 to 20 seconds.

A new 100,000-word dictionary called SpellMaster 128, which works with FontMaster 128 and can be loaded into a 1700 or 1750 RAM expander, is available by mail from Xetec. The dictionary includes alternative spellings, and you can look up words using * and ? as wild cards. SpellMaster 128 must be used with a compatible version of FontMaster 128, so Xetec sends the correct version of the word processor with the

dictionary. No, you're not entitled to get another dongle!

The two biggest weaknesses of FontMaster 128 are its inability to chain files, thus limiting you to a maximum file size of about 64K, and the lack of on-screen formatting. There is a Video Preview mode that shows characters in their graphic form, but it displays only 53 columns across until you scroll it horizontally to reveal more columns. It's also impossible to scroll backward.

Like PaperClip III, FontMaster 128 includes a mail-merge feature, but is not compatible with a database or spreadsheet. It also has no thesaurus.

The strength of FontMaster 128 lies in the way it handles graphics, not text. It comes with over 45 easy-to-load and easy-to-use fonts, including Hebrew, Russian, Greek and Arabic. In addition, hi-res graphics, including those created with Print Shop, can be imported, edited and inserted into the text. You can also direct your printer to print in Dot Matrix mode, so you aren't forced to sit through the slow Bit-Mapped Graphics mode if no special characters are required.

FontMaster 128 isn't the word processor to use for writing the Great American Novel. However, if your normal documents are of small to medium size (less than 30 pages) and you enjoy using a variety of fonts and characters, this program is for you. More than useful, it's fun, and any time you combine those two elements, you have a real bargain!

WORDPRO

Spinnaker's WordPro with Turbo Load and Save, a word processor for the C-64, was a big disappointment to me. While the program has no glaring faults, neither has it any innovations. It appears, with the exception of a very large dictionary, to be a throwback to the word processors on the market about two years ago.

Like the other programs mentioned here, WordPro has no copy protection. It does, however, require the use of the Turbo Load and Save cartridge for loading the program. Unlike the FontMaster dongle, I found this little device very obtrusive, because it prohibits use of two of the more popular options for the C-64: Partner 64 and the 1764 RAM expander. Of course, cartridges can be switched, but I've always worried about excessive wear to the cartridge port.

The program is also needlessly quirky and difficult. For example, to change the default printer file, you must rename files in the directory, and to change screen colors or drive numbers, it's necessary to load and edit the Install program, and the manual warns that both procedures are not for the inexperienced. Instead of trying to frighten users, why not just recommend that they copy the program and edit the copy? More to the point, why should specifying a printer and new screen colors be so complicated and dangerous?

WordPro does load quickly with the Turbo Load and Save cartridge in place—less than 20 seconds with a 1541 drive. The cartridge also acts as a fast loader with most other software, and it enhances Basic 2.0 with a Spinnaker version of the DOS Wedge.

The Write Stuff may not be fancy, but neither is it stripped down.



with other word processors by using Text Grabber's Generic Form file, but such text is stripped of all formatting commands. Linked files cannot be imported as individual units.

The Workshop provides three printing modes. High Quality prints text exactly as it appears on the screen, including fonts and print styles. Near Letter Quality produces the format on the screen, but works only with the Commodore 10-point font. Draft mode is only for rough drafts.

While there's no spelling checker built into geoWrite Workshop, a separate Berkeley program, geoSpell, will do the job. Working in 40-Column mode, it checks spelling in any geoWrite document, including those created with other word processors. The dictionary is small, at 28,000 words, but it does provide alternative spellings, and you can expand it by creating your own dictionaries.

With geoSpell, there's a font editor, called geoFont, that lets you change both the size and shape of existing fonts, as well as create new ones. The directions are clear, and the editor is easy to use.

You can't run geoSpell from within the Workshop, but must save your documents first and then spell-check them. Another drawback to geoSpell is its very slow speed. It took me over ten minutes to check a five-page document! The Workshop can generate documents up to 62 pages long, and I shudder to think how long it would take to spell-check something of that size.

Both geoWrite and geoSpell must be installed before use, a process I had problems with. Thankfully, Berkeley's Rob Siegel came to my rescue. He explained that early versions of geoWrite Workshop and GEOS 64 applications used with GEOS 128 require the disk drives to be in 1541

Table 1. Product features.

	PaperClip III	PaperClip III	WordPro	The Write Stuff	geoWrite Workshop	FontMaster 128
Computer	C-64	C-128	C-64	C-64	C-128	C-128
Copy-Protected	N	N	N ¹	N	N	N ¹
Dictionary	Y	Y	Y	N ²	N ²	Y
Thesaurus	N	N	N	N	N	N
On-Screen Formatting	N	N	N	N	Y	N
Approx. Text Size in 56-Line Single-Spaced Pages	2.5	7.5	4.5	10	62	30
Links Files	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N
80-Column Video Preview	N	Y	Y	N	NA	Y ³
Spelling Check Time ⁴	3.5 min. ⁵	18 sec. ⁶	1.75 min. ⁶	--	11 min. ⁶	49 sec. ⁶
Integrated with Database/Spreadsheet	N	N	Y	N	Y	N
Supports Multiple Drives	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Supports 1581 Drive	Y	Y	N	N	Y	Y
Supports RAM Expanders	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y

1—Uses dongle.

2—Dictionary function available in separate program.

3—Video preview is 12 lines by 53 columns, but text can be scrolled horizontally.

4—Spelling-check times for PaperClip III and FontMaster 128 represent time required after dictionary was loaded into RAM.

5—Length of document checked, approximately 700 words.

6—Length of document checked, approximately 2700 words.

mode during installation. This problem has been eliminated in later versions, but there still may be some programs on store shelves with this impediment.

At its heart, geoWrite Workshop is a graphics text editor. While this latest version of geoWrite does offer basic word processor features, they're slow and clumsy. However, for printing graphics or text using a variety of fonts, styles and sizes, the Workshop is hard to beat. I'd suggest using a word processor such as PaperClip III to create your documents, then geoWrite Workshop to enhance them. In that way, you can have your cake and eat it too!

THE WRITE STUFF

The Write Stuff, originally sold through user's groups and now available from Busy Bee Software, is one of the most innovative, interesting and inexpensive programs I've ever seen. This C-64 word processor supports dual drives and RAM expanders, does two-column printing and, if that isn't enough, even talks!

The distribution of the program is unique, too. You can buy a single copy from the company or act as a distributor, thereby receiving substantial discounts through purchasing in quantity. A single copy (including the speech synthesizer, a keyboard overlay, a 12-page instruction booklet and a reference manual) costs \$24.95. The same package in amounts of 50 or more costs only \$11.25, and, if the bulk order doesn't include reference manuals and keyboard overlays, the price drops to \$8. Busy Bee states that their policy is to develop worthwhile, low-cost software as a deterrent to piracy. It looks like they have.

The Write Stuff may not be fancy, but neither is it stripped down. Among other features, it lets you save documents as sequential or program files, set up macros (two letters to replace a word or words), switch between a Dvorak and Qwerty keyboard, encrypt text (so it can be loaded and read only by those who know the password) and store two documents in memory at the same time. RAM expansion units are supported, although you'll need the public domain RAMDOS program (specifically, RAMDOS111286.BIN and FILECOPY.BIN) to use them.

Some 57 pages of help files are available from within The Write Stuff, and should you care to make hard copies, you can refer to the index in the instruction booklet to locate the ones you want. There are also text samples and tutorials on the disk.

The flip side of the disk contains BB Talker, the heart of which is S.A.M., the Software Automatic Mouth. BB Talker comes with a number of familiar songs and nursery rhymes to be loaded, read and heard, and instructions explain how you can write your own with ease. Kids love BB Talker, and it's a great way to teach preschoolers the alphabet. Its nine voices sound mechanical, but are generally understandable.

There's no dictionary with The Write Stuff. However, when its text files are saved in the ASCII sequential file format, they can be checked by a number of other spelling checkers, including RUN Script's.

The Write Stuff does include a mail-merge function, and, for those who need more powerful searches, it can be interfaced with Superbase. Instructions for using the two programs together appear in the reference manual.

Busy Bee is currently working on a C-128 version of the program, which should be available this summer. They're also planning updated versions for both the C-64 and C-128. The updates will include a thesaurus, along with both spelling and usage checkers. The Write Stuff is already impressive, and version 2 is sure to give the "big boys" a real run for their money. ■

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Table 2. Distributors and prices.

PaperClip III

Electronic Arts
1820 Gateway Drive
San Mateo, CA 94404
C-64, C-128
\$49.95

FontMaster 128

Xetec, Inc.
2804 Arnold Rd.
Salina, KS 67401
C-128
\$69.95

SpellMaster 128

C-128
\$10.00

WordPro with Turbo Load and Save

Spinnaker Software
One Kendall Square
Cambridge, MA 02319
C-64
\$39.95

geoWrite Workshop 128

Berkeley Softworks
2150 Shattuck Ave.
Berkeley, CA 94704
C-128
\$69.95

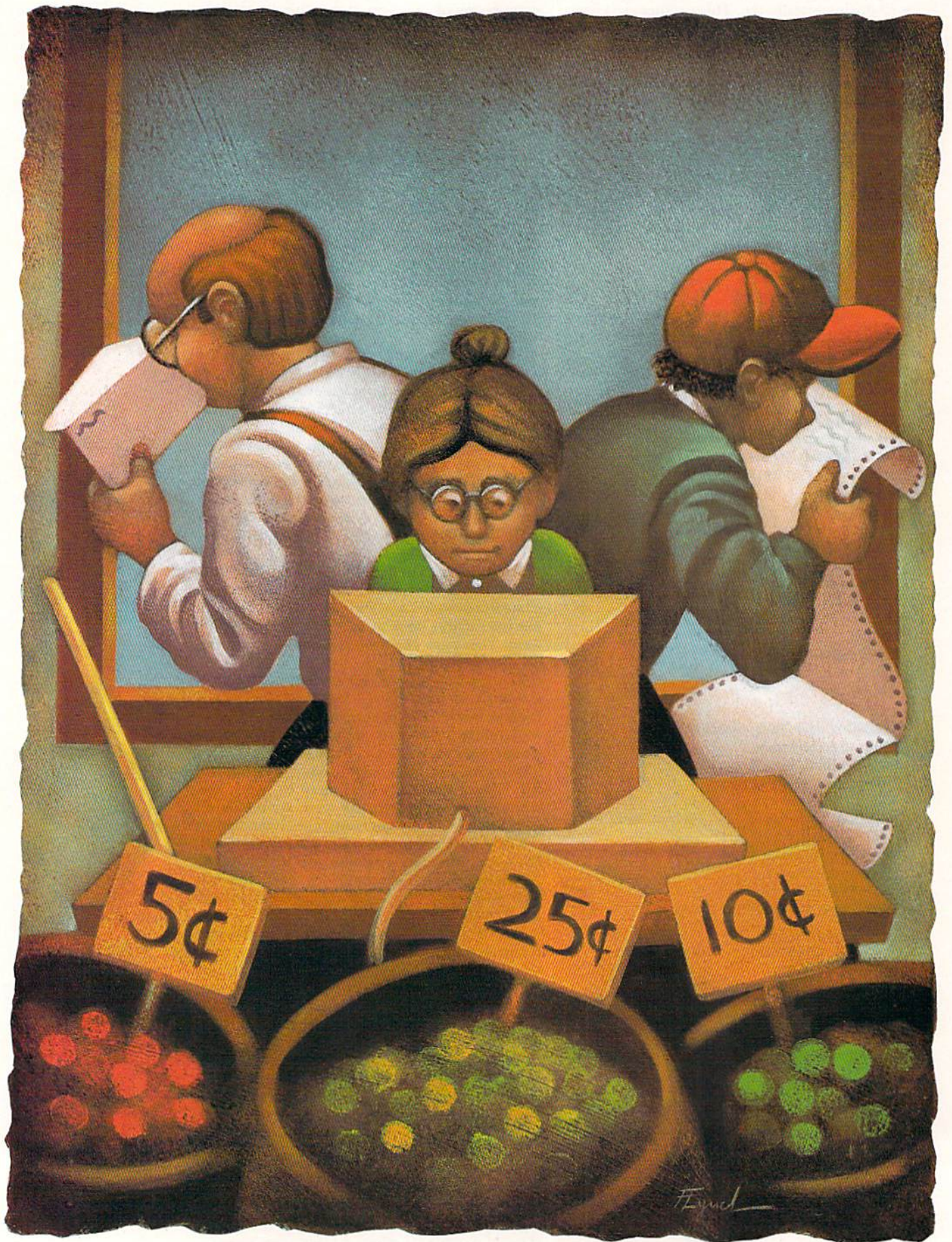
geoSpell

C-64
\$29.95

The Write Stuff

Busy Bee Software
PO Box 2959
Lompoc, CA 93438
C-64
\$24.95





Form Writer

*Design and print out personalized forms for all your
small-business and family needs.*

By TOM BROWN



If your family, small business or club runs on a limited budget, you can save money by using Form Writer on the C-64 or 128 (in 40-Column mode) to create single-page forms for many purposes—letters, invoices, questionnaires, membership records, and so on. The program allows you to print custom-designed forms, containing fields that you can fill in by using the keyboard or the program's document-oriented database.

Each form contains 50 lines, each with 80 characters, and you can prefix any line with one of nine print codes, allowing condensed, italic or double-sized type. Because these codes are defined in the Basic portion of the program, you can easily customize them to suit your needs. There's even provision to send up to ten nonprintable characters to the printer, so you can send special printer codes within lines.

FIRST STEPS

C-64 users must type in Listing 1, using *RUN's* Checksum, but must not type in any lines shaded in red, which are for the C-128 version only. C-128 users must type in Listing 1 in its entirety. After saving Listing 1 to disk, C-64 users must type in Listing 2, save it to the disk that contains Listing 1, and then run it, while C-128 users must type in, save and run Listing 3. Both Listing 2 and Listing 3 write machine language Editor files to disk that are subsequently read in by Form Writer for use when you are working with the program.

Once you've typed in the listings, be sure to run the C-128 version in 40-Column mode. When the program is activated, it first prompts you to enter the month and day, to be used when

there's a date field in your document. Next, the program checks the disk drive, so all future disk operations default to that drive. You can easily change the drive by using the Disk Drive option on the main menu.

CREATING AND EDITING BLANK FORMS

After the preliminaries, you're ready to create a blank form. On this form, you'll place the text, which won't change from document to document, and the form fields, which will.

At the main menu, select option 1, the Form Editor. It will take you to the Form/Field menu, where you should select option 1 again, to create a new form. This selection erases any old form in memory. If, instead of creating a new form, you want to edit the one currently in memory, choose option 2 at the Form/Field menu.

The editor functions within a 40-column window on an 80-column by 50-line page. Using the cursor keys, you can move this window to cover any area on the page.

Whenever you enter the editor, you'll find the blinking cursor in the first column on the first line. At the bottom of the screen there's a status line that shows the position of the cursor in the 80-column form (not in the 40-column window). Both lines and columns are numbered starting at zero. As you type characters or use the cursor keys, the status line updates automatically. You'll find this handy for keeping tabs on the cursor's location when it's traveling a distance on the page and seems to vanish. Forms can scroll horizontally in the window as far as the 80th column (column number 79), which rep-

resents the edge of the paper.

As you're working, press the return key to advance the cursor to the beginning of the next line. To move the cursor right several spaces, press the tab key on the C-128 or control/I on the C-64. The insert and delete keys operate in the normal fashion, but affect the entire 80-column line, not just the 40 columns in the window. *Don't* use the insert key when the cursor is in the first column of any line. Also, the home key sends the cursor to the top of the form, not the top of the window.

To erase the screen on the C-128, press the alt key along with clear-screen (shift/home). On the C-64, clear-screen doesn't work at all; you must go back to the Form/Field menu and select option 1 (create a new form).

To exit the editor, use the escape key on the C-128 or the F1 key on the C-64.

CREATING FIELDS

To create a field anywhere on your form, define its start and end positions by pressing the up-arrow key where the first and last characters will be. Unpaired up-arrows are ignored. The program allows a maximum of 256 fields on a page, but memory limitations will undoubtedly lower that number, particularly with the C-64.

Use the left-arrow character to direct Form Writer to follow one of the special printer code sequences in line 6 of the listing. The program defaults to printing "hello" when it encounters this character, but, if you change line 6, it will print whatever you wish, within limits. The printer code cannot include more than ten characters, nor can it contain any zeroes. A CHR\$(0) is required at the end. The CHR\$(0) is not ▶

RUN it right: C-64; C-128 (40-Column mode)

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sent to the printer, but is used by Form Writer to locate the end of the printer code.

Only one code sequence can be used at a time in a document, but it can appear as many times as you wish. Don't confuse these codes with the commands for changing printer fonts that go at the beginning of lines (see Printing, below).

When you exit the editor, it asks if you want to define the fields you've just created. If you're not satisfied with them yet, select option 2 in the Form/Field menu to edit the form currently in memory. Skip that option's erase-form step and go directly to the editor to make your changes. When you exit option 2, you can define the fields you passed over before.

If you opt to leave the editor without creating any fields, you go directly back to the Form/Field menu.

DEFINING FIELDS

Once you have entered your fields into the form, the program proceeds through them from top to bottom and left to right on the page, displaying the number of each field (starting at zero), its line and column position and its length, and you must give each field a name. For those fields you'll be filling yourself, as opposed to those the computer will fill, this name should be meaningful, such as Last Name or Address.

After you've named the field, you must specify the type of data it will hold, using the following list of ten possibilities:

Alphanumeric: Any printable character, including numbers, but the field cannot be used for calculations.

Sum1, Sum2 and Sum3: Numeric values, which will be added into three subtotals.

Total1, Total2 and Total3: Numeric values—these fields hold the subtotals of the three Sum fields listed above.

Grand Total: Numeric value—the total of the Total fields above. If you wish to subtract any Total field from the others in reaching the Grand Total, enter negative values in the appropriate Sum fields.

Keyboard: Data typed in by the user at the time of printing.

Date: The date you type in when you run Form Writer.

Data to fill Alphanumeric, Sum and Keyboard fields is entered by the user. Data for all the other types of fields is entered automatically by the computer when you print your document.

Be aware that you can't use the editor to preview a filled-out document before printing. Prior to printing, the blank form is copied to another area of mem-

ory (with the original left intact) where its fields are filled. The editor cannot view that area.

Should you want to abort defining fields—if, for example, you gave the last field the wrong name or type—press return at any field-name prompt to exit to the Form/Field menu.

CREATING THE DATABASE

After you've defined all your fields, Form Writer presents the name of each one and asks in what order you want the program to prompt you to fill them in, because it's seldom convenient to do so in the same order the program numbers them. For example, the form may have a person's last name listed before his or her first name, but the reverse order would be easier to key in. There's no error-checking here. If you enter the same priority for two or more fields, only the lowest-numbered field with that priority will be used; the database will skip over the others. Be careful to designate each priority only once, and you'll have no difficulty.

When this step is done, enter a name for your database. The name can be no longer than 15 characters, because the program prefixes it with a slash mark. The slash mark distinguishes database files from document files. Don't enter this slash mark yourself when reading the database back; the program will do it for you.

SAVING AND LOADING THE FORM

Don't forget to save your form after you've edited it! Also, note that you can use a form with several different databases, but you must be sure to have the correct form loaded into memory before defining fields or printing a document. Saving and loading are done from the Form/Field menu.

USING THE DATABASE

Once you've designed your blank form, defined its fields and saved your database to disk, you're ready to use the Database option in the Main menu to view, add, change or delete the user-entered Alphanumeric or Sum fields. If you don't have a database open at this point, the program forces you to open one in order to reach the Database menu. From that menu, you can easily change databases with the Open Database option. The name of the currently open database is listed on the Database menu screen.

To Form Writer, the database is an outline, or template, of the length and type of each field in your blank form. Each record in the database is referred

to as a document. Rather than use relative files, which would be slow and awkward in this application, each document is stored in a sequential file. These files are very small and easily copied (using appropriate software) to backup disks or transmitted via modem. They also give you the advantage of naming each document, rather than dealing with it as a record number.

Deleting a document involves nothing more than scratching its sequential file. The program pauses and tells you to hit "any key to continue," after listing the Files Scratched message. The Edit Document option displays the same message, since it deletes the old document before saving the new one.

DISK DRIVE HELP

It's virtually impossible to remember the filenames for a whole collection of databases, documents and forms, so you need to have access to your disk directory as you're using Form Writer. When you're in the middle of working on something, you can view the directory by entering a dollar sign as the filename at many filename prompts. Then, after you're done, the program returns you to the same prompt.

At those times when you're free to go to the Main menu, you can view the directory through the Disk Drive option, which provides access to the disk drive error channel, as well. Drive commands are standard DOS Wedge commands, only you can omit the @ at the beginning. Entering a number higher than 7 instead of a disk command changes the default drive setting. Since the program defaults to the drive it was loaded from, you can use this option to change to another drive (or even the RAM DOS!) for your data storage.

PRINTING

When it comes time to print out your form, choose the Printer option in the Main menu. If you haven't opened a database and loaded a form at this point, the program will ask you to do so. There are also menu options to change the database and form.

You can print a form using a document from your database, or you can enter the information from the keyboard (but only information that would normally be stored in the database). There's another option for printing out a form with the fields left blank, so you can fill them in by hand. In this case, the fields are printed with dotted lines. Remember to leave enough vertical spacing in the blank form to give your penmanship room to breathe. ▶

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Before you print out your form, there's one last thing you might want to do: Call on some of your printer's special effects to create a more professional look. You can use Commodore graphics characters (if your printer or interface permits it), but perhaps you'd like to use italic, double-width or condensed characters. Select the Set Printer option from the Printer menu, then enter your printer codes. This is also where you can change the printer device numbers and secondary addresses.

Note that two printer files are opened for printing, one of which has a default secondary address of 7 for printing lowercase letters. This is the channel that each line of the form is sent through. The other channel is opened to secondary address 5, which, on most printer interfaces (such as the Cardco and Xetec), lets you send printer command codes without fear that the interface will think they're regular characters and translate them. You can change one or both secondary addresses, depending on your system and your needs.

Next, you get a chance to define a printer code to be sent at the start of each line. The default codes are for the Gemini 10X. All you have to do is change the code, plus the prompt on the line beside it, to match your system's capabilities. This code applies only to the line in question.

As you type in Form Writer, have your printer manual handy, because some of the Gemini 10X commands may not be available on your printer. On the Gemini 2, for example, the italic character set has been replaced with a near-letter-quality (NLQ) font. In most cases, however, all you need to do is change the codes that perform each task. If you own an Epson MX-80-compatible printer, you may find a minimum num-

ber of changes necessary. If yours is an exotic printer, you may have to perform major surgery to achieve special effects.

The printer commands are sent to the printer at the start of each line along the transparent secondary printer channel. Printer commands you send using the left-arrow character embedded in your form, on the other hand, are sent along the text channel, so they may be translated by your interface into true ASCII. Keep that in mind when changing the Form Writer listing.

One warning about embedded code: If you send a string of printable characters, the line printed will be longer than 80 characters. This is of no concern when you're printing in Condensed mode, sending *non*printing control characters to activate a special effect or sending a code that prints a single printing character (such as a user-defined character).

As I mentioned earlier, the embedded codes are located in line 6 of the program listing. The ten codes you can elect to send at the start of a line are located in lines 2820-2830.

The program always prints 80 characters to a line, so, if you plan to use an enlarged character size, remember to make the line shorter! There's no way to make a line longer than 80 characters to take advantage of smaller character sizes. The default printer codes reset the printer at the start of each line, so any special formatting must be done for each line individually.

When you're done defining your specially formatted lines, press return at the Select Line prompt to go back to the Set Printer menu. At this point, I'd suggest that you *save* the printer codes you've defined, because printer codes are erased whenever you open a database.

You can use a pattern of printer codes

with more than one database, just as you can use a database with more than one blank form (and vice versa). The Set Printer menu also lets you erase all printer codes in memory (as is done when you choose to set the codes) and load a set of codes you've previously defined. Saving printer codes also saves the printer device number and secondary address. Press return to go back to the Printer menu.

When you finally get around to printing your form, you can specify the number of lines to print, which is handy if the form is shorter than a full page. You can also print several copies without going back to the Printer menu.

Parts of the printing process are slow, particularly if you have a lot of fields to be generated. This is partially due to the fact that the field contents must be padded with spaces before being sent to the form. A little patience here goes a long way.

TECHNICAL NOTES

The C-64 version of Form Writer uses the area under the Basic ROMs to hold the blank form, while the C-128 version uses the hi-res screen area. Lines 65-67 of the listing may seem strange: They undimension all arrays in memory (without losing any other variables!) whenever you open a database. In this way, smaller databases can have smaller arrays, and so take up less memory. Saving memory is unimportant on the C-128, but on the C-64 it eliminates a lot of needless delay due to garbage collection. R

Tom Brown is a freelance programmer with both public domain and commercial programs to his credit. He recently authored RUN's telecommunications program, RUN Term 128.

Listing 1. Form Writer program.

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10 BANK15:C6=1:REM C128 ONLY          RETURN                :REM*29
   :REM*49                               90 PRINT:PRINT"(CRSR DN)HIT ANY
20 POKE53281,1:POKE53280,1:IFPE      KEY TO CONTINUE" :REM*174
EK(787)=123THENGOSUB1250:GOT        100 GETA$:IFA$=""THEN100
06100 :REM*159
30 IFPEEK(787)=234THENPOKE787,1    110 RETURN                :REM*252
23:C6=PEEK(1023):GOTO1980          120 PRINT"{SHFT CLR}{CTRL 4}"+"C
   :REM*50                                HR$(142)"{4 SPACES}{SHFT U}
40 POKE1023,C6:IF(C6=0)THENPOKE     {8 SHFT *s}{COMD R}{21 SHFT
55,0:POKE56,154:CLR :REM*199        *s}{SHFT I} :REM*160
50 GOTO1180 :REM*131
60 DATA 72,69,76,76,79,0,0,0,0,    130 PRINT"{4 SPACES}{SHFT -}{8
   :REM*134                                SPACES}{SHFT -}{CTRL 7}{CO
70 RESTORE:FORX=0TO9:READA:POKE    MD A}{17 SHFT *s}{COMD S}{C
(ML+25+X),A:NEXT:RETURN            TRL 4}{SHFT -} :REM*113
   :REM*199                                140 PRINT"{4 SPACES}{SHFT -}{8
80 X=PEEK(53281):POKE53281,0:PR    SPACES}{SHFT -}{CTRL 7}{COM
INT"{SHFT CLR}":POKE53281,X:      D A}{COMD X}{CTRL 3}{CTRL 9
                                     ){17 SPACES}{CTRL 0}{CTRL 7
                                     }{COMD Z}{COMD S}{CTRL 4}{S
                                     HFT -} :REM*250
150 PRINT"{4 SPACES}{SHFT -}{8
   SPACES}{SHFT -}{CTRL 7}{SHF
   T -}{CTRL 3}{CTRL 9}{19 SPA
   CES}{CTRL 0}{CTRL 7}{SHFT -
   }{CTRL 4}{SHFT -} :REM*29
160 PRINT"{4 SPACES}{SHFT -}{8
   SPACES}{SHFT -}{CTRL 7}{COM
   D Z}{COMD S}{CTRL 3}{CTRL 9
   }{17 SPACES}{CTRL 0}{CTRL 7
   }{COMD A}{COMD X}{CTRL 4}{S
   HFT -} :REM*134
170 PRINT"{4 SPACES}{SHFT -}{8
   SPACES}{SHFT -}{CTRL 7}{CO
   MD Z}{17 SHFT *s}{COMD X}{C
   TRL 4}{SHFT -} :REM*105

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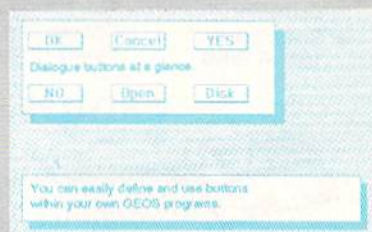
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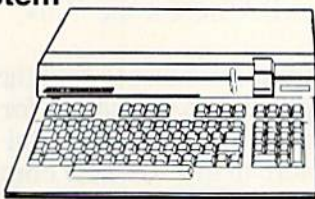
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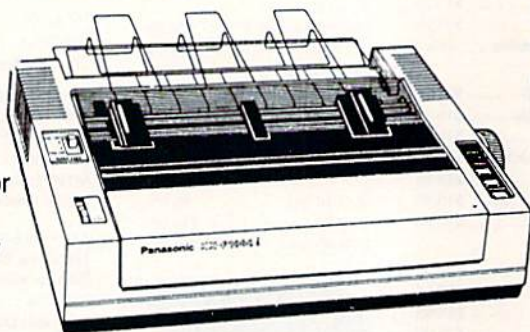
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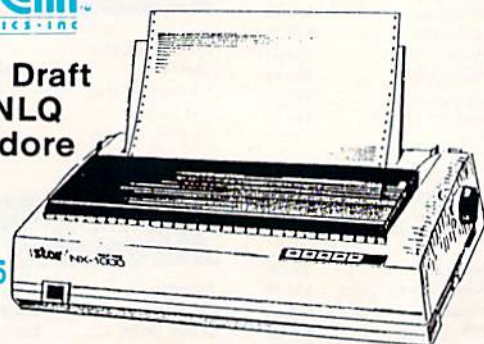
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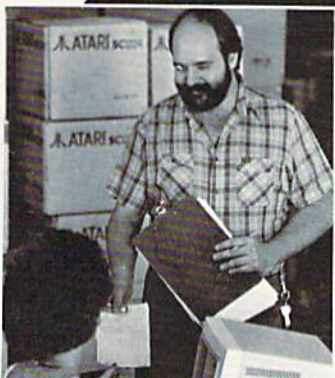
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The game can understand two-word inputs and has a dictionary of over 30 words. You may visit 20 different locations, and take and drop various objects, including the special delivery letter. The game responds to whatever you type with an appropriate comment, ranging from "I don't understand" to "I see no mailbox here."

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Cindy Hurley, a microbiologist, teacher, writer and former small-business owner, is also a computer programmer who specializes in adventure games.



Listing 1. Special Delivery program.

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Ø REM SPECIAL DELIVERY BY C.G.H      5Ø POKE5328Ø,Ø:POKE53281,Ø:FORX      :REM*27
URLEY SEPT 1987                       :REM*125                               =1TO1ØØ:NEXT:POKE53281,1:POK
1Ø GOSUB241Ø:GOTO53Ø                   :REM*18Ø                               E5328Ø,1                       :REM*1Ø4
2Ø POKEV+21,Ø:POKEV+16,Ø:GOSUB1       6Ø FORX=1TO1ØØ:NEXT:FORX=15TO1S      :REM*218
45Ø:IFTH(Ø)<2GOTO11Ø:REM*247          TEP-1:POKES5,2ØØ:POKES4,4Ø:P       :REM*17
3Ø FORX=ØTO24:POKES5+X,Ø:NEXT         OKES3,15                               :REM*233
                                         :REM*75                               7Ø POKE5328Ø,Ø:POKE53281,Ø:POKE
4Ø IF(RND(1)*1ØØ)>6ØGOTO11Ø           S1,X                                   :REM*9Ø
                                         :REM*128                              8Ø POKES2,129:NEXT:POKES2,128
                                         :REM*218                               )=1THENGOTO14Ø                 :REM*39
9Ø IFRM(Ø)=7THENPOKES328Ø,12:PO      11Ø PRINTP$                             :REM*17
KE53281,12:GOTO11Ø                   :REM*2Ø4                               12Ø PRINT"{CTRL 7}"RM$(RM(Ø)-1
1ØØ POKE53281,3:POKE5328Ø,3          :REM*218                               ),Ø)"{CTRL 1}":IFAV(RM(Ø)-1
                                         :REM*17                               )=1THENGOTO14Ø                 :REM*39

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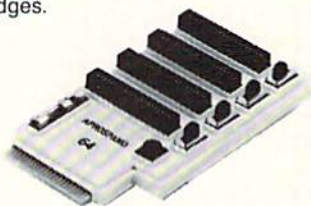
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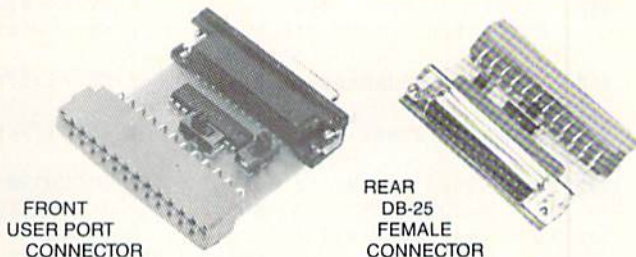
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      :REM*152
140 IFRM(0)=1THENPRINT"THERE IS
    A CLOSED GATE TO THE NORTH
    ."
      :REM*61
150 PRINT"(CTRL 9)YOU MAY GO(CT
    RL 0){2 SPACES}";FORZ=0TO3
    :IFD((RM(0)-1),Z)<>0THENPRI
    NTD$(Z)" ";
      :REM*59
160 NEXT:PRINT:FORZ=1TO11:IFTH(
    Z)=RM(0)THENPRINTT$(Z-1,0)
      :REM*12
170 NEXT:IFTH(3)=RM(0)THENGOSUB
    2110
      :REM*148
180 IFTH(8)=RM(0)THENGOSUB2220
      :REM*63
190 FORZ=1TOLEN(A$)
      :REM*131
200 IFMID$(A$,Z,1)<>" "THENNEXT
    :AB$(1)="":AB$(0)=A$:RETURN
      :REM*146
210 AB$(1)=MID$(A$,Z+1):AB$(0)=
    LEFT$(A$,Z-1):RETURN
      :REM*100
220 G$=A$+"{5 SPACES}":A$=LEFT$(
    G$,5):K=0:KK=43
      :REM*32
230 M=INT((K+KK)/2)
      :REM*233
240 IFA$=W$(M)THENQ=CD(M):RETUR
    N
      :REM*154
250 IFA$<W$(M)THENKK=M-1
      :REM*103
260 IFA$>W$(M)THENK=M+1:REM*198
270 IFK=MORKK=MTHENQ=0:RETURN
      :REM*113
280 GOTO230
      :REM*93
290 FORZ=0TO3:NM(Z)=0:NEXT:G$=M
    IDS(STR$(CC),2)
      :REM*4
300 FORZ=1TOLEN(G$):NM(Z-1)=VAL
    (MID$(G$,Z,1)):NEXT:RETURN
      :REM*8
310 IFRB(0)<5THENRB(0)=RB(0)+1:
    RETURN
      :REM*135
320 POKEV+28,PEEK(V+28)OR1
      :REM*209
330 POKEV+39,11:POKEV+16,1:POKE
    V+37,0:POKEV+38,1
      :REM*90
340 POKEV,65:POKEV+1,150
      :REM*144
350 POKE2040,13:POKEV+21,PEEK(V
    +21)OR1:Z=14
      :REM*181
360 FORX=65TO25STEP-1:L=0:POKEV
    ,X:POKE2040,Z:IFZ=14THENZ=1
    5:L=1
      :REM*243
370 IFZ=15ANDL=0THENZ=14:REM*63
380 NEXT
      :REM*255
390 POKE2040,13
      :REM*192
400 RB(1)=RM(0)
      :REM*94
410 PRINT"A LITTLE RABBIT IS FO
    LLOWING YOU!":RETURN
      :REM*151
420 PRINT"SORRY, YOU ARE DEAD."
    :GOTO990
      :REM*134
430 IFTH(0)<2THENTH(0)=TH(0)+1:
    RETURN
      :REM*91
440 PRINT"IT IS RAINING."
      :REM*241
450 IFTH(2)=22THENPRINT"LUCKY Y
    OU HAVE A RAIN COAT!":TH(0)
    =2:RETURN
      :REM*103
460 IFTH(0)<5THENTH(0)=TH(0)+1:

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      :REM*13
470 PRINT"THE LETTER IS GETTING
    WET NOW."
      :REM*42
480 IFTH(0)<10THENTH(0)=TH(0)+1
    :RETURN
      :REM*32
490 PRINT"THE LETTER IS SLOWLY
    MELTING."
      :REM*13
500 TH(0)=TH(0)+1:IFTH(0)>14THE
    NPRINT"THE LETTER IS GONE.
    SORRY."
      :GOTO990
      :REM*134
510 RETURN
      :REM*142
520 FORZ=1TO70:POKES2,131
      :REM*188
530 GOSUB20:GOSUB310:GOSUB430
      :REM*248
540 AV(RM(0)-1)=1
      :REM*73
550 PRINTP1$:PRINTS$:PRINTP1$
      :REM*47
560 GETA$:IFAS$<>" "GOTO550
      :REM*105
570 INPUT"YOUR MOVE ";A$
      :REM*229
580 GOSUB190:A$=AB$(0):GOSUB220
    :CC=Q:GOSUB290:CC=NM(1)+NM(
    0)*10
      :REM*199
590 PRINTS1$
      :REM*180
600 IFQ=0ORCC<11THENPRINTC$(6):
    GOTO550
      :REM*63
610 K=CC-10:IFCC>19THENK=CC-19:
    GOTO630
      :REM*30
620 ONKGOTO650,740,770,870,910,
    920,930,1030,1050
      :REM*80
630 ONKGOTO1050,1070,1260,1340,
    1380,1390,1430,1060
      :REM*50
640 PRINTC$(6):GOTO550
      :REM*158
650 M=NM(2):FORX=0TO2:CC=OB(X):
    GOSUB290
      :REM*173
660 IFRM(0)<>NM(3)+NM(2)*10THEN
    NEXT:GOTO710
      :REM*232
670 IFNM(1)<>MOROB(X)<0THENNEXT
    :GOTO710
      :REM*115
680 PRINTC$(NM(0)-1):GOTO550
      :REM*218
690 IFRM(0)=NM(3)+NM(2)*10THENI
    FOB(X)>0THENPRINTC$(NM(0)-
    1):X=2:NEXT:GOTO550
      :REM*46
700 NEXT
      :REM*61
710 K=D((RM(0)-1),M)
      :REM*75

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720 IFK=0THENPRINT"YOU CAN'T GO
    THAT WAY!":GOTO550:REM*136
730 RM(0)=K:GOTO530
      :REM*49
740 IFRM(0)<>1ANDRM(0)<>2THENPR
    INT"YOU CAN'T CLIMB HERE."
    :GOTO550
      :REM*16
750 IFRM(0)=1THENRM(0)=2:GOTO53
    0
      :REM*130
760 RM(0)=1:GOTO530
      :REM*136
770 IFAB$(1)=" "THENPRINT"GET WH
    AT?":GOTO550
      :REM*170
780 A$=AB$(1):GOSUB220:IFQ=0THE
    NPRINTC$(5):GOTO550:REM*132
790 IFQ=30ORQ=50ORQ=7THENPRINTC$(
    4):GOTO550
      :REM*187
800 IFQ>11THENPRINTC$(3):GOTO55
    0
      :REM*107
810 IFAV(0)>4THENPRINT"YOUR ARM
    S ARE FULL."
      :GOTO550
      :REM*184
820 IFTH(Q)=22THENPRINT"YOU ALR
    EADY HAVE IT."
      :GOTO550
      :REM*29
830 IFQ=8THENPRINT"THE DOG BITE
    S YOU AND GIVES YOU RABIES."
    :GOTO420
      :REM*101
840 IFTH(Q)<>RM(0)THENPRINT"I D
    ON'T SEE "T$(Q-1,1)" HERE."
    :GOTO550
      :REM*75
850 IFQ=3THENPRINT"IT BITES! AN
    D, IT'S POISONOUS!"
      :GOTO420
      :REM*70
860 TH(Q)=22:AV(0)=AV(0)+1:PRIN
    T"OK":GOTO550
      :REM*168
870 IFAB$(1)=" "THENPRINT"DROP W
    HAT?":GOTO550
      :REM*156
880 A$=AB$(1):GOSUB220:IFQ=0ORQ
    >11THENPRINTC$(5):GOTO550
      :REM*18
890 IFTH(Q)<>22THENPRINT"YOU DO
    N'T HAVE IT."
      :GOTO550
      :REM*118
900 TH(Q)=RM(0):AV(0)=AV(0)-1:P
    RINT"OK":GOTO550
      :REM*166
910 PRINT"YOU HAVE NO WEAPON."
    :GOTO550
      :REM*41
920 PRINT"NO ONE WILL SAVE YOU."
    :GOTO550
      :REM*243
930 IFRM(0)=1ORRM(0)=2THENPRINT
    "KNOCKING ON THE GATE DOES
    NO GOOD."
      :GOTO550
      :REM*222
940 IFRM(0)<>20THENPRINT"KNOCKI
    NG ON A TREE IS STUPID!":GO
    TO550
      :REM*87
950 LL=0:IFTH(11)=22GOTO970
      :REM*14
960 PRINT"WHEN YOU KNOCK,THE HE
    RMIT SEES NO LETTERAND SHOO
    TS!":LL=1:GOTO2340
      :REM*31
970 PRINT"WHEN YOU KNOCK AN OLD
    MAN OPENS THE DOORAND TAKE
    S THE LETTER."
      :REM*130
980 PRINT"YOU HAVE WON THE GAME
    !"
      :REM*64
990 PRINT"PLAY AGAIN? (Y/N){2 S
    PACES}";
      :REM*242
1000 GETA$:IFAS$<>"Y"ANDAS$<>"N"G
    OTO1000
      :REM*4

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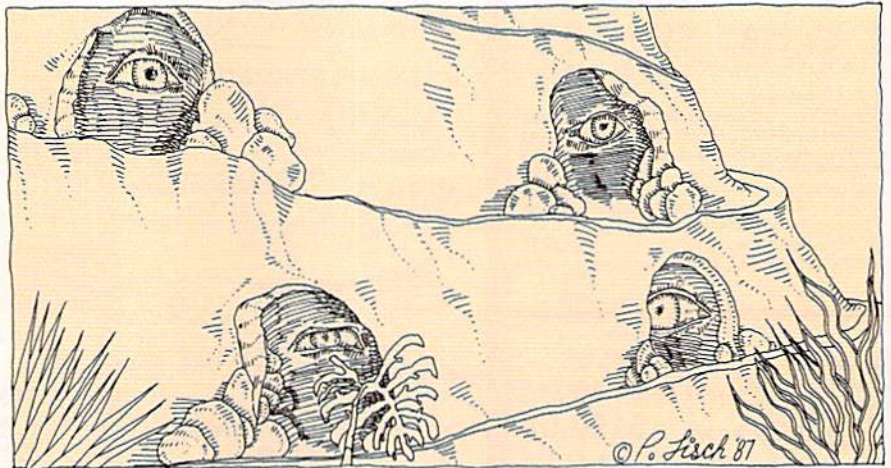


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Wrong! If you've ever been in a cave, you know that the farther you go, the darker it gets. The first level of Now You See It is a cinch. All Carkey has to do is to tour the cave, guided by a joystick in port 2, and pick up the pieces of yendor. As he proceeds, the number in the upper-right corner of the screen displays how many pieces remain.

After collecting all ten pieces, Carkey automatically descends to level 2. Since it's darker there, it's harder to see the passages. If Carkey keeps bumping into walls, press the fire-button. This lights



the cave, but it also freezes Carkey in his tracks. Release the fire-button, and the walls disappear again.

All the time that Carkey is moving through the cave, the numbers in the upper-left corner of the screen tell how much time has elapsed. Once the clock starts, it doesn't stop until all eight levels have been completed.

In each of the lower levels, different things or combinations of things are obliterated by the darkness. If this still sounds like an easy game, try to play it in five minutes or less! 

Penny DeGross is a freelance author and a programmer of educational and arcade games for the C-64.

Listing 1. Now You See It program.

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1  POKES2,48:POKE56,48:CLR:DIMD      HENDI=-1:C=1:GOTO13  REM*141      IFPR=0 THEN 19  REM*53
  $(24),PP(8,1),WS(8):D$(0)="        9  IFJS=7THENDI=1:C=3:GOTO13  REM*55
  {HOME}" :REM*87                      18  GOTO4  REM*55
2  FORX=1TO24:D$(X)=D$(X-1)+"{C      19  TT$=TI$:FORDE=1TO100:NEXT:
  RSR DN}":NEXT:GOTO43  REM*224    RESTORE:FORX=1TO5:READHI,LO
                                          :POKE54287,HI      REM*53
3  PRINTD$(1)MID$(TI$,1,2)": "MI      11  IFJS=13THENDI=4:GOTO13  REM*249    20  POKES4286,LO:POKE54290,17:F
  D$(TI$,3,2)": "MID$(TI$,5,2):      12  GOTO4  REM*248    ORDE=1TO9:NEXT:POKE54290,1
  RETURN :REM*240                    13  IFPEEK(OP+DI)=160 THEN POKES4    6:FORDE=1TO5:NEXT :REM*92
4  GOSUB30:FB=PEEK(56320)AND16:      276,129:POKE54276,128:GOTO4    21  NEXT :REM*85
  IFFB=16 THEN 8  REM*53              0 :REM*103
5  POKES3280,14:POKE53281,14      14  NP=OP+DI:TN=PEEK(NP):POKENP    23  PRINT"{SHT CLR}":POKE53280
      :REM*84                          +54272,CC:POKEOP,32:POKENP,
6  GOSUB30:FB=PEEK(56320)AND16:      C:POKEOP+54272,0 :REM*25
  IFFB=0 THEN 6  REM*86              15  OP=NP:IFTN=0 THEN 17  REM*59
7  POKES3280,0:POKE53281,0:GOTO      16  GOTO4  REM*35
  4  REM*239                            17  POKES4283,17:POKE54283,16:P
8  JS=PEEK(56320)AND15:IFJS=11T      R=PR-1:PRINTD$(1)TAB(38)PR:

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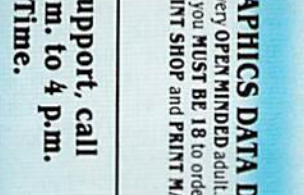
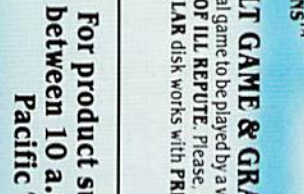
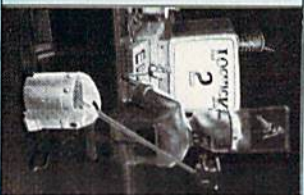
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260 POKE53272,(PEEK(53272)AND240)OR12:POKE53280,0:POKE53281,0:X1=1104:X2=1143:REM*13
270 S=1:GOSUB290:X1=1183:X2=2023:S=40:GOSUB290:X1=2022:X2=1984:S=-1:GOSUB290:REM*227
280 X1=1944:X2=1144:S=-40:GOSUB290:GOTO300:REM*158
290 FORX=X1TOX2STEPS:POKEX,160:POKEX+54272,15:NEXT:RETURN:REM*129
300 RN=INT(RND(1)*8)+1:IFWS(RN)=1THEN300:REM*120
310 WS(RN)=1:ONRNGOSUB650,740,760,810,830,890,960,1020:REM*92
320 FORX=1TO10:POKEPP(RN,X),0:P OKEPP(RN,X)+54272,PC:NEXT:O P=1945:REM*141
330 POKEOP,2:POKEOP+54272,CC:PO KE646,1:PR=10:PRINTD$(1)TAB (37)PR:TI$=TT$:REM*124
340 GOTO40:REM*215
350 FORDE=1TO1000:NEXT:PRINT"(S HFT CLR)":POKE53272,(PEEK(5 3272)AND240)OR4:POKE646,0 :REM*148
360 POKE53280,12:POKE53281,15:P RINTD$(9)TAB(15)"GAME OVER" :REM*230
370 PRINTD$(12)TAB(9)"TIME THIS GAME--"MID$(TT$,1,2)":MID $(TT$,3,2)":":REM*134
380 PRINTMID$(TT$,5,2):IFTT$<BT $THENBT$=TT$:REM*175
390 PRINTTAB(14)"BEST TIME--"MI D$(BT$,1,2)":MID$(BT$,3,2)":MID$(BT$,5,2):REM*100
400 PRINTD$(15)TAB(4)PA$:FORDE= 1TO100:NEXT:FB=PEEK(56320)A ND16:IFFB=0THEN420:REM*225
410 PRINTD$(15)TAB(4)BL$:FORDE= 1TO100:NEXT:GOTO400:REM*130
420 TT$="000000":LE=0:FORX=1TO8 :WS(X)=0:NEXT:GOTO220:REM*191
430 FORX=54272TO54295:POKEX,0:N EXT:POKE54296,15:T1$="NOW Y OU SEE IT":REM*157
440 T2$="{14 SPACES}":PA$="PRES S FIRE BUTTON TO PLAY AGAIN ":BL$="{CTRL 9}"+PA$:REM*87
450 BT$="235959":PRINT"(SHFT CL R)":POKE53280,2:POKE53281,2 :POKE646,15:POKE54277,9 :REM*83
460 POKE54284,96:POKE54291,9:FO RX=1TO11:RO=INT(RND(1)*24): CO=INT(RND(1)*25):REM*146
470 PRINTD$(RO)TAB(CO)T1$:READH I,LO:FORZ=54273TO54287STEP7 :POKEZ,HI:POKEZ-1,LO :REM*139
480 NEXT:POKE54276,33:POKE54283 ,33:POKE54290,17:FORDE=1TO9 0:NEXT:POKE54276,32:REM*181
490 POKE54283,32:POKE54290,16:P RINTD$(RO)TAB(CO)T2$:REM*129
500 NEXT:POKE646,7:PRINTD$(12)T AB(13)T1$:POKE54277,10:POKE 54278,3:POKE54273,10:REM*182
510 POKE54272,10:POKE54284,25:P OKE54285,9:POKE54280,51:POK E54279,97:REM*251
520 FORZ1=1TO8:FORZ2=1TO10:READ PP(Z1,Z2):NEXT:NEXT:POKE563 34,PEEK(56334)AND254:REM*191
530 POKE1,PEEK(1)AND251:X1=384: X2=471:GOSUB560:X1=256:X2=2 63:GOSUB560:X1=1280:REM*195
540 X2=1287:GOSUB560:POKE1,PEEK (1)OR4:POKE56334,PEEK(56334 )OR1:FORX=0TO31:REM*67
550 READ:POKE12288+X,D:NEXT:GO TO420:REM*71
560 FORX=X1TOX2:POKE12288+X,PEE K(53248+X):NEXT:RETURN:REM*139
570 CC=1:PC=7:MC=15:RETURN:REM*253
580 CC=1:PC=7:MC=0:RETURN:REM*214
590 CC=1:PC=0:MC=15:RETURN:REM*150
600 CC=0:PC=7:MC=15:RETURN:REM*211
610 CC=1:PC=0:MC=0:RETURN:REM*241
620 CC=0:PC=0:MC=15:RETURN:REM*140
630 CC=0:PC=7:MC=0:RETURN:REM*33
640 CC=0:PC=0:MC=0:RETURN:REM*239
650 PRINTD$(4):FORX=1TO19:PRIN T"(CTRL 9)"SPC(2)" "SPC(34) " ":NEXT:PRINTD$(6):REM*253
660 FORX=1TO15:PRINT"(CTRL 9)"S PC(4)" "SPC(30)" " ":NEXT:PRI NTD$(8):FORX=1TO11:REM*85
670 PRINT"(CTRL 9)"SPC(6)" "SPC (26)" " ":NEXT:PRINTD$(10):F ORX=1TO7:REM*225
680 PRINT"(CTRL 9)"SPC(8)" "SPC (22)" " ":NEXT:PRINTD$(12):F ORX=1TO3:REM*92
690 PRINT"(CTRL 9)"SPC(10)" "SP C(18)" " ":NEXT:PRINTD$(10):F ORX=1TO7:REM*74
700 PRINT"(CTRL 9)"SPC(12)" "SP C(14)" " ":NEXT:PRINTD$(8):F ORX=1TO11:REM*49
710 PRINT"(CTRL 9)"SPC(14)" "SP C(10)" " ":NEXT:PRINTD$(6):F ORX=1TO15:REM*234
720 PRINT"(CTRL 9)"SPC(16)" "SP C(6)" " ":NEXT:PRINTD$(4):F O RX=1TO19:REM*64
730 PRINTSPC(18)"(CTRL 9){4 SPA CES}":NEXT:RETURN:REM*209
740 FORX=4TO22STEP2:PRINTD$(X)S
PC(2)"(CTRL 9){36 SPACES}" :REM*75
750 NEXT:FORX=5TO21STEP2:PRINTD $(X)SPC(19)"(CTRL 9){2 SPAC Es}":NEXT:RETURN:REM*39
760 PRINTD$(7)SPC(10)"(CTRL 9){ 8 SPACES}{4 CRSR RTs}{8 SPA CES}":FORX=1TO11:PRINTSPC(1 7)"(CTRL 9) {4 CRSR RTs} " :REM*220
770 NEXT:PRINTSPC(10)"(CTRL 9){ 8 SPACES}{4 CRSR RTs}{8 SPA CES}":PRINTD$(8):FORX=1TO5 :REM*40
780 PRINTSPC(10)"(CTRL 9) "SPC( 18)" " ":NEXT:PRINTD$(14):F O RX=1TO5:REM*219
790 PRINTSPC(10)"(CTRL 9) "SPC( 18)" " ":NEXT:PRINTD$(12)SPC( 18)"(CTRL 9) {2 CRSR RTs} " :REM*54
800 PRINTD$(14)SPC(18)"(CTRL 9) {2 CRSR RTs} " :RETURN:REM*11
810 FORX=4TO22:PRINTD$(X)SPC(19 )" (CTRL 9) " :NEXT:REM*0
820 PRINTD$(13)"(2 CRSR RTs){CT RL 9}{36 SPACES}":RETURN:REM*36
830 PRINTD$(4)SPC(5)"(CTRL 9){3 SPACES}{6 CRSR RTs}{3 SPAC Es}{6 CRSR RTs}{3 SPACES}{6 CRSR RTs}{3 SPACES}":FORX= 5TO10:REM*230
840 PRINTD$(X)SPC(5)"(CTRL 9) { CRSR RT} {6 CRSR RTs} {CRSR RT} {6 CRSR RTs} {CRSR RT} {6 CRSR RTs} {CRSR RT} " :N EXT:FORX=16TO21:REM*204
850 PRINTD$(X)SPC(5)"(CTRL 9) { CRSR RT} {6 CRSR RTs} {CRSR RT} {6 CRSR RTs} {CRSR RT} " :N EXT:REM*139
860 PRINTSPC(5)"(CTRL 9){3 SPAC Es}{6 CRSR RTs}{3 SPACES}{6 CRSR RTs}{3 SPACES}{6 CRSR RTs}{3 SPACES}":FORX=7TO19 :REM*245
870 PRINTD$(X)SPC(10)"(CTRL 9){ 2 SPACES}{7 CRSR RTs}{2 SPA CES}{7 CRSR RTs}{2 SPACES}" :NEXT:REM*48
880 PRINTD$(13)SPC(5)"(CTRL 9){ 30 SPACES}":RETURN:REM*63
890 PRINTD$(6)SPC(4)"(CTRL 9){6 SPACES}"SPC(20)"(6 SPACES) " :FORX=1TO13:REM*125
900 PRINTSPC(4)"(CTRL 9) "SPC(3 0)" " ":NEXT:PRINTSPC(4)"(CTR L 9){6 SPACES}"SPC(20)"(6 S PACES)" :REM*137
910 PRINTD$(7)SPC(11)"(CTRL 9){ 18 SPACES}" :REM*178
920 PRINTD$(19)SPC(11)"(CTRL 9) {18 SPACES}":FORX=8TO18:PRI NTD$(X)SPC(19)"(2 SPACES)" :REM*88
930 NEXT:PRINTD$(8)SPC(6)"(CTRL 9){5 SPACES}"SPC(18)"(5 SP

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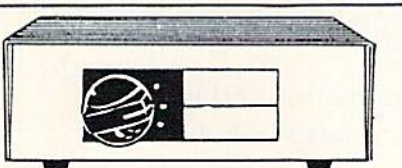
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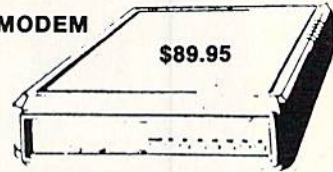
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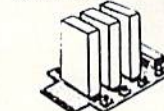
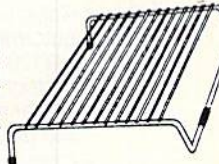
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}":FORX=10TO16 :REM*184
950 PRINT$(X)SPC(10)"{CTRL 9}
"SPC(18)" :NEXT:RETURN
:REM*181
960 FORX=10TO16STEP3:PRINT$(X)
SPC(15)"{CTRL 9}{10 SPACES}
":NEXT:FORX=3TO9 :REM*74
970 PRINT$(X)SPC(9)"{CTRL 9}{
2 SPACES}":NEXT:FORX=17TO23
:PRINT$(X)SPC(19)"{CTRL 9}
{2 SPACES}":NEXT :REM*37
980 PRINT$(6)SPC(10)"{CTRL 9}{
20 SPACES}" :REM*1
990 PRINT$(20)SPC(10)"{CTRL 9}
{20 SPACES}":FORX=7TO12
:REM*18
1000 PRINT$(X)SPC(10)"{CTRL 9}
"SPC(18)" :NEXT:FORX=14T
O19 :REM*144
1010 PRINT$(X)SPC(10)"{CTRL 9}
"SPC(18)" :NEXT:RETURN
:REM*72
1020 FORX=4TO20STEP4:PRINT$(X)
SPC(10)"{CTRL 9}{6 SPACES}
{CRSR RT}{6 SPACES}{CRSR R
T}{6 SPACES}" :REM*251
1030 PRINT$(11)"{CTRL 9}{4 SP
ACES}{3 CRSR RTs}{4 SPACES}
}{3 CRSR RTs}{4 SPACES}":P
RINT$(10)"{CTRL 9}{6 SPA
CES}{CRSR RT}{6 SPACES}{CR
SR RT}{6 SPACES}" :REM*132
1040 NEXT:RETURN :REM*182
1050 DATA 34,75,40,200,34,75,40
,200,45,198,54,111,54,111,
45,198,40,200,45,198
:REM*147
1060 DATA 45,198,1474,1493,1634
,1653,1561,1566,1547,1580,
1551,1576,1242,1245:REM*16
1070 DATA 1882,1885,1553,1574,1
386,1421,1706,1741,1355,13
60,1367,1372,1755,1760
:REM*75
1080 DATA 1767,1772,1562,1565,1
522,1524,1602,1604,1354,13
73,1754,1773,1545,1582
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:REM*97
1110 DATA 1922,1925,1234,1253,1
874,1893,1399,1408,1719,17
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:REM*24
1120 DATA 34,54,28,0,0,12,30,12
,124,12,20,36,108,28,54,28
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
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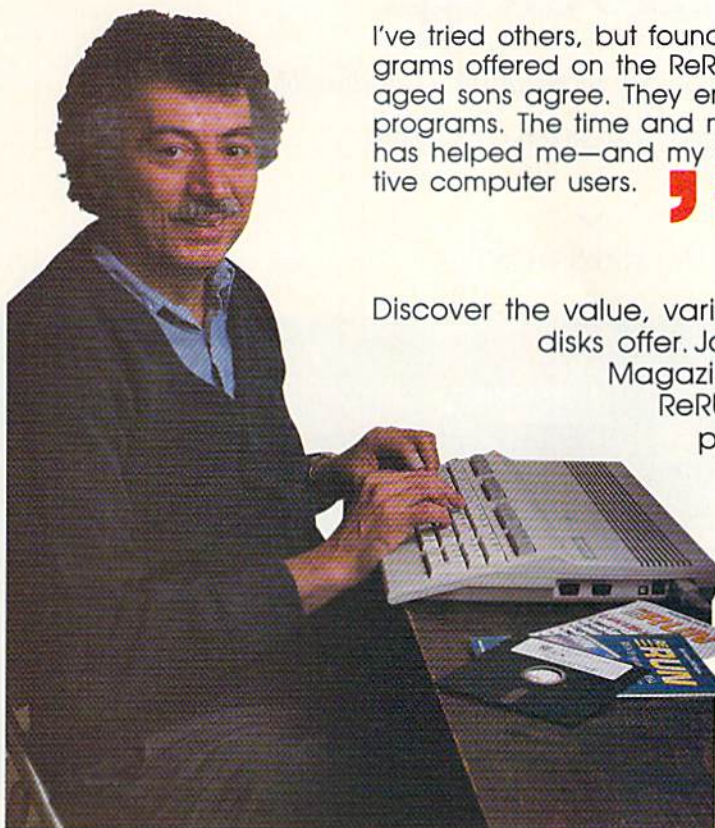
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By JAMES HOST

One of the most trying experiences a Commodore 64 user faces is lockup, which, as the word implies, locks up, or freezes, the program in memory. The program refuses every effort on your part to resume running, the run-stop/restore combination has no effect, and the computer doesn't respond to any keypresses. Sometimes a lockup displays the Ready prompt with a flashing cursor, but the computer remains unresponsive to any Basic Direct mode commands.

In any case you're forced to perform one of two actions, and both are unpalatable: reset the computer or turn it off and on again. In either case, you lose the Basic program in memory.

Unlockup gives you both a soft reset and an un-New feature. With Unlockup, you can *usually* recover a Basic program.

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Although the active portion of Unlockup is written in machine language, the ML is encoded in Data statements. Once you've typed in the program (use RUN's Checksum to catch errors in typing), save a copy before running it, because Unlockup resets the computer during its initialization and will wipe out the Basic program in memory.

When you run Unlockup, it's installed at the top of Basic memory and executes in the background while other programs are running. Load and run other programs as you normally would.

Now you're prepared for any lockup! When it happens, hold down the control key and tap restore. The computer will reset, and the C-64 power-up message will appear (with fewer bytes free, of course), along with the prompt, Do you want to un-New (y/n)?


To recover the Basic program, type Y; you'll see the Load command, but



nothing will be loaded. Instead, Basic is working to restore the lost line-links in the program you're recovering. Following the un-New operation, you can list and save your Basic program normally. In fact, if at some time you accidentally type NEW, you can recover your program by hitting control/restore and answering Y to the un-New query.

OTHER USEFUL FEATURES

In addition to its crash-recovery features, Unlockup re-enables the stop key and run-stop/restore combination (but is not itself disabled by run-stop/restore)

for Basic programs that would otherwise be disabled. You can also set Unlockup's default colors for Basic's Direct mode if you're tired of the C-64's default blue characters, screen and border colors—just change the numbers in the REM Data statements near the end of the Unlockup Basic loader. The current numbers display a dark-gray text, medium-gray border and light-gray background. 

James Host, a freelance programmer and technical writer, wrote educational assembly language programs currently in use on PC clones at a Los Angeles community college.

Listing 1. Unlockup program.

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Ø REM UN-LOCKUP BY JAMES HOST          NG ML, PLEASE WAIT..."
                                          :REM*41
1Ø POKE 52,127:POKE 56,127:CLR          5Ø J=4Ø4ØØ
                                          :REM*182
                                          6Ø READ A:IF A>-1 THEN POKE J,A
                                          :J=J+1:GOTO 6Ø
                                          :REM*136
2Ø PRINT "{SHFT CLR}AFTER ACTIV        7Ø SYS 4Ø4ØØ:END
   ATING "CHR$(34)"UN-LOCKUP"CH        :REM*88
   R$(34)" PRESS"                      :REM*182
3Ø PRINT "CONTROL/RESTORE TO RE       8Ø DATA 12Ø,162,255,154,32,132,
   SET YOUR COMPUTER." :REM*229        255,32,135,255,162,2Ø8,16Ø,1
4Ø RESTORE:PRINT"{CRSR DN}LOADI       57,24,32,153
                                          :REM*21Ø
                                          9Ø DATA 255,32,138,255,32,129,2
  
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100 DATA 32,208,173,194,159,141 ,33,208,169,8,141,38,3,169, 158,141,39,3,88 :REM*147	190 DATA 159,173,39,3,141,34,15 9,173,40,3,141,5,159,173,41 ,3,141,10,159 :REM*174	290 DATA 208,253,232,208,250,76 ,208,157,104,133,1,140,154, 159,104,168,104 :REM*241
110 DATA 108,0,160,8,120,72,138 ,72,152,72,32,138,255,173,0 ,3,141,246,158 :REM*98	200 DATA 173,24,3,141,106,159,1 73,25,3,141,107,159,169,248 ,141,38,3,169 :REM*187	300 DATA 170,104,76,0,0,32,145, 158,160,0,132,45,169,8,133, 46,162,0,177,45 :REM*165
120 DATA 173,1,3,141,247,158,16 9,49,141,0,3,169,158,141,1, 3,104,168,104 :REM*231	210 DATA 158,141,39,3,169,212,1 41,0,3,169,158,141,1,3,169, 0,141,154,159,88 :REM*77	310 DATA 208,7,232,224,3,240,12 ,208,2,162,0,230,45,208,239 ,230,46,208,235 :REM*59
130 DATA 170,104,40,108,38,3,8, 72,152,72,138,72,32,145,158 ,160,0,185,155 :REM*70	220 DATA 96,8,120,72,169,248,14 1,38,3,169,158,141,39,3,173 ,192,159,141,134 :REM*200	320 DATA 230,45,208,2,230,46,16 6,45,164,46,24,96,30,13,13, 32,68,79,32,89 :REM*186
140 DATA 159,240,6,32,210,255,2 00,208,245,32,228,255,201,7 8,240,6,201,89 :REM*171	230 DATA 2,173,193,159,141,32,2 08,173,194,159,141,33,208,1 04,40,76,0,0,8 :REM*217	330 DATA 79,85,32,87,65,78,84,3 2,84,79,32,85,78,45,78,69,8 7,32,40,89,47,78 :REM*225
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170 DATA 153,119,2,200,192,5,20 8,245,132,198,169,108,141,4 8,3,169,159,141 :REM*133	260 DATA 255,104,40,76,0,0,120, 72,169,55,133,1,104,64,120, 72,138,72,152,72 :REM*188	360 DATA 12:REM BORDER COLOR :REM*173
180 DATA 49,3,169,8,141,1,8,141 ,2,8,208,203,120,32,138,255	270 DATA 173,154,159,208,46,238 ,154,159,165,1,72,169,54,13 3,1,169,127,141 :REM*245	370 DATA 15:REM BACKGROUND COLO R :REM*20
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GEOWATCH

Create GEOS applications with *geoProgrammer*, a new assembly language development system.

By RANDY WINCHESTER

Back in 1986, when most C-64 applications were text-based and disk access was slow, the introduction of the GEOS operating system was a major event. Since 1987, Berkeley has been encouraging programmers to develop their own GEOS applications, but few of the available assemblers have been able to handle the detailed GEOS source code listings, and none of them have been able to produce an entire GEOS application.

To rectify this situation, Berkeley has released *geoProgrammer*, a scaled-down version of the programming environment in which they designed GEOS. Although it's scaled down, Berkeley claims that *geoProgrammer* provides nearly all the functions of their own system.

The package, which sells for \$69.95, consists of the *geoAssembler*, *geoLinker* and *geoDebugger* programs, sample source code for three GEOS applications and over 400 pages of documentation. Other files on the disk include complete listings of GEOS symbols, constants, routines and macros, as well as a memory map—everything necessary to begin programming.

The immense user's manual, written by Matthew G. Loveless, is exceptional. It clearly covers all the features of the assembler, linker and debugger, leads you step by step through production and debugging of a sample application and provides a 14-page glossary of programming terminology. The index is organized both by subject and alphabetically.

The manual also offers source code files for sample VLIR and sequential applications and a sample desk accessory. These programs, which aren't available from other sources, are included on the disk, too, and you're free to use them as the basis for your own applications.

GEOASSEMBLER

The heart of the *geoProgrammer* package is *geoAssembler*, which is responsible for reading assembly language source code and producing re-

locatable machine language object files. What makes *geoAssembler* distinctive is its use of resources in the GEOS environment. For instance, source code for *geoAssembler* is typed in with *geoWrite*, and all of the word processor's special features, such as various fonts and type styles, are available. Since assembly language is often repetitive, you'll find *geoWrite*'s cut-and-paste functions especially helpful for preparing source code.

Icons and other bitmap images you create with *geoPaint* can also be added to source code with *geoWrite*'s cut-and-paste functions. Whenever *geoAssembler* encounters a Photo Scrap, it translates the image into binary data. Incorporating graphics into a program has never been easier.

Source code for *geoAssembler* uses symbols, standard assembly language mnemonics and addressing modes. In a symbolic assembler, symbols can be defined to represent constants, variables and sections of code, such as subroutines. Unlike other assemblers, Berkeley's recognizes symbols up to 20 characters long and containing both upper- and lowercase characters.

Another time-saving feature of *geoAssembler* is its provision for macros, which are handy for such operations as moving a byte from one memory location to another.

GeoAssembler contains a built-in expression evaluator that's capable of 16-bit math and provides 26 math and logical operators, including such uncommon ones as bitwise ones-complement and modulus (remainder of integer division). The evaluator can also differentiate between logical and bitwise AND, OR and XOR operations.

Conditional assembly will let you assemble sections of code or not, depending on the values of expressions. In this way, different versions of your program can be assembled from the same source code. Conditional assembly is commonly used to include special code for test versions of a program.

GeoAssembler is one of the fastest assemblers ever written for the C-64.

Crunching a test file of 390 lines of source code took me 2½ minutes using a standard assembler, while this program took only 45 seconds—and that was with both the input and output files on disk. Assembly can go even faster when you exploit the high-speed input and output of a RAM expansion unit. In fact, a RAM expander is highly recommended for use with *geoProgrammer*.

When *geoAssembler* encounters errors during assembly, they're sent to an error file. The program produces 52 different error messages that are exceptionally descriptive, pointing out the exact spot in the source code where the error is located.

GEOLINKER

Unlike many assemblers, Berkeley's doesn't produce runnable programs directly, because all the object files it creates are relocatable. The files are adjusted to run in specific parts of memory by *geoLinker*. This program also can combine multiple object files into executable programs, enabling you to build a library of modules for performing common routines.

To simplify the linking of modules, *geoLinker* supports external references—symbols that reside in one module and are called from another. For example, your main application module might call a module to clear the screen. When *geoLinker* links such files, it resolves the external reference by assigning an address to the clear-screen subroutine. Atypical of linkers and assemblers, Berkeley's don't require that external references be declared.

Among *geoLinker*'s GEOS-specific functions are its ability to attach file headers and create VLIR applications. The header is the part of a file containing its deskTop icon and information about the file's purpose. VLIR applications consist of a main module with overlay modules that are loaded into memory as required. Before *geoProgrammer*, both of these structures were difficult to manipulate. Now, *geoLinker* links them automatically.

GeoLinker operates in much the

same way as geoAssembler. It accepts commands from a geoWrite file and produces a detailed error file if things go sour during the linking process.

GEODEBUGGER

Bugs are a fact of life for programmers, infesting even the most carefully planned code. However, geoDebugger provides the right tools to rout them out of your GEOS applications.

GeoDebugger is actually two programs in one. If you use a 1750 or 1764 RAM expander, double-clicking on the geoDebugger icon loads the full-featured Super-Debugger into expansion RAM. With this program's more than 80 commands, you can flip almost any bit in your computer.

Using geoWrite, you can create macros to add or alter Super-Debugger commands as desired. The macros may contain as many as 250 keystrokes and are loaded automatically when you run geoDebugger. If a macro named Auto-Exec is included in the macro file, it will configure geoDebugger to your liking during startup.

If you don't have a RAM expansion unit, you must use the alternative geoDebugger program, Mini-Debugger. It offers most of the functions of Super-Debugger, but because it resides in the computer's RAM, it may get in the way of the application you're debugging.

At first glance, geoDebugger looks much like the monitor program built into the C-128. However, it provides additional features, such as commands for reading disk sectors into a buffer, altering them and then writing them back to disk.

The operation of geoDebugger is reminiscent of some of the software-transparent memory dump and screen dump cartridges that halt a program to carry out their functions. It sits out of harm's way in the RAM expander (or an unused part of memory, if you're using Mini-Debugger) and gives the program you're debugging free reign of the computer.

GeoDebugger maintains its own screen. You can toggle between it and

your application screen by pressing the F7 key.

Disassembling an application with geoDebugger is a pleasure. During linking, geoLinker sends symbols and their addresses to a debugging file, then geoDebugger fetches them from this file while disassembling. As a result, the disassembled code closely resembles the original source code.

SUMMARY

The geoProgrammer programs are relatively bug-free, but I did encounter a couple of aggravations in using them. First, in spite of all the commands available in geoDebugger, there's no way to send output to a printer. I sorely missed this function, which is basic in many simple monitors.

Second, and even more bothersome, is the way files are replaced without warning during saves. If you want to preserve an assembled version of an application, you must rename it or transfer it to another disk; otherwise you'll lose it during the next assembly. GeoLinker suffers from the same problem. If you specify the same name for your output file as your source code file, your source code will be overwritten when the file is linked—and you'll never get it back!

There were problems with both geoAssembler and geoLinker in the first version of geoProgrammer to be shipped, but Berkeley released patches to make them run properly. Interestingly enough, geoDebugger is used to install the patches. The patch file is available on QuantumLink.

In spite of these glitches, geoProgrammer is an excellent package. It combines powerful, easy-to-use programming tools and a thorough, clearly written manual into a complete assembly language development system that should meet the needs of even the most demanding programmer. ■

Randy Winchester has been writing GEOS applications for a year and a half. His first utility, SEQ—TextScrap, is available on QuantumLink and BBSs.

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TELECOMPUTING WORKSHOP

Who broke this BBS? Also, shop, get stock reports and go prospecting, all on a bulletin board system.

By DAVID BRADLEY

BBS'S WITH AN UNUSUAL TWIST are the first subject of this month's Telecomputing Workshop. One of them you can run yourself; the others are online, ready to receive your call.

First, Matchmaker Enterprises, producer of the Dial-Your-Match BBS software I mentioned last month, also sells a BBS program called Fantasy Plaza that runs an online shopping mall. The manual included with the package is thorough, and the system is efficient and easy to run. While the files that make up the system are stored on disk, orders for products are stored on datasette tape. This probably seems surprising, but it ensures that you won't run out of space if a lot of messages or orders come in. For more information about Fantasy Plaza, write to Matchmaker Enterprises, PO Box 6055, Burbank, CA 91510.

Speaking of shopping, if you'd like to browse online instead of tending the store, call the SunCoast Shopping System, a 300-baud BBS open around the clock at 813-924-7113 in Florida. Log on, look around and make some online purchases.

If you're a prospector or rockhound, there's a BBS in Moscow, Pennsylvania, just for you. Called Indian Affairs, it can be reached at 717-842-6605 any hour of day or night, and it operates at both 300 and 1200 baud. When you get there, leave a message for The Indian.

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Robyn Marcus updates a list of Commodore BBSs in and around Dallas, Texas, on a weekly basis. If you do the same or similar in your area, or would like his list, give Robyn's BBS a call anytime. The number is 214-570-3930.

THE GOOD AND THE BAD...

After reading about the TCM-1200H modem from Trans Com in last No-

vember's Telecomputing Workshop, Frederick R. Claus of Frankfort, Kentucky, decided to take the 1200-baud plunge. The modem arrived three days after he ordered it, and he's "extremely pleased with its operation." He also likes the public domain software, MultiTerm, that came with it. In case you're not familiar with this modem, it's a Hayes clone that comes out of the box ready to be plugged into the user port of a Commodore computer—and it costs less than \$150.

If you use the Data-Net public domain BBS program and are interested in getting updates, write to Spencer Ray, PO Drawer "0"-C7, Milledgeville, GA 31061-0380.

Sylvia Payne, of Rio Piedras, Puerto Rico, wrote me a sad letter outlining how her system had been damaged by lightning and asking if lightning insurance is available for computers. The large insurance firms I spoke to all said that normal home policies cover lightning damage to computers and that the typical coverage is around \$2000. This amount can usually be increased if you want, but, of course, it'll cost a bit more.

Sylvia says she saw an ad for insurance a long time ago, but decided that lightning damage could never happen to her... Now, whenever the sky threatens, she unplugs everything. It's cheaper to shut down for a while than lose your work and your computer!

This month's reader questions begin with one about BBS liability:

Q *I have a Telelearning modem, a C-64, a 1541 disk drive and an 1802 color monitor. Recently, I logged onto a BBS, talked for about a half hour, then logged off. Later, the SYSOP called me on the phone to say I'd broken his board. I had no problems while I was logged on, the only files I accessed were the user list and the password change option, and I'd never had any problems with his BBS before. The SYSOP wants me to pay for the damage, but I refuse; I don't think I could have broken his system. Am I right?*

—JAMES SCHOCH
EWING, NJ

A I don't see how you could have "broken" his BBS. Even if his disk drive had burst into flames (not to be confused with Burst mode on the 1571/81), I don't know of any command you could have entered or magic words you could have chanted that might be responsible. Probably, something like a disk error just happened to pop up while you were online.

Q *I started in telecommunications by buying Q-Link's special package that includes a free Commodore 1660 modem. The only software they sent with it was their own, and now I want to access other services. I've read that you're not enthusiastic about Common Sense, so what program would you suggest and where can I get it?*

—THOMAS HAWKINS
NORTH CLARENDON, VT

A A lot of fine terminal programs for the 1660 are available in the public domain. If you're still on Q-Link, look in the Telecommunications libraries or the TPUG area in the User Group Support area of the Commodore Information Network. You can also order 1660 programs from the public domain sources listed on pages 71 and 85 in last April's *RUN*.

The reason I don't recommend Common Sense isn't the program—some users love it. However, the manual is confusing and usually frustrating to beginners. It would have been nice if the people who wrote the manual had a bit of "common sense."

Q *I'm planning to start a BBS. Where can I get good commercial or public domain bulletin board software?*

—DON FERRARO
UPPER DARBY, PA

A Get the April 1988 issue of *RUN*, and on page 44 you'll find a list of commercial BBS programs and where to get them. You can also refer to the lists of public domain software suppliers in the same issue. ▶

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Q My system includes a 64C, two 1541s and a Commodore 1650 modem, and I use the Cesars Term V2.3 terminal program with it. I'm thoroughly pleased with the software, except for the fact that it won't tone dial. I've tried everything, but to no avail. Is there a way to tell the program my modem is a 1670, or the like, running at 300 baud? Then I'd be able to tone dial.

—WALKER MCWEE
ADDRESS UNKNOWN

A Your problem isn't in the software. The 1650 is a pulse-dialing modem only, so it just can't dial with tones, and telling the program you have a 1670 won't do any good. However, there is a small public domain program that might help. Written by Bob Huff, it creates tones through the 64's SID chip. To use it, you must hold your phone over the speaker in your monitor and then listen for a carrier. The program is available on a TPUG (Toronto PET Users Group) disk. I know, because I put it there. You can contact TPUG at 5300 Yonge St., Toronto, Ontario, Canada M2N 5R2; 416-733-2933.

Q About six months ago, I decided to buy a Commodore 1670 modem, but I haven't been able to find one anywhere. Can you tell me where to look?

—JUDAH HILL
MESA, AZ

A The 1670 wasn't being marketed for a while, but many places have them now. Q-Link, for instance, is selling 1670s for \$79.95. I don't know if this is a fresh batch of modems or a bunch Commodore forgot about in their warehouse, but they're available.

Q Am I dreaming, or did I see a reference in your column to a user in Toronto who adapted her 1670 modem so it would work with an MS-DOS machine?

—DAVE FRASER
ST. PETER'S, NOVA SCOTIA, CANADA

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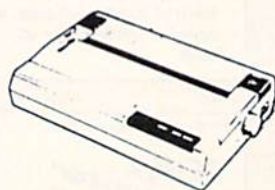
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PROGRAMMING

Q I've written a C-128 program that needs to know the name of the 1571 disk so it will be able to print out the disk name, along with other data, to the printer. The trouble is, I can't figure out how to do it! Any ideas?

—JOHN SCHUELER
SEDONA, AZ

A It's quite easy, and there are a number of ways to do it. The easiest is to open a channel to the drive and read the directory, just as you would a program. Here's a short Basic program that reads the disk name into a variable. With a little more work, it could probably be used to read the entire disk directory, along with all the file types and file sizes.

```
10 REM READ A DISK NAME
20 OPEN 1,8,0,"$"
30 FOR I=0 TO 24
40 GET#1,A$:IF A$="" THEN A$=
  CHR$(0)
50 D$=D$+A$:NEXT
60 CLOSE 1
70 D$+MID$(D$,9,16)
80 PRINT D$
```

This works on any 1541, 1571 or 1581 drive. It reads in enough information to get just the disk name, then, using the MID\$ function, it makes D\$ equal to the data that's found between the double quotes at the top of your disk directory. This is the disk name, and it's always 16 characters long.

Q What is the purpose of the REM* statements at the end of each line of code in programs listed in RUN?

—Y. RUBINSON
DES PLAINES, IL

A They're used with RUN's Checksum program, which catches errors you may type into a listing. Those REM* statements are followed by a number, called a checksum. Don't type

in the REM* or the number that follows. Instead, when you have the Checksum program installed in memory and type in a program line, a number is printed to the screen. If the number matches the number following the REM*, you've correctly entered that line; if not, there's an error in the line that needs correcting. The Checksum program replaced our old Perfect Typist program in January 1988. It and the instructions for using it appear in every issue.

Q I have a C-128, 1541 and Okidata 120 printer. I'm pretty new to computing, and I can't figure out how to list a Basic 7.0 program to my printer. I've tried the Open command, but it isn't working quite right. What I need is explicit instructions!

—G. STOJHOVIC III
PHOENIX, AZ

A As Alf would say, "No problem!" All you need to do is load the Basic program, then, with your printer on, type the following in Direct mode. (Direct mode means just type it and press return.)

```
OPEN 4,4,7:CMD 4:LIST:PRINT#4:CLOSE 4
```

Your program will be printed on your printer, just as it appears on the screen. The only exceptions will be Quote-mode commands, which, depending on your printer's interface, will be translated into either ASCII sequences or graphics characters.

Q When I'm creating high-resolution graphics on my C-64, I have a problem positioning pixels of different colors next to each other—the first colored dot changes to the new color! Why does that happen, and what can I do about it?

—LEE RUMSEY
LONG BEACH, CA

A The problem you're experiencing is known as "color bleed." The way C-64 (and C-128) graphics are generated

by the VIC chip allows two colors per color cell, one foreground and one background color. The color cell is an 8×8-pixel matrix. So, any attempt to change even one dot within the 8×8 area results in all foreground pixels (or all background pixels, depending on which color you're using) changing to the current color. There's nothing you can do about it when using the hi-res 320×200 Graphics mode.

If you use Multicolor Graphics mode, you can have up to four different colors per cell, but there are also some drawbacks to using this mode. The screen resolution reduces to 160×200, giving a coarser display, and the color cell becomes horizontally smaller—a 4×8-pixel matrix. Each pixel has twice the width as in Hi-Res mode.

Q I was intrigued by your numeric format program in the March 1988 Commodore Clinic. I've made some enhancements to it and corrected a couple of minor bugs that were due to the math bug you described. The result is an improved version you might be interested in passing on to your readers.

```
10 PRINT "X = ";INPUT Y
20 GOSUB 50
30 PRINT Y,X$
40 GOTO 10
50 X=Y*100:X=INT(X+.0001):X=X/100
60 X$=STR$(X):T=X-INT(X):IF T=0
  THEN X$=X$+"00":GOTO 80
70 V$=STR$(INT(X*10+0)):U=
  VAL(V$):S$=STR$(X*10):R=VAL(S$)
75 Z=R-U:IF Z=0 THEN X$+X$+"0"
80 FOR J=1 TO (10-LEN(X$)):X$=" "+
  X$:NEXT
90 RETURN
```

—HERBERT WALLER
HICKSVILLE, NY

A Thanks, Herb. The original formatting program generated quite a few letters, and a number of readers sent along their own versions. Evidently a good many have also been experimenting with the math bug. If anyone solves the math-bug problem, drop us a line.

SOFTWARE

Q I've been using the HesWare Omnewriter program without a problem for the past few years, but it's occurred to me that perhaps I should get a backup of the program. I've tried contacting the company without success. Can you tell me how to reach them?

—MORTON DIVACK
JACKSON HEIGHTS, NY

A HesWare (Human Engineered Software) has been out of business for some time, so you won't be able to buy a backup from them. However, since you are a legitimate owner of an original disk, you have the right to make one backup copy for your own use. The Omnewriter disk is copy-protected, so you'll need a copy program that can make a backup of copy-protected software.

Q I have a C-64/1541 system and just recently added a 1581 as a second drive. Do I need a special copier to back up my 1541 disks to the 1581 format?

—D. JOHNSON
LOS ANGELES, CA

A The 1581 places the directory in a different location than the 1541 (and 1571), so you can't use a whole-disk backup program to copy your 1541 disks. You need a program that copies the disk file by file, and a good one that's simple to use is Jim Butterfield's Copy/All 64. This program should already be on your 1541 Test Demo disk, as well as being available in every user's group library and on almost any BBS or computer network (GENie, Quantum-Link, CompuServe, etc.).

Q I do a lot of cooking, and I'm always coming across new recipes to try out. Before I write down another recipe and forget where I put it, I think this would be a good time to bring the trusty C-64 into the kitchen. My "C-64 dollar question": Is there a pro-

gram specifically written for the gourmet cook for filing recipes? Thanks for your help!

—C. SHAW
DARIEN, CT

A I checked the back issues of *RUN* and, sure enough, in the July '87 News and New Products there was an entry for a program called The Recipe Filer and Serving Converter. This program lets you enter recipes, file them away for later recall, print them out on the screen or to a printer and even allows you to scale the amount of ingredients to fit the number of servings you need. It's available from Microcraft, 9245 Washington, Brookfield, IL 60513 for about \$10.

Incidentally, back when I was spending many hours every night trying to persuade my wife, Sharon, to let me buy a home computer, one of my regular arguments was that I would write just such a program for her. Since I never did, it looks like I'll have to send a check off for this one myself.

HARDWARE

Q I have a C-64 and plan to upgrade to the C-128D. I've heard of the 1750 RAM expansion cartridge and am wondering if it works with the 128D. Also, does it work with GEOS, perhaps by allowing more of the program to remain in memory? If I get a 1581 drive, can I transfer my protected programs to it?

—ANN BRANSTETTER
LAUREL, MT

A The 1750 adds an additional 512K of memory to the C-128, which is a really impressive upgrade. It does have its limits, though, because it doesn't directly increase the memory allowed for executable programs. Instead, it acts as a storage area for programs and data. However, because of its ability to make extremely high-speed direct memory transfers (DMAs) between the C-128 and the 1750, programs

and data can be loaded into the RAM expansion unit and then transferred into the computer when needed. The usefulness of this becomes evident when using GEOS, as it can practically eliminate the bothersome (and slow) disk accesses you normally encounter.

The 1581 drive can also be used with GEOS 128 (although, at this writing, not with GEOS 64), providing very high speed with 800K storage. You can't copy most protected programs to the 1581, because it's quite different from the 1541 and 1571, but unprotected programs usually work with the 1581, and many protected programs (like GEOS 128) can use it for data storage.

Q I've read that the empty ROM socket in the C-128 is mapped into memory locations \$8000-\$FFFF, and that memory expansion is in the same locations. I had planned on buying the Basic 8 ROM chip and the 1750 RAM expansion unit for use with Basic 8 and GEOS 128. Will the ROM interfere with the REU?

—F. KRANZ, JR.
SEYMOUR, WI

A There's no conflict between the Basic 8 ROM chip and the 1750 REU. The ROM is unused and transparent unless installed into memory during system startup by holding down the control key. It works well with the 1750 REU, and, when not activated, doesn't interfere with any known software. ■

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LEARN TO WALK BEFORE YOU RUN

WE RECEIVE MANY LETTERS from new Commodore owners who want to type in program listings from *RUN* and need help in getting started. To answer many of the questions novice users have, we present the following guidelines.

1. First, keep in mind that as a beginner you should enter only short Basic programs. Avoid machine language listings and lengthy Basic programs until you get the hang of what you're doing.
2. To help you catch mistakes in typing in listings, we publish *RUN*'s Checksum program elsewhere in this issue.
3. If you intend to save the program you're typing in on a brand new disk, you must format that disk. To do this, insert the disk in your drive and type:

```
OPEN15,8,15 <press return>  
PRINT#15,"N0:NAME,##" <press return>
```

The ## is a two-character identifier that can be any combination of letters or digits. NAME can be any title for the disk that you choose, as long as it's 16 characters or less.

After entering the above lines, wait for a few minutes while the disk spins inside the drive. When the disk stops, the formatting is done. Then type:

```
CLOSE15 <press return>
```

In 128 mode on a C-128, you can shorten this procedure by typing:

```
HEADER "NAME,##" <press return>
```

Caution: The formatting process erases any material already on the disk, so if you're formatting a used disk, make sure it doesn't contain any programs you want to keep. See item 11 below, on reading the disk directory, if you need to find out what's on the disk.

4. Before you start typing in a program listing, your computer's memory needs to be empty. To make sure it is, turn the computer off, wait a few seconds, and turn it on again.
5. As you type in the listing, remember to press the return key after typing each line. This enters the line into memory.
6. If you want to review what you've entered, type LIST and press the return key; all the lines you've entered will scroll by. You can slow the scrolling on the C-64 by holding down the control key, and on the C-128 by pressing the no-scroll key. To view certain specific lines, type LIST, followed by the line numbers you want; then press the return key. For example, LIST 10-50 displays lines 10 through 50, and LIST 20 displays only line 20.
7. If you find an error in a line, delete the incorrect characters with the insert-delete key, then retype that portion and press return to enter the new line in memory.

8. Be sure to save the program to disk fairly often during the typing process. Otherwise, you could lose all your work if a power glitch wipes out your computer's memory. To save a partial or complete Basic program listing, type:

```
SAVE "NAME",8 <press return>
```

In 128 mode on a C-128, you can press F5, type in NAME and press the return key. Here, NAME is the filename you want the program to have, not the disk name you used when formatting.

Each time you save a revised program to the same disk, you must change its filename, or a disk error will occur, even if only one character is changed. An easy way to vary the filename is by adding version numbers to the end of the basic name (Program.1 and Program.2, for example). The numbers will also tell you which version is the latest.

9. If you wish to erase (scratch) unwanted programs from a disk, type:

```
OPEN15,8,15 <press return>  
PRINT#15,"S0:filename" <press return and wait a few seconds>  
CLOSE15 <press return>
```

In 128 mode on a C-128, you can type:

```
SCRATCH "NAME" <press return>
```

Be sure not to erase the final version!

10. Always save the final version of a program to two disks, so you have a backup copy in case one of the disks gets damaged. When saving to two different disks, you can use the same program name in each case.

11. To view a complete list of the filenames on a disk (i.e., read the disk directory), type:

```
LOAD "$",8 <press return>  
LIST <press return>
```

In 128 mode on a C-128, you can just press F3.

12. When you know what program you want to load, next make sure you know *exactly* how its filename is spelled in the disk directory, including punctuation, special characters and spaces. A mistake in the filename will keep the load from working.

If the disk directory is still on the screen when you enter the Load command, you can refer to that for the spelling. If the directory will be gone from the screen by the time you enter the Load command, jot down the exact spelling of the filename for reference. Once you're sure of the filename, load the program by typing:

```
LOAD "NAME",8 <press return>
```

In 128 mode on a C-128, you can just press F2, type in the filename and press the return key.

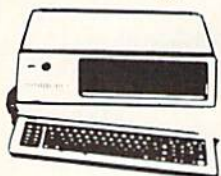
13. After you've loaded the program, enter RUN to use it. ■

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180 PRINT" {4 SPACES} {SHFT J} {8
  SHFT *s} {COMD E} {21 SHFT *s
  } {SHFT K} {CTRL 1}":RETURN
  :REM*195
190 IN$="" :REM*75
200 PRINT" {COMD I} {CRSR LF}";:G
  OSUB100:A=ASC(A$):B=LEN(IN$
  ):IFA=13THENPRINT" {CRSR LF
  }":RETURN :REM*24
210 IFA=20THENIFBTHENPRINT" {2
  CRSR LFs}";:IN$=LEFT$(IN$,B
  -1):GOTO200 :REM*177
220 IF(A AND127)<32OR(B>IL)THEN
  200 :REM*252
230 PRINTA$;:IN$=IN$+A$:GOTO200
  :REM*79
240 IFDU%<7THENDU%=8 :REM*216
250 CLOSE15:OPEN15,DU%,15
  :REM*78
260 IF(C6)THENBANK0:GOSUB270:BA
  NK15:RETURN:REM C-128 ONLY!
  :REM*39
270 QX%=PEEK(SC+1023):RETURN
  :REM*239
280 GOSUB300:IF(E0)THEN410
  :REM*30
290 RETURN :REM*177
300 INPUT#15,E0,E1$,E2,E3:RETUR
  N :REM*81
310 HI=INT(QR/256):LO=QR-(HI*25
  6):RETURN :REM*125
320 POKE255,FF:IF(C6)THEN340
  :REM*66
330 A$=IN$:SYS49158:RETURN
  :REM*200
340 QR=POINTER(IN$):GOSUB310:PO
  KE254,HI:POKE253,LO:SYS4870
  :RETURN :REM*104
350 POKE255,DU% :REM*178
360 A$=IN$:SYS49170:GOTO280
  :REM*137
370 PRINT" {SHFT CLR} {2 CRSR DN$
  } FILENAME:" :REM*253
380 IL=16:GOSUB190:IFIN$=""THEN
  E0=1:RETURN :REM*12
390 IFIN$=""$"THENGOSUB1720:GOTO
  370 :REM*70
400 OPEN8,DU%,8,IN$+",S, "+TF$:G
  OTO280 :REM*12
410 PRINTJ$"DISK ERROR: "+STR$(
  E0)+", "+E1$+", "+STR$(E2)+
  ", "+STR$(E3):GOTO90:REM*31
420 GOSUB 440 :REM*246
430 A=NF%+1:DIM FF$(A),NF$(A),F
  T$(A),FL$(A),NP$(A),FC$(51)
  ,QS(51):RETURN :REM*172
440 IF(C6)THENPOKE51,PEEK(49):P
  OKE52,PEEK(50):RETURN
  :REM*245
450 POKE49,PEEK(47):POKE50,PEEK
  (48):RETURN :REM*190
460 GOSUB570 :REM*44
470 FORX=1TONP%:Y=NP%(X):PRINT
  NF$(Y)+" :"+FF$(Y):NEXTX:RE
  TURN :REM*179
480 TF$="R":GOSUB550:IF(E0)THEN
  540 :REM*78
490 PRINT:GOSUB460:CLOSE8:INPUT
  "{2 CRSR DN$} {CTRL 3} IS THI
  S IT? {CTRL 1} N {4 CRSR LFs
  }":A$:RETURN :REM*133
500 CLOSE8:OPEN8,DU%,8,"/"+DB$+
  ",S,R":GOSUB280:IFE0THENDB$
  ="":GOTO540 :REM*220
510 INPUT#8,NF%:INPUT#8,NP%:GOS
  UB430 :REM*147
520 FORX=0TONF%:INPUT#8,NF$(X):
  INPUT#8,FT$(X):INPUT#8,FL$(
  X):INPUT#8,NP%(X) :REM*168
530 NEXTX :REM*71
540 CLOSE8:RETURN :REM*200
550 PRINT" {SHFT CLR} {CTRL N} {2
  CRSR DN$} {CTRL 3} DOCUMENT N
  AME: {CTRL 1}";:GOTO380
  :REM*115
560 FORX=1TONP%:Y=NP%(X):PRINT#
  8,CHR$(34)+FF$(Y):NEXTX:RET
  URN :REM*153
570 FORX=1TONP%:Y=NP%(X):INPUT#
  8,FF$(Y):NEXTX:RETURN
  :REM*138
580 BLOAD(IN$,B0,U(DU%),P39936
  :BANK15:REM C-128 ONLY
  :REM*47
590 SYS(ML+15):NF%=PEEK(255):IF
  (NF%)THENNPF%=NF%-1 :REM*178
600 RETURN :REM*228
610 P$=CHR$(13)+" {8 SPACES}":GO
  SUB240:GOSUB120:PRINT" {HOME
  }":PRINT" {4 SPACES} {CRSR RT
  } {CTRL 9} {2 SPACES} FORM {2 S
  PACES} {CTRL 0} :REM*244
620 PRINT" {4 SPACES} {CRSR RT} {C
  TRL 9} WRITER {CTRL 0}
  :REM*204
630 PRINT" {4 SPACES} {CRSR RT} {C
  TRL 9} {8 SPACES} {CTRL 0} {3
  CRSR RT$} {CTRL 3} {CTRL 9} {4
  SPACES} MAIN MENU {CTRL 1}
  :REM*101
640 PRINT" {4 SPACES} {CRSR RT} {C
  TRL 9} {3 SPACES} BY {3 SPACES
  } {CTRL 0} :REM*134
650 PRINT" {4 SPACES} {CRSR RT} {C
  TRL 9} T. BROWN {CTRL 0} {2 CR
  SR DN$}" :REM*79
660 PRINTP$" < 1 > {2 SPACES} = {2
  SPACES} FORM EDITOR "P$" {CRSR
  DN} < 2 > {2 SPACES} = {2 SPAC
  Es} DATA BASE :REM*179
670 PRINTP$" < 3 > {2 SPACES} = {2
  SPACES} PRINTER "P$" {CRSR DN}
  < 4 > {2 SPACES} = {2 SPACES} D
  ISK DRIVE :REM*146
680 FF=0:GOSUB100:ON(VAL(A$)) G
  OTO950,1040,710,860:REM*171
690 GOTO610 :REM*254
700 STOP :REM*79
710 GOSUB120:PRINT" {HOME}":PRIN
  T" {4 SPACES} {CRSR RT} {CTRL
  9} {8 SPACES} {CTRL 0} :REM*6
720 PRINT" {4 SPACES} {CRSR RT} {C
  TRL 9} {CTRL 0} : {4 SPACES}
  {CTRL 9} {CTRL 0} :REM*107
730 PRINT" {4 SPACES} {CRSR RT} {C
  TRL 9} {CTRL 0} : {4 SPACES}
  {CTRL 9} {CTRL 0} {3 CRSR RT
  $} {CTRL 3} {CTRL 9} {2 SPACES
  } PRINTER {2 SPACES} MENU {CTRL
  1} :REM*97
740 PRINT" {4 SPACES} {CRSR RT} {C
  TRL 9} {COMD Q} {CTRL 0} {6 CO
  MD Os} {CTRL 9} {COMD W} {CTRL
  0} :REM*92
750 PRINT" {4 SPACES} {CRSR RT} {C
  TRL 9} {COMD Z} {6 SHFT *s} {C
  OMD X} {CTRL 0} {2 CRSR DN$}"
  :REM*58
760 IFDB$=""THEN840 :REM*200
770 GOSUB260:IF(QX%<123)THEN19
  00 :REM*93
780 PRINT" {CRSR DN} {CTRL 3} CURR
  ENT DBASE: {CTRL 5}"+DB$
  :REM*229
790 PRINTP$" {2 CRSR LFs} {CTRL 1
  } < 1 > {2 SPACES} = {2 SPACES}
  CHANGE DATA BASE "P$" {CRSR D
  N} {2 CRSR LFs} < 2 > {2 SPACE
  s} = {2 SPACES} LOAD A FORM
  :REM*219
800 PRINTP$" {2 CRSR LFs} < 3 > {2
  SPACES} = {2 SPACES} FILL FRO
  M DATA BASE "P$" {CRSR DN} {2
  CRSR LFs} < 4 > {2 SPACES} = {2
  SPACES} FILL FROM KEYBOARD
  :REM*78
810 PRINTP$" {2 CRSR LFs} < 5 > {2
  SPACES} = {2 SPACES} PRINT A
  BLANK FORM "P$" {CRSR DN} {2 C
  RSR LFs} < 6 > {2 SPACES} = {2
  SPACES} SET PRINTER CODES
  :REM*89
820 GOSUB100:ON(VAL(A$)) GOTO12
  70,1900,1280,1310,1320,1330
  :REM*23
830 GOTO610 :REM*131
840 GOSUB2350:IFDB$=""THEN610
  :REM*50
850 GOTO710 :REM*153
860 GOSUB120:PRINT" {HOME}":PRIN
  T" {4 SPACES} {CRSR RT} {CTRL
  9} {7 SPACES} {COMD D} {CTRL 0}
  :REM*89
870 PRINT" {4 SPACES} {CRSR RT} {C
  TRL 9} {3 SPACES} {SHFT U} {SH
  FT I} {3 SPACES} {CTRL 0}
  :REM*14
880 PRINT" {4 SPACES} {CRSR RT} {C
  TRL 9} {3 SPACES} {SHFT J} {SH
  FT K} {3 SPACES} {CTRL 0} {2 C
  RSR RT$} {CTRL 3} {CTRL 9} {2
  SPACES} DISK DRIVE MENU {2 SP
  ACES} {CTRL 0} {CTRL 1}
  :REM*85
890 PRINT" {4 SPACES} {CRSR RT} {C
  TRL 9} {3 SPACES} {CTRL 0} {CO
  MD K} {CTRL 9} {COMD K} {3 SPA
  CES} {CTRL 0} :REM*110
900 PRINT" {4 SPACES} {CRSR RT} {C
  TRL 9} {3 SPACES} {COMD C} {CO
  MD V} {3 SPACES} {CTRL 0} {2 C
  RSR DN$}" :REM*147
910 PRINTP$" < 1 > {2 SPACES} = {2
  SPACES} DIRECTORY "P$" {CRSR
  DN} < 2 > {2 SPACES} = {2 SPACE
  s} DOS COMMANDS" :REM*26
920 PRINTP$" < 3 > {2 SPACES} = {2
  
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SPACES}ERROR CHANNEL"          1110 PRINTP$"{CTRL 1}{CRSR DN}<
:REM*118                          1 >{2 SPACES}={2 SPACES}O
930 GOSUB100:ON(VAL(A$)) GOTO17  PEN A DATA BASE"P$"{CRSR D
10,1750,1780 :REM*235             N}< 2 >{2 SPACES}={2 SPACE
940 GOTO610 :REM*241             s}ADD A RECORD" :REM*250
950 GOSUB120:PRINT"{HOME}":PRIN 1120 PRINTP$"< 3 >{2 SPACES}={2
T"{4 SPACES}{CRSR RT}{CTRL      SPACES}DELETE A RECORD"P$
9){COMD A}{3 SHFT *s}{COMD      "{CRSR DN}< 4 >{2 SPACES}={
S}{2 SPACES}{CTRL 0}           {2 SPACES}CHANGE A RECORD"
:REM*139                          :REM*243
960 PRINT"{4 SPACES}{CRSR RT}{C 1130 PRINTP$"< 5 >{2 SPACES}={2
TRL 9){SHFT -}{3 SPACES}{C      SPACES}VIEW A RECORD"
OMD Q}{COMD S}{CTRL 0}         :REM*181
:REM*141                          1140 GOSUB100:ON(VAL(A$)) GOTO2
970 PRINT"{4 SPACES}{CRSR RT}{C  340,2390,2410,2430,2470
TRL 9){SHFT -}{3 SPACES}{2      :REM*235
SHFT -s}{CTRL 0}{2 CRSR R      1150 GOTO610 :REM*192
Ts}{CTRL 3}{CTRL 9} FORM/FI    1160 GOSUB2350:IFDB$=""THEN610
ELD EDITOR {CTRL 0}{CTRL 1}    :REM*109
" :REM*234                          1170 GOTO1040 :REM*202
980 PRINT"{4 SPACES}{CRSR RT}{C 1180 IL=2:PRINT"{SHFT CLR}{CTRL
TRL 9){COMD Z}{COMD R}{2 S      1}{2 CRSR DN}s)MONTH (1-12
HFT *s){COMD X}{SHFT -}{CT      ): " :REM*233
RL 0} :REM*194                      1190 GOSUB190:MO=VAL(IN$):IFMO<
990 PRINT"{4 SPACES}{CRSR RT}{C  1ORMO>12THENMO=1 :REM*133
TRL 9){2 SPACES}{COMD Z}{3      1200 PRINT"{2 CRSR DN}s)DAY (1-3
SHFT *s){COMD X}{CTRL 0}{2      1): " :GOSUB190:DA=VAL(IN$
CRSR DN}s" :REM*12                ):IFDA<1ORDA>31THENDA=1
1000 PRINTP$"< 1 >{2 SPACES}={2  :REM*38
SPACES}CREATE NEW FORM"P$      1210 POKE1021,MO:POKE1022,DA:DU
"{CRSR DN}< 2 >{2 SPACES}=      %=PEEK(186) :REM*73
{2 SPACES}EDIT OLD FORM"      POKE787,123 :REM*73
:REM*195                          1230 IF(C6)THENBLOAD"EDITOR.128
1010 PRINTP$"< 3 >{2 SPACES}={2  ML",U(DU%):BANK15:GOTO20:
SPACES}LOAD A FORM"P$"{CR      REM C128 ONLY :REM*124
SR DN}< 4 >{2 SPACES}={2 S
PACES}SAVE A FORM":REM*150
1020 FL=1:GOSUB100:ON(VAL(A$))
GOTO1800,1810,1920,1870
:REM*215
1030 GOTO610 :REM*72
1040 GOSUB120:PRINT"{HOME}":PRI
NT"{4 SPACES}{CRSR RT}{CTR
L 9){COMD A}{SHFT *}{COMD
S}{5 SPACES}{CTRL 0}
:REM*10
1050 PRINT"{4 SPACES}{CRSR RT}{
CTRL 9){SHFT -}{COMD Q}{C
OMD S}{COMD A}{SHFT *}{CO
MD S}{CTRL 0} :REM*102
1060 PRINT"{4 SPACES}{CRSR RT}{
CTRL 9){COMD Z}{COMD R}{CO
MD X}{SHFT -}{LEFT ARROW}{
SHFT -}{SHFT W}{SHFT -}{CT
RL 0}{2 CRSR RTs}{CTRL 3}{
CTRL 9}{3 SPACES}DATA BASE
MENU{2 SPACES}{CTRL 0}{CT
RL 1} :REM*140
1070 PRINT"{4 SPACES}{CRSR RT}{
CTRL 9){COMD Z}{SHFT *}{C
OMD X}{COMD Z}{COMD E}{CO
MD X}{CTRL 0} :REM*215
1080 PRINT"{4 SPACES}{CRSR RT}{
CTRL 9){8 SPACES}{CTRL 0}{
2 CRSR DN}s :REM*118
1090 IFDB$=""THEN1160 :REM*85
1100 PRINT"{CRSR DN}{CTRL 3}CUR
RENT DBASE: {CTRL 5}"+DB$
:REM*154
PRINTP$"{CTRL 1}{CRSR DN}<
1 >{2 SPACES}={2 SPACES}O
PEN A DATA BASE"P$"{CRSR D
N}< 2 >{2 SPACES}={2 SPACE
s}ADD A RECORD" :REM*250
PRINTP$"< 3 >{2 SPACES}={2
SPACES}DELETE A RECORD"P$
"{CRSR DN}< 4 >{2 SPACES}={
2 SPACES}CHANGE A RECORD"
:REM*243
PRINTP$"< 5 >{2 SPACES}={2
SPACES}VIEW A RECORD"
:REM*181
GOSUB100:ON(VAL(A$)) GOTO2
340,2390,2410,2430,2470
:REM*235
GOTO610 :REM*192
GOSUB2350:IFDB$=""THEN610
:REM*109
GOTO1040 :REM*202
IL=2:PRINT"{SHFT CLR}{CTRL
1}{2 CRSR DN}s)MONTH (1-12
): " :REM*233
GOSUB190:MO=VAL(IN$):IFMO<
1ORMO>12THENMO=1 :REM*133
PRINT"{2 CRSR DN}s)DAY (1-3
1): " :GOSUB190:DA=VAL(IN$
):IFDA<1ORDA>31THENDA=1
:REM*38
POKE1021,MO:POKE1022,DA:DU
%=PEEK(186) :REM*73
POKE787,123 :REM*73
IF(C6)THENBLOAD"EDITOR.128
ML",U(DU%):BANK15:GOTO20:
REM C128 ONLY :REM*124
LOAD"EDITOR.64 ML",DU%,1
:REM*155
DU%=PEEK(186):ML=49152:SC=
39936:C6=PEEK(1023):IF(C6)
THENML=4864 :REM*175
MO=PEEK(1021):DA=PEEK(1022
):PD=4:PS=7:PT=5:J$=CHR$(1
3):GOTO60 :REM*113
GOSUB2350:GOTO710 :REM*162
GOSUB480:IF(E0)OR(A$<>"Y")
THEN1300 :REM*29
GOSUB2490:GOSUB2650:GOTO26
90 :REM*166
CLOSE8:GOTO710 :REM*115
PRINT"{SHFT CLR}{CTRL N}{C
TRL 9}FILL OUT FORM":GOSU
B2280:GOSUB2490:GOSUB2650:
GOTO2690 :REM*108
PRINT"{SHFT CLR}{CTRL N}PR
INT A BLANK FORM":GOSUB263
0:GOTO2690 :REM*237
GOSUB120:PRINT"{HOME}{CTRL
6}":PRINT"{4 SPACES}{CRSR
RT}{CTRL 9){8 SPACES}{CTR
L 0} :REM*93
PRINT"{4 SPACES}{CRSR RT}{
CTRL 9){CTRL 0}{4 SPACES
}:{CTRL 9){CTRL 0}
:REM*133
PRINT"{4 SPACES}{CRSR RT}{
CTRL 9){CTRL 0}{4 SPACES
}:{CTRL 9){CTRL 0}{3 CRSR
RTs}{CTRL 3}{CTRL 9){3 SP
ACES}SET PRINTER {CTRL 6}
:REM*108
PRINT"{4 SPACES}{CRSR RT){
CTRL 9){COMD Q}{CTRL 0}{6
COMD Os}{CTRL 9){COMD W}{C
TRL 0} :REM*206
PRINT"{4 SPACES}{CRSR RT){
CTRL 9){COMD Z}{6 SHFT *s}
{COMD X}{CTRL 0}{2 CRSR DN
s}{CTRL 1}" :REM*70
PRINTP$"< 1 >{2 SPACES}={2
SPACES}ERASE ALL CODES"P$
"{CRSR DN}< 2 >{2 SPACES}={
2 SPACES}ENTER CODES
:REM*17
PRINTP$"< 3 >{2 SPACES}={2
SPACES}LOAD CODES"P$"{CRS
R DN}< 4 >{2 SPACES}={2 SP
ACES}SAVE CODES :REM*34
GOSUB100:ON(VAL(A$)) GOTO1
420,1490,1440,1460:REM*190
GOTO710 :REM*203
GOSUB1430:GOTO1330 :REM*90
FORX=0TO49:FC$(X)="" :NEXT:
RETURN :REM*27
TF$="R":GOSUB370:IFE0 THEN
1480 :REM*162
INPUT#8,PD:INPUT#8,PS:INPU
T#8,PT:FORX=1TO50:INPUT#8,
PC$(X):NEXT:GOTO1480
:REM*24
TF$="W":GOSUB370:IFE0 THEN
1480 :REM*81
PRINT#8,PD:PRINT#8,PS:PRIN
T#8,PT:FORX=1TO50:PRINT#8,
CHR$(34)+PC$(X):NEXT
:REM*236
CLOSE8:GOTO1330 :REM*184
PD=4:PS=5:INPUT"{SHFT CLR}
{2 CRSR DN}s)PRINTER DEVICE
#: 4 {4 CRSR LFs}";A$:A=V
AL(A$):IF(A)THENPD=A
:REM*57
INPUT"{CTRL 1}{2 CRSR DN}s
SECONDARY ADDRESS: 7 {4 CR
SR LFs}";A$:A=VAL(A$):IF(A
)THENPS=A :REM*41
INPUT"{CTRL 1}{2 CRSR DN}s
TRANSPARENT SECONDARY: 5 {
4 CRSR LFs}";A$:A=VAL(A$):
IF(A)THENPT=A :REM*87
GOSUB1430 :REM*62
E$=CHR$(27) :REM*102
Q$(0)=E$+CHR$(64):F$(0)="N
ORMAL FONT" :REM*122
Q$(1)=CHR$(14):F$(1)="EXPA
NDED" :REM*214
Q$(2)=CHR$(15):F$(2)="COND
ENSED" :REM*68
Q$(3)=E$+CHR$(83)+CHR$(0):
F$(3)="SUPERSCRIPT":REM*41
Q$(4)=E$+CHR$(83)+CHR$(1):
F$(4)="SUBSCRIPT" :REM*28
Q$(5)=E$+CHR$(52):F$(5)="I
TALICS" :REM*229
Q$(6)=Q$(1)+Q$(5):F$(6)="E
XPANDED ITALIC" :REM*127
Q$(7)=Q$(2)+Q$(5):F$(7)="C
ONDENCED ITALIC" :REM*36
Q$(8)=Q$(3)+Q$(5):F$(8)="S

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UPERSCRIPT ITALIC :REM*213
1630 Q$(9)=Q$(4)+Q$(5):F$(9)="S 1930 GOTO610 :REM*214 :REM*124
UBSCRIPT ITALIC" :REM*160 1940 PRINT"(SHFT CLR){2 CRSR DN :REM*219 +",S,W":GOSUB280:IFE0THENG
1640 PRINT"{2 CRSR DN$}SELECT F 2240 PRINT#8,NF$:PRINT#8,NP% :REM*90
ONT CHANGES FOR EACH LINE. :REM*225
" :REM*195 1950 CLOSE:OPEN8,DU%,8,IN$+" ,P 2250 FORX=0TONF$:PRINT#8,NF$(X)
1650 A$="" :REM*73 :REM*195 :REM*219 :PRINT#8,FT$(X):PRINT#8,FL
1660 INPUT"{3 CRSR DN$}{CTRL 3} ,R":GOSUB280:CLOSE8:IFE0TH :REM*45
LINE # 1-50 <{CTRL 6}CR=EX ENRETURN :REM*68 2260 NEXTX:CLOSE8 :REM*66
IT{CTRL 3}>{CTRL 1}";A$:A 1960 NF%=0:IF(C6)THEN 500 2270 GOTO950 :REM*51
=VAL(A$):IF(A<1)OR(A>50)TH 1970 POKE787,234:LOAD(IN$),DU%, :REM*250
EN1330 :REM*82 1 1990 IL=FL%(Y):PRINT :REM*158
1670 A=A-1 :REM*131 1980 GOSUB590:GOTO610 :REM*59 2300 PRINT"{CRSR DN}" +NF$(Y)+" :
1680 PRINT:FORX=0TO9:PRINTSTR$( 1990 PRINT"{2 CRSR DN$}FORM NAM :REM*186
X)+" = "+F$(X):NEXT :REM*255
:REM*119 :REM*192 :REM*59 2310 IF FF$(Y)=""THENFF$(Y)=""
1690 INPUT"{CRSR DN}{CTRL 7}FON 2000 IFIN$="$"THENGOSUB1720:GOT :REM*196
T # <{CTRL 6}CR = NORMAL(C :REM*102
TRL 3)>{CTRL 1}";A$:B=VAL 2010 RETURN :REM*96 2320 NEXTX:RETURN :REM*37
(A$):IFB<1ORB>9THENB=0 2020 GOSUB430 :REM*56 2330 : :REM*93
:REM*233 2030 NP%=0:FORFF=0TONF% :REM*4 2340 GOSUB2350:GOTO1040:REM*197
1700 FC$(A)=Q$(B):GOTO1650 2040 LI=PEEK(SC+FF):CO=PEEK(SC+ :REM*168
:REM*118 256+FF):FL%(FF)=(PEEK(SC+5 2350 PRINT"{5 CRSR DN$}NAME OF
1710 GOSUB1720:GOTO860 :REM*143 12+FF))+1 :REM*168 DATABASE: ";:IL=15:GOSUB19
1720 PRINT"{SHFT CLR}{2 CRSR DN 2050 PRINT"{3 CRSR DN$}FIELD #" :REM*33
S}{CTRL 3}DIRECTORY{CTRL 1 :REM*225
}{2 CRSR DN$}":CLOSE1:OPEN :REM*244 2060 PRINT"FIELD LENGTH:" +STR$( :REM*29
1,DU%,0,"$0":GOSUB280:IFE0 THEN1740 :REM*225 2070 PRINT"{2 CRSR DN$}NAME FOR
1730 SYS(ML+21) :REM*244 :REM*102 2080 DB$=IN$:GOTO500 :REM*150
1740 CLOSE1:GOTO90 :REM*209 2090 PRINT"{2 CRSR DN$}SELECT F 2390 PRINT"{SHFT CLR}{CTRL N}{C
1750 PRINT"{SHFT CLR}{2 CRSR DN :REM*26 2080 NF$(FF)=IN$ :REM*250 RSR DN}ADD A DOCUMENT{2 CR
S}{CTRL 3}DISK COMMAND:(CT :REM*86 2090 PRINT"{2 CRSR DN$}FIELD TYPE:"J$"0 = ALPHANUM :REM*107
RL 1)";:IL=32:GOSUB190:IF :REM*111 ERIC"J$"1 = SUM1"J$"2 = SU 2400 CLOSE8:GOTO1040 :REM*81
IN$=""THEN860 :REM*86 2100 PRINT"3 = SUM3"J$"4 = TOTA 2410 PRINT"{SHFT CLR}{CTRL N}{C
1760 A=VAL(IN$):IF(A>7)THEN DU% 2110 PRINT"TOTAL"J$"8 = KEYBOAR :REM*47
=A:GOSUB240:GOTO860 :REM*189 D"J$"9 = DATE":GOSUB100:A= :REM*189 2420 PRINT"{CRSR DN}OK"J$"DELET
:REM*248 VAL(A$):IFA>9THENA=0 :REM*86 2430 PRINT"{SHFT CLR}{CTRL N}{C :REM*105
1770 GOSUB240:PRINT#15,IN$ :REM*66 2120 FT%(FF)=A:PRINTA:IFA<4THEN :REM*86 2440 NI$=IN$:GOSUB2280:TF$="W":
:REM*57 2130 NP%=NP%+1 :REM*93 <4THENNP%=NP%+1 :REM*163 IN$=NI$:PRINT#15,"S0:" +IN$
1780 GOSUB280:IF(E0=0)THENGOSUB :REM*56 2140 NP%=0:FORX=0TONF%:IFFT%(X) :REM*99 :GOSUB280
410 :REM*80 2150 NEXTX :REM*145 2450 GOSUB400:IF(E0=0)THENGOSUB :REM*206
1790 GOTO860 :REM*80 2160 FORFF=0TONF%:IFFT%(FF)>3TH 2460 CLOSE8:GOTO1040 :REM*109
1800 GOSUB80:PRINT"{CTRL N}";:S :REM*49 2170 PRINT"{2 CRSR DN$}ASK FOR :REM*109
YS(ML):GOTO1820 :REM*30 " +NF$(FF)+J$+"IN WHAT ORDE :REM*109
1810 GOSUB80:PRINT"{CTRL N}";:S :REM*55 2180 IL=3:GOSUB190:A=VAL(IN$):I :REM*104
YS(ML+3) :REM*128 2190 NP%(A)=FF :REM*92 2480 GOTO2470 :REM*8
1820 NF%=PEEK(255):IFNF%<1THEN9 :REM*114 2200 NEXTFF :REM*114 2490 T1=0:T2=0:T3=0:FORX=0TONF%
50 :REM*150 2210 PRINT"{2 CRSR DN$}NAME FOR :REM*177 :REM*177
1830 NF%=NF%-1 :REM*99 DATABASE: ";:IL=15:GOSUB19 :REM*129
1840 POKE(SC+1023),123 :REM*67 0:IFIN$=""THEN950 :REM*214 2510 IFFT%(X)=2THENT2=T2+VAL(FF
1850 DB$="":PRINT"{SHFT CLR){2 :REM*55 2220 DB$=IN$:PRINT"INSERT DISK :REM*108
CRSR DN$}YOU HAVE CREATED" :REM*74 2230 DB$=IN$:PRINT"INSERT DISK :REM*108
+STR$(NF%+1)+" FIELDS" :REM*62 TO RECEIVE DATABASE";:GOSU :REM*58
:REM*62 2240 B90 :REM*144 2520 IFFT%(X)=3THENT3=T3+VAL(FF :REM*58
1860 PRINT"DEFINE THEM NOW? Y/N :REM*144 2530 NEXTX :REM*31
":GOSUB100:ON((A$="Y")+2)G :REM*144
OTO2020,950 :REM*164
1870 PRINT"{SHFT CLR){2 CRSR DN :REM*144
S}SAVE A FORM":GOSUB1990:I :REM*144
FIN$=""THEN950 :REM*55
1880 IF(C6)THEN BSAVE(IN$),B0,U :REM*144
(DU%),P39936TOP45056:BANK1 :REM*144
5:GOTO950:REM C-128:REM*74
1890 GOSUB350:GOTO950 :REM*225
1900 GOSUB1940:IFIN$<>""THEN710 :REM*247
:REM*247
1910 GOTO610 :REM*183
1920 GOSUB1940:IFIN$<>""THEN950 :REM*183

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2540 FORY=0TONF%      :REM*25      2630 A$=".....":      :REM*52
2550 IFFT%(Y)=4THENFF$(Y)=STR$(      A$=A$+A$+A$+A$      :REM*150
T1)      :REM*29      2640 FORX=0TONF%:FF$(X)=LEFT$(A      2710 PRINT"{2 CRSR DNs}{CTRL 7}
IFFT%(Y)=5THENFF$(Y)=STR$(      $,(FL%(X))):NEXT:RETURN      PRINT TO LINE#:(CTRL 1) ";
T2)      :REM*53      :REM*73      :IL=2      :REM*18
2570 IFFT%(Y)=6THENFF$(Y)=STR$(      2650 A$="{20 SPACES}":A$=A$+A$+      2720 GOSUB190:L=VAL(IN$):IF(L<1
T3)      :REM*205      A$+A$      :REM*126      ) OR (L>49)THENL=49
2580 IFFT%(Y)=7THENFF$(Y)=STR$(      2660 FORX=0TONF%:A=LEN(FF$(X)):      :REM*248
T1+T2+T3)      :REM*69      B=FL%(X)      :REM*82      2730 FORX=0TOL:PRINT#4,J$;;PRIN
2590 IFFT%(Y)=8THENPRINTNF$(Y)+      2670 IF(A<B)THENFF$(X)=FF$(X)+R      2740 POKE255,(X):SYS(ML+12):NEX
": ";:IL=FL%(Y):GOSUB190:F      IGH$(A$, (B-A))      :REM*148      T:CLOSE4:CLOSE5      :REM*54
F$(Y)=IN$      :REM*105      2680 NEXT:RETURN      :REM*21      2750 INPUT"{2 CRSR DNs}PRINT AG
2600 IFFT%(Y)=9THENFF$(Y)=STR$(      2690 SYS(ML+9):FORFF=0TONF%:IN$      :REM*6
MO)+" /"+STR$(DA)      :REM*28      =FF$(FF):GOSUB320:NEXT      :REM*31
2610 NEXTY      :REM*109
2620 RETURN      :REM*192      2700 OPEN4,PD,PS:OPEN5,PD,PT      2760 GOTO710

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Listing 2. Editor-file writer for the C-64.

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0 REM CREATE EDITOR.64 ML FOR F      0BAFFA5B3A6FDA4FE20 BDFFA9F      08D27C08D29C0      :REM*242
ORM WRITER      :REM*125      120 DATA 8D2BC08D2CC0203AC420 A      :REM*242
5 OPEN 8,8,8,"EDITOR.64 ML,P,W"      BA200A0B020D8      :REM*91      EC0AD29C020FAC42024 C420EBC
10 READ A$:IF A$="-1" THEN CLOS      104 DATA FFA5010901850160A5011      1482029C468C9      :REM*108
E8:END      :REM*170      9FE850160A20120C6FF 20E4FF2
15 IF LEN(A$)<62 THEN 55      0E4FFAD8D02D0      :REM*178      121 DATA 85D0034CD7C2C91BF0F9 C
20 B$=MID$(A$,1,20)+MID$(A$,22,      105 DATA FB20A3C0F01EA90D20D2 F      90DD0034C9EC1C993D0 034CF1C
20)      :REM*242      F20E4FFAA20E4FF20CD BDA9202      1C913D0034C2B      :REM*131
25 FOR I=1 TO 30      :REM*181      0D2FF20E4FFF0      :REM*242      122 DATA C2C909D00620B6C24C3E C
30 C$=MID$(B$, (I*2)-1,2):H$=LEF      106 DATA DD20D2FFD0F6A90120C3 F      2C911D0034CB0C1C91D 0034CE
T$(C$,1):L$=RIGHT$(C$,1)      F20CCFF6020E4FF85FF 20E4FF0      AC0C991D0034C      :REM*101
      :REM*209      5FF60AD29C020      :REM*152      123 DATA 34C1C99DD0034C10C1C9 1
35 H=VAL(H$):IF H$>"9" THEN H=A      107 DATA D6C18CDCC08DDDC0AD27 C      4D0034C58C1C994D003 4C79C12
SC(H$)-55      :REM*85      020D6C18CE7C08DE8C0 A000B9D      0AFC24CEAC0AC      :REM*195
40 L=VAL(L$):IF L$>"9" THEN L=A      108 DATA C007C8D0F3600C090E05 3      124 DATA 27C091FB6000A9058DB5 C
SC(L$)-55      :REM*136      A20303020030F0C150D 0E3A203      2AD8D02C902F00920F0 C0CEB5C
45 BY=H*16+L:PRINT#8,CHR$(BY);      109 DATA 3EC23820F0FFFC027F009 A      2D0F8602016C1      :REM*214
      :REM*67      91D20D2FFEE27C060AE 27C0E04      085F82022C5930D0D7 4149542
50 NEXT:GOTO 10      :REM*115      FD00160EE2BC0      :REM*26      041204D4F4D45      :REM*238
55 IF LEN(A$)<21 THEN B$=A$:GOT      110 DATA EE27C0602016C14C3EC2 3      72053435245454E2E2E 2E0D0D0
O 70      :REM*184      820FF0FFC000F009A9D 20D2FFC      0A90085FF858C      :REM*206
60 IF LEN(A$)<42 THEN B$=LEFT$(      E27C060AE27C0      :REM*107      DATA 20FAC4A000B1FBC95ED0 0
A$,20)+RIGHT$(A$, (LEN(A$)-21      111 DATA D00160CE2BC0CE27C060 3      3202BC3C8C05090F2E6 8CA58CC
):GOTO 70      :REM*137      820FF0FFC000F00BA991 20D2FFC      D25C090E4A6FF      :REM*12
65 B$=LEFT$(A$,20)+MID$(A$,22,2      112 DATA 29C0D0034C3EC2CE2CC0 C      89D009DA200E8C8C050 900160B
0)+RIGHT$(A$,LEN(A$)-42)      E29C04C3EC2A0      :REM*111      1FBC95ED0F38A      :REM*216
      :REM*140      AC4AC27C0C8C0      :REM*193      129 DATA A6FF9D009EE8F00386FF 6
70 FOR I=1 TO LEN(B$)/2:REM*221      113 DATA 50F008B1FB8891FBC8D0 F      06868A5FF4C59C02060 C0A000A
75 C$=MID$(B$, (I*2)-1,2):H$=LEF      388A92091FB43EC2AD 27C0C94      90085FBA9A085      :REM*149
T$(C$,1):L$=RIGHT$(C$,1)      FD0034C3EC2AD      :REM*187      DATA FCA90085FDA9B085FEB1 F
      :REM*140      114 DATA 29C020FAC4A04F88B1FB C      B91FDC8D0F9E6FCE6FE A5FCC9B
80 H=VAL(H$):IF H$>"9" THEN H=A      891FB88CC27C0D0F4A9 2091FB4      0D0EF4C59C020      :REM*208
SC(H$)-55      :REM*56      C3EC23820F0FF      :REM*75      131 DATA 60C0A5FF20EEC4A20420 C
85 L=VAL(L$):IF L$>"9" THEN L=A      115 DATA A0001820F0FFA9008D27 C      9FFA000B1FBC95FF00F 20D2FFC
SC(L$)-55      :REM*84      08D2BC03820F0FF0E17 F00BA91      8C050D0F220CC      :REM*13
90 BY=H*16+L:PRINT#8,CHR$(BY);      120D2FFEE29C0      :REM*164      132 DATA FF4C59C0008CA4C3A000 B
      :REM*148      116 DATA 4C3EC2AE29C0E031D003 4      919C0F00620D2FFC8D0 F5ACA4C
95 NEXT:GOTO 10      :REM*160      C3EC2EE2CC0EE29C04C 3EC2A0F      34C99C3008DBB      :REM*122
100 REM C64 HEX DATA FOR FORM W      F38C8E90AB0FB      :REM*205      133 DATA C3296D0003A92060ADBB C
RITER      :REM*45      117 DATA 690A1869304898186930 A      330062960C960F0120E BBC32A2
101 DATA 00C04CF8C14C24C24CEA C      8686020E4FFF0FB60AD 8D02C90      EBBC36A6EBBC3      :REM*52
34C58C34C81C34CD4C2 4C2DC04      5D0332060C0A0      :REM*1      134 DATA 4EBBC3ADBBC360ADBB3 2
C67C000000000000      :REM*201      118 DATA 0084FBA9A085FCA92091 F      95F18602060C0A6FFBD 009D48B
102 DATA 000000000000000005032 0      BC8D0FBE6FCA6FCE0B0 D0F3AD2      D009C20EEC468      :REM*28
000000000000A5FF48 2060C02      1D048A9018D21      :REM*50      135 DATA 1865FB9002E6FC85FB20 1
013C4A99C85FC      :REM*57      119 DATA D0A99320D2FF688D21D0 2      3C4A4B388B1FD91FB88 10F94C5
103 DATA A90085FB68AAA901A000 2      060C0A9C085F8A91320 D2FFA90

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136 DATA B3C8B14785FDC8B14785 F      5FC18A5FD6928      :REM*127      08EE7C4D00AA2008EE6 C4A2A08
E60A90085CC60A9FF85 CC6000A      140 DATA 85FD9002E6FECE2EC410 D      EE7C48DEAC4A9      :REM*24
90085FBA9B085      :REM*103      66020A2C44CD2C4A900 8DECC48      144 DATA 008DEBC48DE9C4A9508D E
8C4209CC4ADEAC485FB ADEBC48
137 DATA FC4C42C4A90085FBA9A0 8      DEDC4A211186E      :REM*86      5FC60488A4898      :REM*38
5FCAC2CC0F00F18A5FB 6D24C08
5FB9002E6FC88      :REM*129
138 DATA D0F1AD2BC01865FB85FB A      DEBC46DEDC48D      :REM*176      145 DATA 48A000BAFE0401D003FE 0
501BD040185C3BD0501 85C4B1C
90065FC85FCA90085FD A90485F      142 DATA EDC4CAD0DC60ADE8C418 6      DE6C48DEAC4ADE9C46D E7C48DE
3F0052D2FF90      :REM*246
EA9178D2EC4A0      :REM*196      146 DATA E468A868AA6860      :REM*65
BC460000000000      :REM*253
139 DATA 27B1FB20BCC391FD8810 F      143 DATA 000000000A2008EE6C4A2 B      :REM*1
618A5FB6D24C085FBA9 0065FC8
    
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Listing 3. Editor-file writer for the C-128.

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10 REM C128 ML MAKER      :REM*247      C134C13153820      :REM*231      126 DATA A200E8C8C050900160B1 F
BC95ED0F38AA6FF9D00 9EE8F00
15 OPEN 8,8,8,"EDITOR.128 ML,P,      108 DATA F0FFC000F009A99D20D2 F      FCE271360AE2713D001 60CE2B1
386FF606686A5      :REM*58
W"      :REM*26      3CE2713603820      :REM*149      127 DATA FF4C3613202E13A000A9 0
085FBA9A085FCA90085 FDA9B08
20 FAST      :REM*93      109 DATA F0FFE000F00BA99120D2 F      FCE29134C1315AE2913 D0034C1
5FE1FB91FDC8      :REM*62
25 READ A$:IF A$="-1" THEN CLOS      110 DATA 134C131520EC13AD2913 2
0EF4C3613202E13A5FF 20DB17A
E8:END      :REM*189      111 DATA FB88CC2713D0F4A92091 F      20420C9FFA000      :REM*139
30 IF LEN(A$)<62 THEN 60      315CE2C13CE29      :REM*76      128 DATA D0F9E6FCE6FEA5FCC9B0 D
0EF4C3613202E13A5FF 20DB17A
:REM*220      112 DATA FB88CC2713D0F4A92091 F      20420C9FFA000      :REM*139
35 B$=MID$(A$,1,20)+MID$(A$,22,      0E717AC2713C8C050F0 08B1FB8
891FBC8D0F388      :REM*151
20)+MID$(A$,43,29)      :REM*36      111 DATA A92091FB4C1315AD2713 C
94FD0034C1315AD2913 20E717A
40 N=LEN(B$)/2      :REM*33      112 DATA FB88CC2713D0F4A92091 F      04F88B1FBC891      :REM*12
45 FOR I=1 TO N      :REM*43      113 DATA 2B133820F0FFE017F00B A
91120D2FFEE29134C13 15AE291
50 H$=MID$(B$,I*2-1,2):H=DEC(H$      3E031D0034C13      :REM*108
)      :REM*217      114 DATA 15EE2C13EE29134C1315 A
0FF38C8E90AB0FB690A 1869304
55 PRINT#8,CHR$(H);:NEXT:GOTO 2      :REM*239      115 DATA 6020E4FFF0FB6A5D3C9 0
898186930A868      :REM*218
5      :REM*217      116 DATA 0020E4FFF0FB6A5D3C9 0
90D033202E13A00084FB A9A085F
60 IF LEN(A$)<20 THEN B$=A$:GOT      :REM*7
O 75      :REM*229      117 DATA FBE6FCA6FCE0B0D0F3AD 2
1D048A9018D21D0A993 20D2FF6
65 IF LEN(A$)<42 THEN B$=MID$(A      88D21D0202E13      :REM*255
$,1,20)+MID$(A$,22,(LEN(A$)-
118 DATA 291320E717200F1720C1 1
21)):GOTO 75      :REM*167      119 DATA 034C7414C993D0034CC7 1
44820151768C985D003 4CA815C
70 B$=MID$(A$,1,20)+MID$(A$,22,      :REM*116      120 DATA D0034C8614C91DD0034C C
91BF0F9C90DD0      :REM*50
20)+MID$(A$,43,LEN(A$)-42)      :REM*95      121 DATA 034C7414C993D0034CC7 1
4C913D0034C0015C909 D006208
80 FOR I=1 TO N      :REM*94      122 DATA C902F00920C613CE8A15 D
B154C1315C911      :REM*181
85 H$=MID$(B$,I*2-1,2):H=DEC(H$      :REM*127      123 DATA 4C2E14C994D0034C4F14 2
084154CC013AC271391 FB6000A
)      :REM*246      124 DATA C8C05090F2E68CA58CCD 2
9058D8A15A5D3      :REM*12
90 PRINT#8,CHR$(H);:NEXT:GOTO 2      :REM*116      125 DATA C902F00920C613CE8A15 D
0F86020EC13CE8A15D0 F860202
95 REM C128 HEX DATA FOR FORM W      :REM*116      126 DATA 7DFF930D0D7741495420 4
E13A90085F820      :REM*15
RITER      :REM*11      127 DATA 4C2E14C994D0034C4F14 2
120 DATA 00134CCD144CF9144CBE 1
128 DATA 178DD917ADD8176DDA17 8
64C2C164C55164CA815 4C2D134
DDA17CAD0DC60ADD517 186DD31
C3E13000000000      :REM*84      129 DATA 008DD9178DDA17A21118 6
78DD717ADD617      :REM*173
101 DATA 0000000000000005032 0
EDD17CAD0DC60ADD517 186DD31
0000000000006048A9 0E8D00F
08F174CBF17A9      :REM*130
F686048A9008D      :REM*253      130 DATA 008DD9178DDA17A21118 6
EDD17CAD0DC60ADD517 186DD31
102 DATA 00FF6860A20120C6FF20 E
318ADD7176DD9      :REM*135
4FF20E4FFA5D3D0FC20 7913F01
131 DATA 178DD917ADD8176DDA17 8
EA90D20D2FF20      :REM*7      132 DATA 008DD9178DDA17A21118 6
DDA17CAD0DC60ADD517 186DD31
103 DATA E4FFAA20E4FF2032EA9 2
08F174CBF17A9      :REM*130
020D2FF20E4FFF0DE20 D2FFD0F
6A90120C3FF20      :REM*63      133 DATA A90065FC85FC18A5FD69 2
885FD9002E6FECE1B17 10D6602
104 DATA CCF6020E4FF85FF20E4 F
08F174CBF17A9      :REM*130
F05FF60AD291320AC14 8CB2138
134 DATA 178DD917ADD8176DDA17 8
DB313AD271320      :REM*187      135 DATA 008DD9178DDA17A21118 6
DDA17CAD0DC60ADD517 186DD31
105 DATA AC148CBD138DBE13A000 B
08F174CBF17A9      :REM*130
9AC13F008098099C007 C8D0F36
135 DATA 178DD917ADD8176DDA17 8
00C090E053A20      :REM*190      136 DATA D317A2A08ED4178DD717 A
9008DD8178DD617A950 8DD5172
08917ADD71785      :REM*200
106 DATA 303020030F0C150D0E3A 2
08F174CBF17A9      :REM*130
F30300020C6134C1315 3820F0F
136 DATA 178DD917ADD8176DDA17 8
FC027F009A910      :REM*236      137 DATA 008DD9178DDA17A21118 6
DDA17CAD0DC60ADD517 186DD31
107 DATA 20D2FFEE271360AE2713 E
08F174CBF17A9      :REM*130
04FD00160EE2B13EE27 136020E
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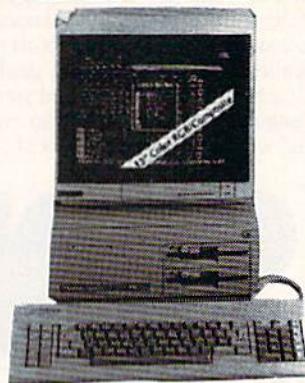
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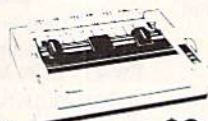
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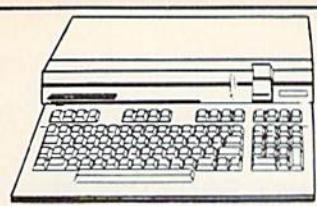
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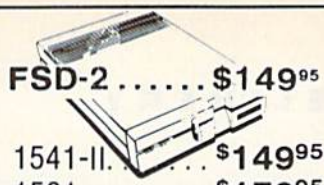
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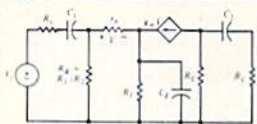
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2680	S1\$=P1\$+"{2 CRSR DNS}"+S\$+"{CRSR UP}" :REM*48	2970	C\$(1)="THE SNAKE HISSES AND BARES YOUR WAY!" :REM*7	3180	RM\$(10,1)="THE PATH NARROWS AND THE TREES CLOSE IN TO BLOCK MOST EXITS. :REM*25
2690	FORZ=0TO2:READOB(Z):NEXT :REM*213	2980	C\$(2)="THE BOOBY TRAP STOP S YOU!" :REM*225	3190	RM\$(11,1)="HERE IS A DEEP HOLE IN THE EARTH.{2 SPACES}IT{3 SPACES}IS BLACK AND COLD." :REM*107
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2720	DATA15,12,17,4,18,6,20,19,16,9,22 :REM*71	3010	RM\$(0,0)="(CTRL 9)ROAD(CTRL 0)":RM\$(1,0)="(CTRL 9)1ST FORK":RM\$(2,0)="(CTRL 9)2ND FORK" :REM*55	3220	RM\$(14,1)="THE TRAIL ENDS IN A STEEP, ROCKY CLIFF. BELOW ARE TREE TOPS." :REM*113
2730	FORZ=0TO43:READW(Z),CD(Z):W\$(Z)=W\$(Z)+"{5 SPACES}":W\$(Z)=LEFT\$(W\$(Z),5):NEXT :REM*241	3020	RM\$(3,0)="(CTRL 9)MOSSY GLEN":RM\$(4,0)="(CTRL 9)3RD FORK":RM\$(5,0)="(CTRL 9)ROCKY GLEN" :REM*193	3230	RM\$(15,1)="THE FOREST OPENS INTO A GRASSY MEADOW{3 SPACES}RICH WITH LIFE." :REM*28
2740	DATABONE,1,BOOBY,5,CLIMB,1,20,CLOSE,200,COAT,2,DOG,8,DROP,140 :REM*223	3030	RM\$(6,0)="(CTRL 9)4TH FORK":RM\$(7,0)="(CTRL 9)5TH FORK":RM\$(8,0)="(CTRL 9)POND END":RM\$(11,0)="(CTRL 9)DEEP CAVE" :REM*55	3240	RM\$(16,1)="THIS PATH IS SO SMALL IT APPEARS TO HAVE BEEN MADE BY RABBITS." :REM*236
2750	DATAE,111,EAST,111,FEED,210,FIGHT,150,FLOWE,9:REM*47	3040	RM\$(9,0)="(CTRL 9)6TH FORK":RM\$(10,0)="(CTRL 9)DEAD END":RM\$(12,0)="(CTRL 9)7TH FORK":RM\$(13,0)="(CTRL 9)EAST-SOUTH BEND":RM\$(14,0)="(CTRL 9)ROCK CLIFF" :REM*74	3250	RM\$(17,1)="THE PATH WIDENS HERE AND IS BORDERED{4 SPACES}BY OLD TREE STUMPS." :REM*235
2760	DATAGATE,30,GET,130,HELP,270,I,250,INVEN,250,JUMP,180,KILL,150,KNOCK,170 :REM*54	3050	RM\$(15,0)="(CTRL 9)MEADOW":RM\$(16,0)="(CTRL 9)WEST-NORTH BEND":RM\$(17,0)="(CTRL 9)WEST-SOUTH BEND":RM\$(18,0)="(CTRL 9)YARD":RM\$(19,0)="(CTRL 9)PORCH" :REM*254	3260	RM\$(18,1)="HERE IS A CLUTTERED YARD BEFORE AN OLD{2 SPACES}CABIN." :REM*23
2770	DATALETTE,11,LILY,10,LOOK,240,MAILB,7,MOUSE,4,MUSHR,30 :REM*34	3060	RM\$(10,0)="(CTRL 9)6TH FORK":RM\$(11,0)="(CTRL 9)MEADOW":RM\$(12,0)="(CTRL 9)WEST-NORTH BEND":RM\$(13,0)="(CTRL 9)WEST-SOUTH BEND":RM\$(14,0)="(CTRL 9)YARD":RM\$(15,0)="(CTRL 9)PORCH" :REM*254	3270	RM\$(19,1)="YOU STAND ON THE BROKEN-DOWN PORCH OF{3 SPACES}THE HERMIT'S CABIN." :REM*237
2780	DATAN,110,NORTH,110,OPEN,190,PAD,10,PORCH,30,PUT,230,QUIT,260 :REM*239	3070	RM\$(11,0)="(CTRL 9)DEEP CAVE":RM\$(12,0)="(CTRL 9)7TH FORK":RM\$(13,0)="(CTRL 9)EAST-SOUTH BEND":RM\$(14,0)="(CTRL 9)ROCK CLIFF" :REM*74	3280	P\$(0)="(CTRL 6){4 CRSR RTs}{5 COMD +s}"+CHR\$(13) :REM*45
2790	DATARABBI,30,RAIN,2,ROCK,6,S,112,SAVE,160,SLAKE,3,SOOTH,112 :REM*116	3080	RM\$(12,0)="(CTRL 9)DEEP CAVE":RM\$(13,0)="(CTRL 9)7TH FORK":RM\$(14,0)="(CTRL 9)EAST-SOUTH BEND":RM\$(15,0)="(CTRL 9)MEADOW":RM\$(16,0)="(CTRL 9)WEST-NORTH BEND":RM\$(17,0)="(CTRL 9)WEST-SOUTH BEND":RM\$(18,0)="(CTRL 9)YARD":RM\$(19,0)="(CTRL 9)PORCH" :REM*254	3290	P\$(1)="(CTRL 6){2 CRSR RTs}{7 COMD +s}"+CHR\$(13) :REM*52
2800	DATATAKE,130,THROW,220,W,113,WEST,113 :REM*92	3090	RM\$(13,0)="(CTRL 9)EAST-SOUTH BEND":RM\$(14,0)="(CTRL 9)ROCK CLIFF" :REM*74	3300	P\$(2)="(CTRL 6){2 CRSR RTs}{10 COMD +s}"+CHR\$(13) :REM*56
2810	FORZ=0TO19:FORX=0TO3:READD(Z,X):NEXT:NEXT :REM*133	3100	RM\$(15,0)="(CTRL 9)MEADOW":RM\$(16,0)="(CTRL 9)WEST-NORTH BEND":RM\$(17,0)="(CTRL 9)WEST-SOUTH BEND":RM\$(18,0)="(CTRL 9)YARD":RM\$(19,0)="(CTRL 9)PORCH" :REM*254	3310	P\$(3)="(CTRL 6){4 CRSR RTs}{2 COMD +s}"+CHR\$(13) :REM*105
2820	DATA,1,1,1,17,3,5,2,4,3,13,3,7,7,8,5,6,9,10,7,8,12,11,8 :REM*47	3110	RM\$(17,0)="(CTRL 9)WEST-SOUTH BEND":RM\$(18,0)="(CTRL 9)YARD":RM\$(19,0)="(CTRL 9)PORCH" :REM*254	3320	P\$(4)="(CTRL 6){4 CRSR RTs}{2 COMD +s}"+CHR\$(13) :REM*210
2830	DATA10,,,,,10,14,,,,5,15,13,,,,,14,17,,,,,18,16,2,,17,19 :REM*158	3120	RM\$(18,0)="(CTRL 9)YARD":RM\$(19,0)="(CTRL 9)PORCH" :REM*254	3330	P\$(5)="(CTRL 6){4 CRSR RTs}{2 COMD +s}"+CHR\$(13) :REM*228
2840	DATA20,18,,,,,19,0:REM*136	3130	RM\$(19,0)="(CTRL 9)YARD":RM\$(20,0)="(CTRL 9)PORCH" :REM*254		
2850	T\$(0,0)="YOU SEE AN OLD BONE.":T\$(0,1)="BONE" :REM*12				
2860	T\$(1,0)="A RAIN COAT IS NEARBY.":T\$(1,1)="RAIN COAT" :REM*168				
2870	T\$(2,0)="A SNAKE HISSES AT YOU FROM THE GROUND!" :REM*126				
2880	T\$(3,0)="A SMALL MOUSE RUNS BY.":T\$(3,1)="MOUSE" :REM*38				
2890	T\$(4,0)="IT LOOKS LIKE A BOOBY-TRAP AHEAD!" :REM*78				
2900	T\$(5,0)="YOU SPY A LARGE ROCK.":T\$(5,1)="ROCK" :REM*27				
2910	T\$(6,0)="AN OPEN MAILBOX IS HERE.":T\$(6,1)="MAILBOX" :REM*148				
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With this new version, when you press return after typing in a program line, a one-, two-, or three-digit number from 0 to 255 appears in the home position. If this number matches the checksum value in the program listing, the line is correct. If the number that appears *doesn't* match the checksum value, compare the line with the magazine listing to find your error. Then move the cursor back up to the line and make your corrections. Now, after you press return, the correct checksum value should appear. Continue entering the listing until all the lines have been correctly typed. Then deactivate RUN'S Checksum, using the SYS number. Save the finished program.

All the graphics and control characters in the listings in RUN have been translated into understandable key combinations. They are the instructions you see inside the curly braces. For example, {SHIFT L} means you hold down the shift key while you press the L key. You do *not* type in the curly braces. What appears on the screen will look quite different from what is designated inside the braces. Here are some more examples:

{22 SPACES}—press the space bar 22 times

{SHIFT CLR}—hold down the shift key and press the clr-home key

{2 CRSR DNs}—press the cursor-down key twice

{CTRL 1}—hold down the control key and press the 1 key

{COMD T}—hold down the Commodore logo key and press the T key

{FUNCT 1}—press the F1 key

{5 LB.s}—press the British pound key (*not* #) five times R

Listing 1. RUN'S Checksum program.

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10 REM RUN'S CHECKSUM 64/128 - BOB KODADEK
20 MO=128:SA=3328:IF PEEK(40960)THEN MO=64:SA=49152
30 FOR I=0TO169:READB:CK=CK+B:POKE SA+I,B:NEXT
40 IFCK<>20651 THENPRINT"DATA ERROR!":END
50 POKESA+110,240:POKESA+111,38:POKESA+140,234
60 PRINTCHR$(147)STR$(MO)" RUN CHECKSUM":PRINT
70 PRINT"TO TOGGLE ON OR OFF, SYS"SA:IF MO=128 THEN 100
80 POKESA+13,124:POKESA+15,165:POKESA+25,124:POKESA+26,165
90 POKESA+39,205:POKESA+41,21:POKESA+123,205:POKESA+124,189
100 POKESA+4,INT(SA/256):SYS SA:NEW
110 DATA 120,162,24,160,13,173,4,3,201,24,208,4,162,13,160,67,142,4,3,140
120 DATA 5,3,88,96,32,13,67,152,72,169,0,141,0,255,133,176,133,180,166,22
130 DATA 164,23,134,167,132,168,170,189,0,2,240,58,201,48,144,7,201,58,176
140 DATA 3,232,208,240,189,0,2,240,42,201,32,208,4,164,180,240,31,201,34
150 DATA 208,6,165,180,73,1,133,180,230,176,164,176,165,167,24,125,0,2,133
160 DATA 167,165,168,105,0,133,168,136,208,239,232,208,209,169,42,32,210
170 DATA 255,165,167,69,168,170,169,0,32,50,142,169,32,32,210,255,32,210
180 DATA 255,169,13,32,210,255,104,168,96,104,170,24,32,240,255,104,168
190 DATA 96,56,32,240,255,138,72,152,72,24,162,0,160,0,32,240,255,169
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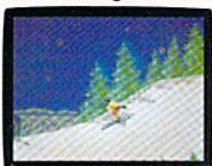
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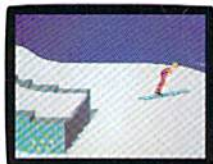
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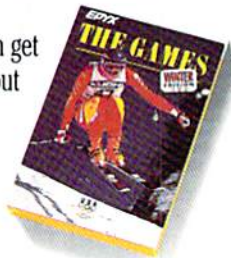
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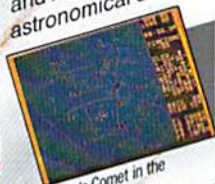
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