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SECTION 2 – INTRODUCTION

This is your copy of the Varian 620/L Computer Handbook.

Like the computer it describes, the Handbook is designed for a wide variety of user applications. The Varian 620/L computer has the power and the flexibility to perform the most sophisticated computational tasks. At the same time, the computer has been made as simple as possible to program, operate, and maintain.

Similarly, the material in this Handbook has been arranged so that the experienced programmer or systems engineer can refer directly to those sections that relate to his work, while the less experienced reader will find the book a valuable introduction to computer technology.

Since the Handbook is intended as a useful working tool, any comments or suggestions on the contents would be greatly appreciated. Please direct your remarks to the Publications Department, Varian Data Machines, 2722 Michelson Drive, Irvine, California 92664.

Scope of Handbook

The purpose of the Varian 620/L Computer Handbook is to provide all the basic information necessary for the programming, operation and system interfacing of the Varian 620/L computer.

The Handbook can also serve as a training text for personnel who will be operating systems incorporating the computer.

Maintenance and service personnel, on the other hand, require more detail than is presented in this volume. The information they need is contained in the Varian 620/L Maintenance Manual, available from the Publications Department, Varian Data Machines.

Support Documentation

In addition to the Computer Handbook and the Maintenance Manual, a variety of other documents are available to aid in the programming, operation, and maintenance of Varian 620/L systems.

These include manufacturers' instruction manuals for peripheral devices, such as teletypes and magnetic tape units, separate programming manuals covering such software elements as the FORTRAN IV and BASIC systems, and special manuals for special equipment designed to meet specific user requirements.

So far as possible, the material contained in these separate manuals is not duplicated in this handbook. In the software sections, particularly, only a summary is given, plus a reference to the Varian document providing the complete details.

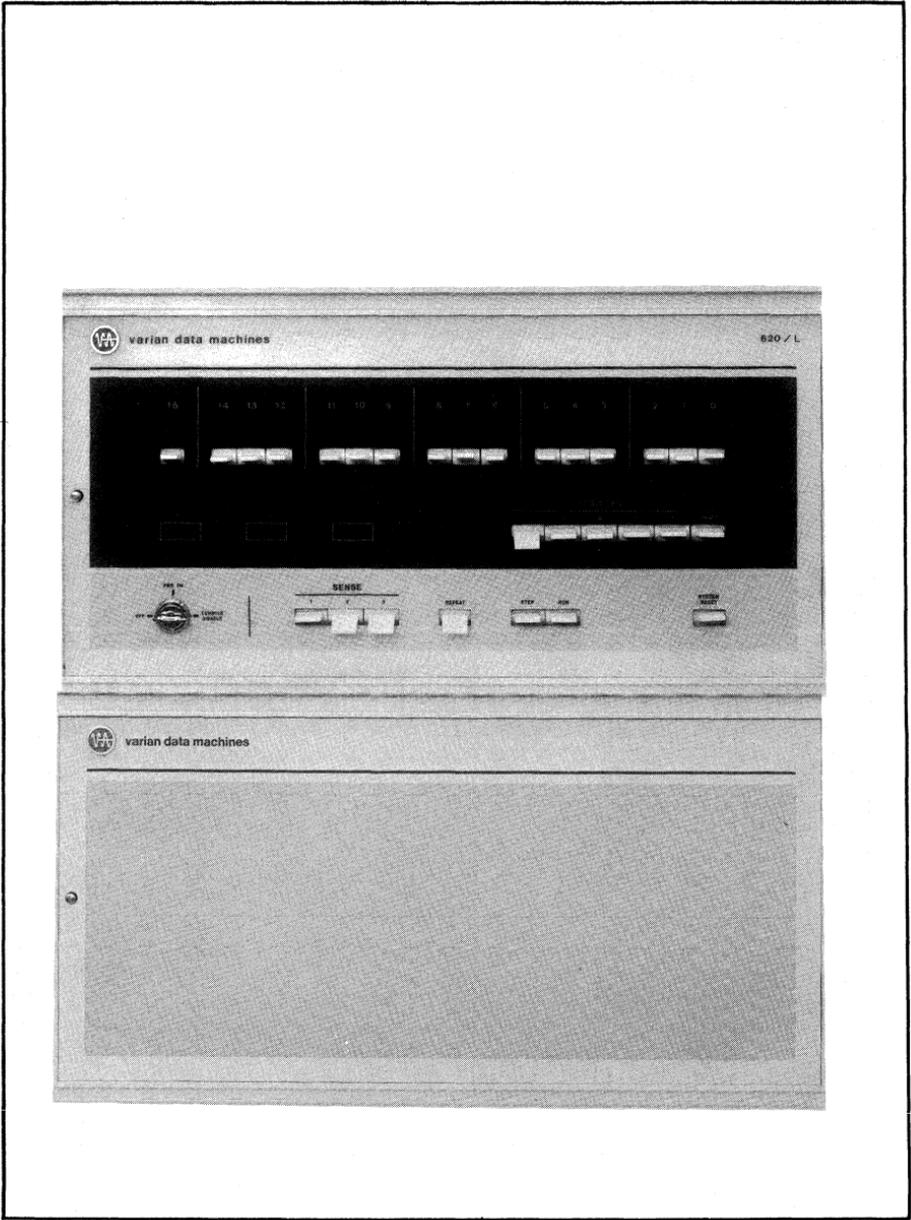


Figure 2-1. Varian 620/L Computer with Fully Expanded 32K Memory

SECTION 3 – COMPUTER CONCEPTS

The purposes of this section are to give the reader a brief overview of the computer concepts on which the design of the Varian 620/L is based, to define terms used in the hardware sections that follow, and to serve as a guide for a further study of these sections.

Computer Capabilities

The Varian 620/L (Figure 2-1) is a general-purpose digital computer. It is general-purpose in the sense that it will perform any type of computational or control task defined by the instructions given to it. In many applications it may serve as a special-purpose, "dedicated" computer, repetitively performing a single, well-defined task such as controlling a chemical process or preparing inventory records. But its general-purpose capabilities are still present and can be utilized at any time.

The computer is "digital" in the sense that it deals entirely in terms of discrete numerical values. Analog values, such as the voltage output of a thermocouple, are converted to digital values before they enter the computer. As a digital computer, the accuracy of the Varian 620/L is absolute, within the limits of its precision.

The precision of a digital computer is established by the number of binary digits (called bits) contained in the "words," or numerical values, processed by the computer. The Varian 620/L is a 16-bit computer. One of these bits, the most significant, is reserved as a sign to indicate whether the value is positive or negative. The largest positive binary number that can be pro-

cessed by the computer is therefore 0 111 111 111 111 111. In decimal terms (see discussion on numbering systems below), this is the equivalent of +32,767, giving the Varian 620/L a precision of one part in 32,767, or approximately $\pm 0.003\%$.

Double-precision arithmetic techniques can be used to process larger numbers when the application requires an even higher degree of precision.

Three other parameters are important in defining the capabilities of a computer. One is the number of discrete instructions that the computer will recognize and respond to. The second is the speed with which the computer performs the operations dictated by the instructions. The third is the size of the memory in which these instructions (and the numerical values that the computer is to process) are stored.

The Varian 620/L can recognize 133 different types of instructions. Many of these contain coding that further define the action to be taken, extending the effective instruction repertoire into the hundreds.

The basic cycle time for acting on an instruction is 1.8 microseconds, or over 500,000 cycles per second. Individual instructions may require one, two or more cycles to perform.

The Varian 620/L memory is expandable from a minimum of 4096 words to a maximum of 32,768 words. A new memory design and packaging technique allow the memory to be expanded with a high degree of economy, in terms of both dollars and space.

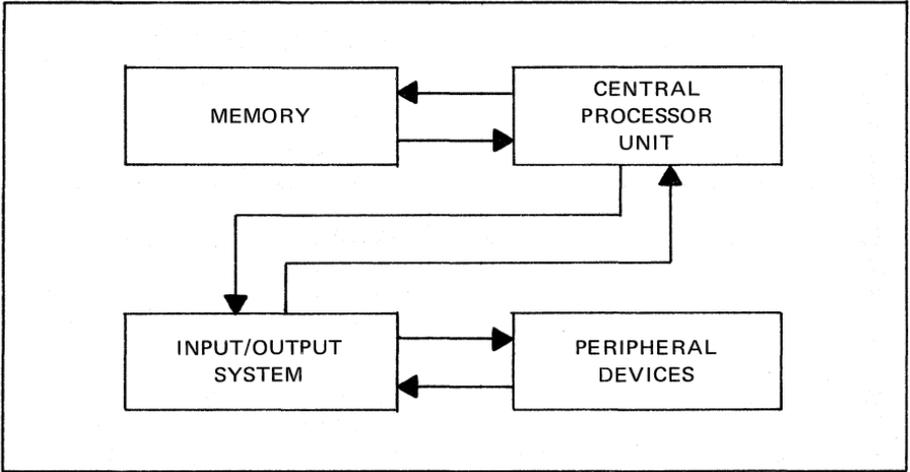


Figure 3-1. Basic Elements of a Computer System

Computer Organization

Figure 3-1 illustrates the four principal elements that make up a Varian 620/L computer system.

The memory is a storage device that holds 16-bit words, ready for processing by the computer. The words can be either instructions, directing the actions of the computer, or data words to be processed.

The data words can be further divided into two groups: numerical values (or operands) that have been stored in the memory for use during the solution of a specific problem, or constants that remain in memory and are referred to by the computer as required.

In calculating the pay for an individual worker, for example, the hours worked are a variable operand that must be entered into memory, whereas the hourly rate for that type of worker is a constant that is kept in memory.

The central processor unit (CPU) is the

“action” part of the computer. One part of the CPU is the arithmetic unit that performs the additions and subtractions that account for most of the “computations” performed by the computer. Equally important, however, are the CPU’s timing and control functions. The CPU extracts instructions from the memory, acts on them, and transmits the results either back to memory or to the outside world. The CPU controls all the data flow through the computer and provides timing signals that coordinate the actions of every part of the computer system.

The input/output system is the interface or connecting link between the all-electronic computer and the electro-mechanical devices that supply data to the computer or receive the results. The I/O system must coordinate the high-speed responses of the CPU with the comparatively slow actions of a teletype, line printer, disc, or other peripheral device. It must also give the computer the capability of controlling these external devices, starting and stopping motors, or directing that a data word be transmitted or received.

The peripheral devices make up the computer's "outside world," the source and destination of all data processed by the computer. (The operator's control panel is also an interface with the outside world, but its use is normally limited to starting and stopping the computer and in diagnosing any problems that might develop.) A wide range of peripheral devices are available for use in Varian 620/L systems.

The interfacing electronics are all included in the I/O system supplied by Varian. Each peripheral or type of peripheral connects to a peripheral-controller card that plugs into one of the computer chassis. The peripheral is provided with a cable that simply connects to this card.

Each of these four major computer-system elements is described in separate sections of the Handbook. The design and function of the central processor unit is detailed in Section 8. The Varian 620/L memory structure is summarized in Section 9. The I/O system is described in Section 11, and the peripherals and their controllers in Section 13.

Computer Operation

The principal point to remember in understanding the operation of a general-purpose digital computer such as the Varian 620/L is that it accomplishes large, complex tasks by performing a series of small, simple operations. Its power comes in the fact that it performs these operations at a very high rate, running up to hundreds of thousands of separate actions per second.

The computer operation can be compared to the thought processes that occur when a man adds a column of figures in his head. Carrying the analogy to the computer organization described above, the sheet of paper on which the numbers are listed and the

result written is the "peripheral device," the source and destination of the data being processed. The eyes and the hand make up the I/O system. The man's memory serves exactly the same purpose as in the computer, and the portion of the brain that controls his actions and does the actual adding is the CPU.

The numbers enter the memory through the eyes. They are added, one by one, and the result outputted through the hand. But all of this can happen only if the man's memory also contains a program, a set procedure for reading the data, performing the arithmetic operations, and writing the results.

The program was stored in the man's memory at some earlier point in his life when he was taught to add. The program entered his memory by the same I/O channel, his eyes, as the current data. But the program is now fixed in his memory, ready for use whenever he has a column of figures to add.

A computer is programmed in the same way. A set of instructions is assembled that will, when performed in sequence, accomplish a particular task. These are entered into the computer memory through an I/O peripheral device such as a teletype or highspeed tape reader. If the same task is to be used repeatedly, the program will be left in memory for long periods of time. If the computer is used for different purposes on different days, the programs are changed by emptying the first program from memory and replacing it with a different one.

The program instructions are stored in sequential memory locations or "addresses," one instruction word to an address. When the computer is commanded to start by pressing the RUN switch on the control panel, the CPU "fetches" the instruction at the first program address. The bits in

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the instruction word are decoded by the CPU to determine the actions that are to be taken. When these have been accomplished, the CPU returns to the memory and fetches the second instruction in the program, decodes it, and performs the indicated actions.

This process continues until every instruction in the program has been executed. The final instruction is usually a command to halt the computer operation. It may also be a command to return to the start of the program and repeat it over again. In such a case, the computer continuously "loops" through the program until it is halted by pressing the STEP switch on the control panel.

Certain actions, such as the series of instructions that will input a character of data from the teletype, are repeated at frequent intervals throughout a program. Rather than use up memory space by repeating the series of instructions each time they are needed, the series is stored once in a separate part of the memory. The program directs the CPU to "branch" to this "subroutine" each time the specified action is needed. The final instructions in the subroutine returns the CPU to the original program.

The instructions recognized by the Varian 620/L CPU are listed and described in Section 20. To simplify their assembly into useful programs, each instruction is given a mnemonic or "name" consisting of three or four letters or digits. These are translated into the binary "machine instructions" that the CPU will recognize by processing them through the Varian 620/L, using a DAS Assembler program (Section 21) supplied by Varian. The symbolic listing prepared by the programmer is called the source program; the machine-code output produced by the Assembler program is called the object program.

The object program is then loaded into the

Varian 620/L, using the Binary Load/Dump program (Section 22) supplied by Varian. Any problems that may develop in the running of the object program may be analyzed by a "debugging" program, AID II (Section 23). Equipment problems can be diagnosed by another program, MAINTAIN II (Section 26). Existing programs can be readily edited and changed by using EDIT (Section 24).

The complete operating sequence for running programs on the Varian 620/L, including the initial "bootstrap" for entering the first instructions into the computer, is described in Section 14.

Numbering Systems

The Varian 620/L internal operations are based on binary (base 2) values. This is true of instructions, operands, and memory address locations. They are all expressed as 16-bit words.

Most problems to be solved by the computer are expressed in decimal digit (base 10) values. Coding to the binary equivalent is normally accomplished as part of the I/O process. The same is true of the decoding back to decimal digits.

Manual binary/decimal conversions may be readily accomplished by simply adding up the decimal values of each "1" in the binary word. The value is determined by its position in the word.

In the case of instruction words, the decimal equivalent of the binary word is not significant since the word is broken into fields for decoding purposes and it is the bit pattern within each field that is important. On the other hand, it would be cumbersome and error-prone if the instructions were always written as 16-bit binary numbers.

Bit Position	Decimal Value
1*	1
2	2
3	4
4	8
5	16
6	32
7	64
8	128
9	256
10	512
11	1024
12	2048
13	4096
14	8192
15	16384
16	32768

*Least significant bit

To resolve this problem (and to eliminate the need to make binary/decimal conversions of memory addresses), Varian 620/L instructions and memory addresses are generally written as octal (base 8) values. The sixteen bits are divided into groups of three, starting from the right or least significant end, and an octal digit used to express each group. The following example shows the technique:

1 010 101 011 001 000 = 125310 (octal)

To reconstruct the binary word, the binary value of each octal digit is listed in series.

If operands or data are expressed in octal, they are normally (as a convention in this Handbook) preceded by a 0 to signify that the number is an octal value. An operand that is not preceded by a 0 is in decimal digits. Octal/decimal conversion tables are given in the Appendix.

2's Complement Arithmetic

The most significant or 16th bit of a Varian 620/L data word is used to indicate whether the value of the word is positive or negative. A "0" in the sign position denotes a positive number; a "1" denotes a negative number.

The negative of a positive number is represented in 2's complement form. The 2's complement of a number may be found in either of two ways:

- Take the 1's-complement of the number (i.e., complement each bit); add "1" in the least-significant bit position.

Example:

+9 000000000001001

1's-complement 111111111110110

+1

2's-complement 111111111110111
(-9)

- For an n-bit number (including sign) subtract it from 2^{n+1} . Example:

2^{n+1} 1000000000000000

-(+9) -000000000001001
-9 111111111110111

Programming

The preparation of programs for the Varian 620/L is identical, in concept, to the programming of any general-purpose digital computer. The ultimate objective is to prepare a list of machine instructions that will perform the task assigned. The quality of the program can be judged on the basis of the number of instructions required (as few as possible), and the speed with which the computer can complete the task.

computer concepts

The steps to be taken in the writing of an effective, efficient program are as follows:

- a. Analyze the problem in terms of the functions that must be performed by the computer, taking into account the capabilities of the Varian 620/L organization and instruction list.
- b. Prepare a flow chart that outlines the logical steps required in solving the problem.
- c. Use the flow chart to prepare a source program in symbolic notations suitable for translation by the Varian 620/L DAS Assembler (see Section 21) or by using FORTRAN IV, BASIC or RPG IV language statements.
- d. Obtain an object program by running the source program with the appropriate assembler or compiler.
- e. Test the program and debug it with the AID II diagnostic program (Section 23).

Example Program

An example of a brief Varian 620/L program is given in Figures 3-2 and 3-3.

The problem to be solved is the summation of the even integers from 2 to 200. The solution is first defined by the operations and logical decision shown in the flow chart illustrated in Figure 3-2. The completed program, shown in Figure 3-3, occupies memory location 004000 through 004017.

The loop counter has an initial value of -50. After each iteration of the program, the counter is incremented by one and tested for negative contents. After the 50th iteration, the counter will change to zero, which is a non-negative quantity, and the program will halt.

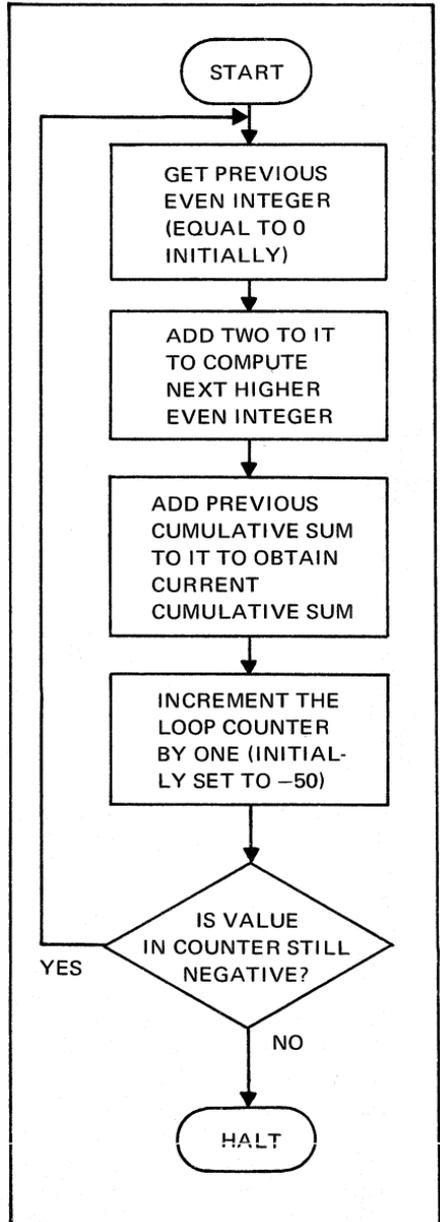


Figure 3-2. Sample Flow Chart

					PROGRAM TO SUM THE EVEN INTEGERS
		*			FROM TWO TO ONE-
		*			HUNDRED (INCLUSIVE)
004000	014014	LOOP	LDA	NEXT	COMPUTE 1ST (NEXT)
004001	124012		ADD	TWO	HIGHER
004002	054012		STA	NEXT	EVEN INTEGER
004003	124012		ADD	TOTL	ADD IT TO
004004	054011		STA	TOTL	CUMULATIVE TOTAL
004005	014011		LDA	CNTR	DECREMENT THE LOOP COUNTER
004006	124004		ADD	ONE	BY ONE AND
004007	054007		STA	CNTR	IF SUM IS NOT COMPLETE
004010	001004		JAN	LOOP	REPEAT
004011	004000 R				
004012	000000		HLT		WHEN DONE, HALT
004013	000001	ONE	DATA	1	AMOUNT TO DECRE- MENT LOOP COUNTER
004014	000002	TWO	DATA	2	CONSTANT USED TO COMPUTE NEXT EVEN INTEGER
004015	000000	NEXT	DATA	0	NEXT EVEN INTEGER VALUE
004016	000000	TOTL	DATA	0	CUMULATIVE TOTAL
004017	177716	CNTR	DATA	-50	NEG. CONST. FOR NUM- BER OF LOOP ITERATIONS
	000000		END		

Figure 3-3. Sample Program

SECTION 4 – VARIAN 620/L GENERAL DESCRIPTION

The Varian 620/L is a general-purpose digital computer, designed for a variety of systems applications.

The computer operates on 16-bit words, with a full-cycle execution time of 1.8 microseconds.

The computer memory is expandable in 4K increments, from a minimum of 4K to a maximum of 8K. A new memory design allows a fully expanded, 32K system to be contained in just two rack enclosures, each 10½ inches high.

The central processor unit contains four operational registers, five buffer registers, and an overflow indicator.

Six addressing modes are available, including direct, multi-level indirect, immediate, indexed with the B or X registers, and relative to the P register. Optional extended instructions allow direct addressing to any location in a fully expanded, 32K system.

The Varian 620/L has an instruction repertoire of 115 standard instruction, plus 18 optional instructions. The latter include hardware multiply and divide, in direct, immediate and extended addressing forms.

A single power supply can be used to power a fully expanded, 32K system, plus a number of peripheral controllers. The mainframe chassis will accommodate an 8K master memory, the CPU, all mainframe options, and up to nine peripheral controllers.

The standard I/O party-line bus be used to

interconnect up to 10 peripheral controllers. Additional controllers can be included in the system by the addition of an I/O buffer card.

I/O options include a Priority Interrupt Module that extends the priority-interrupt capability to any peripheral controller. Eight priority interrupt lines are provided by each module, with up to eight modules in each system.

The Buffer Interlace Controller is another I/O option that implements the direct-memory access (DMA) capabilities of the basic computer. The controller permits cycle-stealing I/O transfers at rates up to 202,000 words per second.

The industry's most complete complement of peripherals makes the design of a highly cost/effective Varian 620/L system a simple task of selection and specification. Standard peripherals include high-speed paper tape, magnetic-tape transports, disc drives, drums, punched-card equipment, and a variety of analog, digital, and communication-line interfaces.

Standard software packages for the Varian 620/L include FORTRAN IV, BASIC, DAS Assemblers, a MOS Master Operating System, AID II for debugging and MAINTAIN for equipment troubleshooting, plus a complete library of mathematical and utility subroutines.

Varian 620/L computer systems are also backed by a worldwide field service organization. Service contracts cover both prevent-

general description

ative maintenance on a scheduled basis and emergency repair.

seminates information on new software and hardware developments and serves as a clearinghouse for user programs.

A Varian users' organization, VOICE, dis-

SECTION 5 – SYSTEM APPLICATIONS

Applications for the Varian 620/L cover the complete computer spectrum: instrumentation systems, data acquisition systems, time-share networks, and scientific and commercial computing.

A minimum system, suitable for scientific computations within a single laboratory, for example, would consist of the computer mainframe and a single teletype, as shown in Figure 5-1.

The addition of a high-speed paper-tape reader and punch (Figure 5-2) would extend the utility of the computer to other users, who could rapidly load the computer with their own programs and record the results in a form suitable for later analysis.

In certain cases, the output of a scientific computation is more readily grasped if it is

presented in graphic form. Standard Varian 620/L peripherals include digital plotters and oscilloscope displays, and these could be used (Figure 5-3) in such applications.

Business applications, on the other hand, have a need for a large, efficiently stored, yet readily accessible data base, and a capability for high-speed print-out of checks, invoices, inventory records and similar documents. The system shown in Figure 5-4 meets such needs, using the standard Varian 620/L disc drives or magnetic tape transports as the method for bulk data storage and a line printer for the output.

A variation on this type of application is shown in Figure 5-5. This is the basic configuration for the Varian Report Program Generator (RPG IV) system described in Section 30.

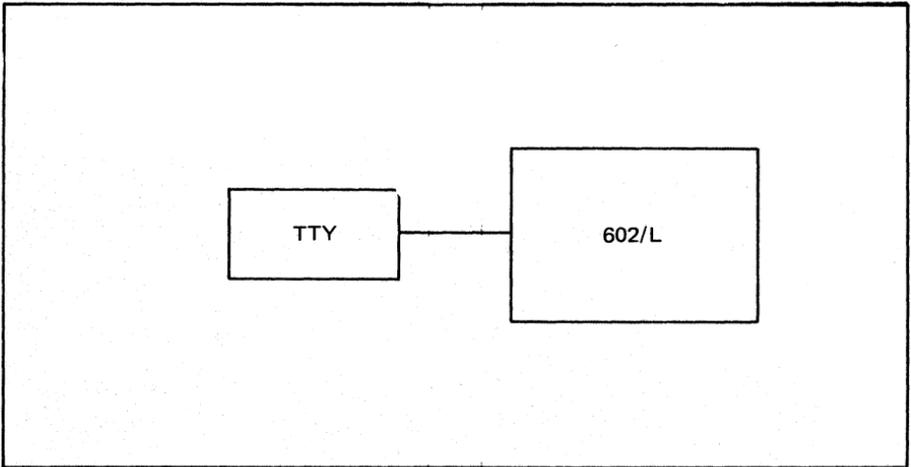


Figure 5-1. Minimum System for Scientific Applications

system applications

The speed and flexibility of the Varian 620/L also make it applicable to real-time process monitoring and control functions. Figure 5-6 illustrates a real-time process control system for a chemical plant or petroleum refinery. Figure 5-7 is an equivalent system for a manufacturing plant.

The use of the Varian 620/L as a data-communication switching center is shown in Figure 5-8. The Varian 620/DC Data Communication System described on page 13-63 is a highly efficient and versatile unit, capable of interfacing up to 128 communi-

cation lines with differing data rates and formats.

The same equipment can also be used as a preprocessor for a computer center, such as the system illustrated in Figure 5-9. A disc or magnetic tape is used as a data buffer between the communication lines and the major computer. The Varian 620/L relieves the major computer of all control tasks relating to the communication lines and orders the information in a format suitable for direct computer entry.

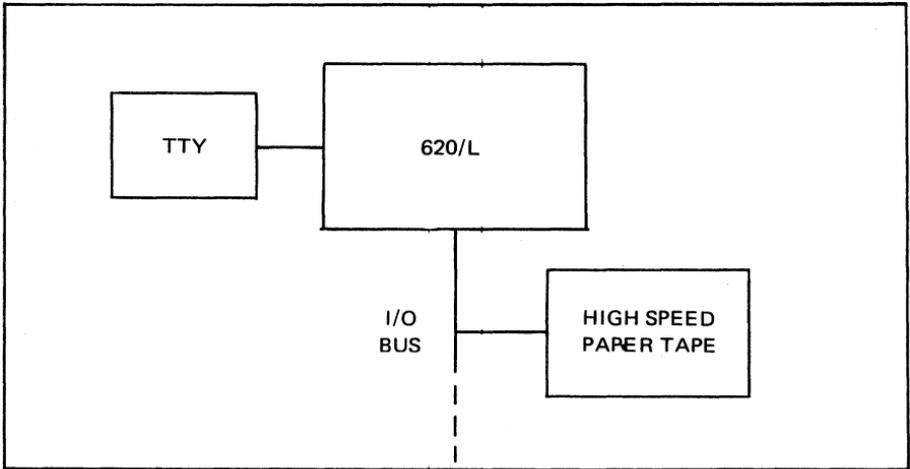


Figure 5-2. Expanded System for Multiple Users

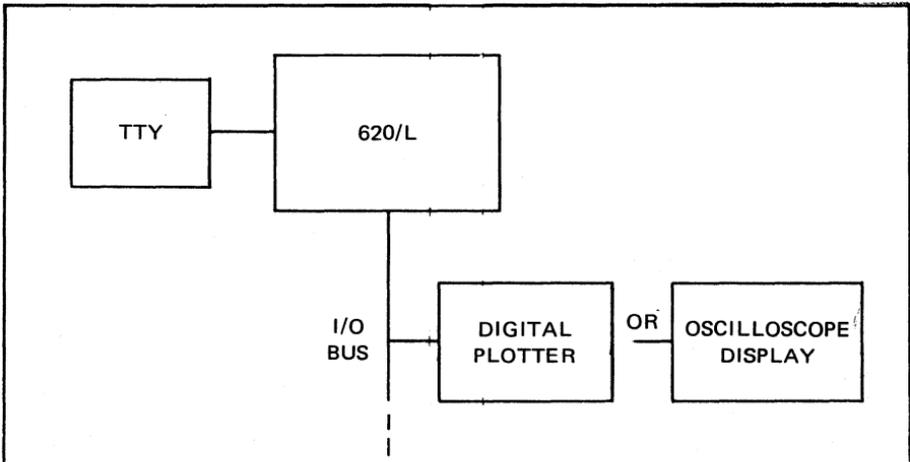


Figure 5-3. Expanded System with Graphic Outputs

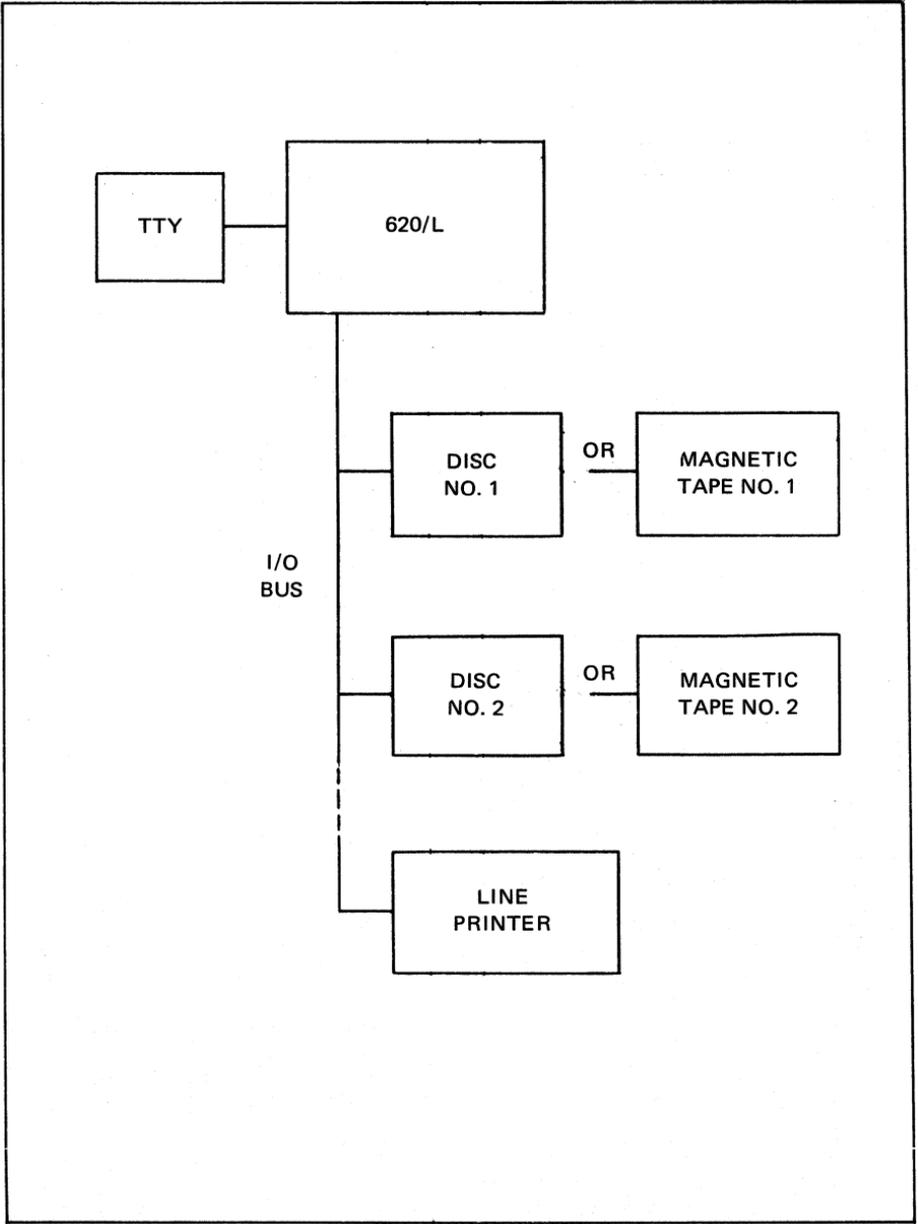


Figure 5-4. Expanded System for Business Applications

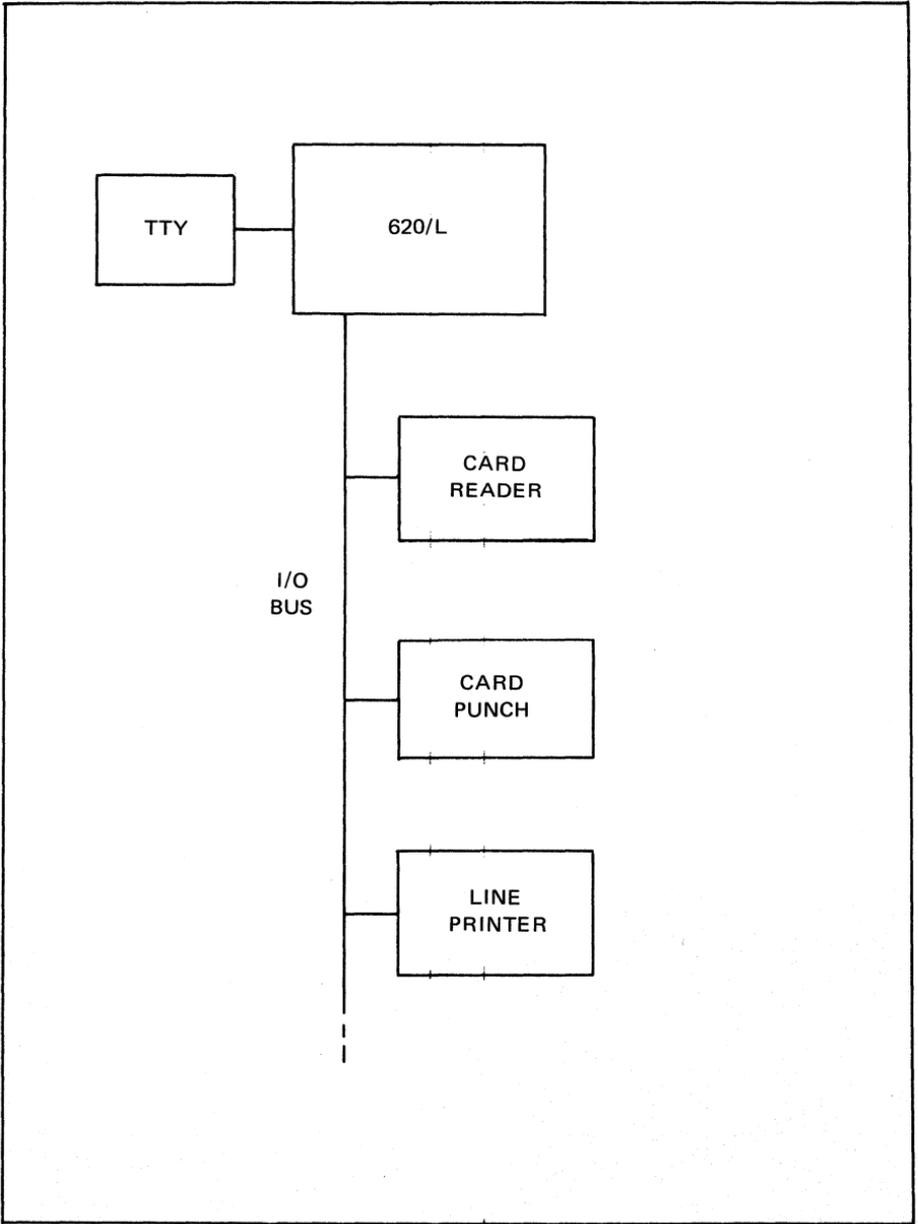


Figure 5-5. Report Program Generator (RPG IV) System

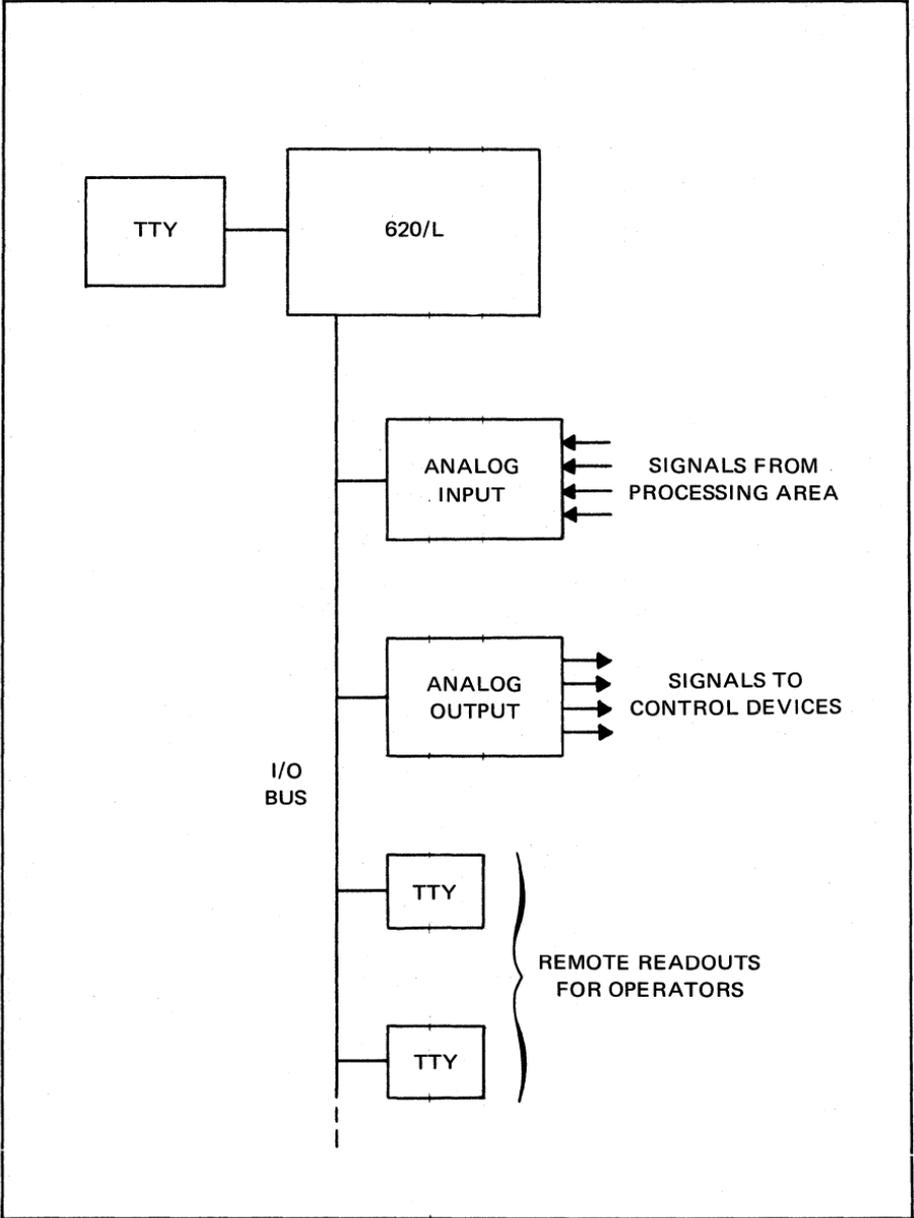


Figure 5-6. Real-Time Process Control

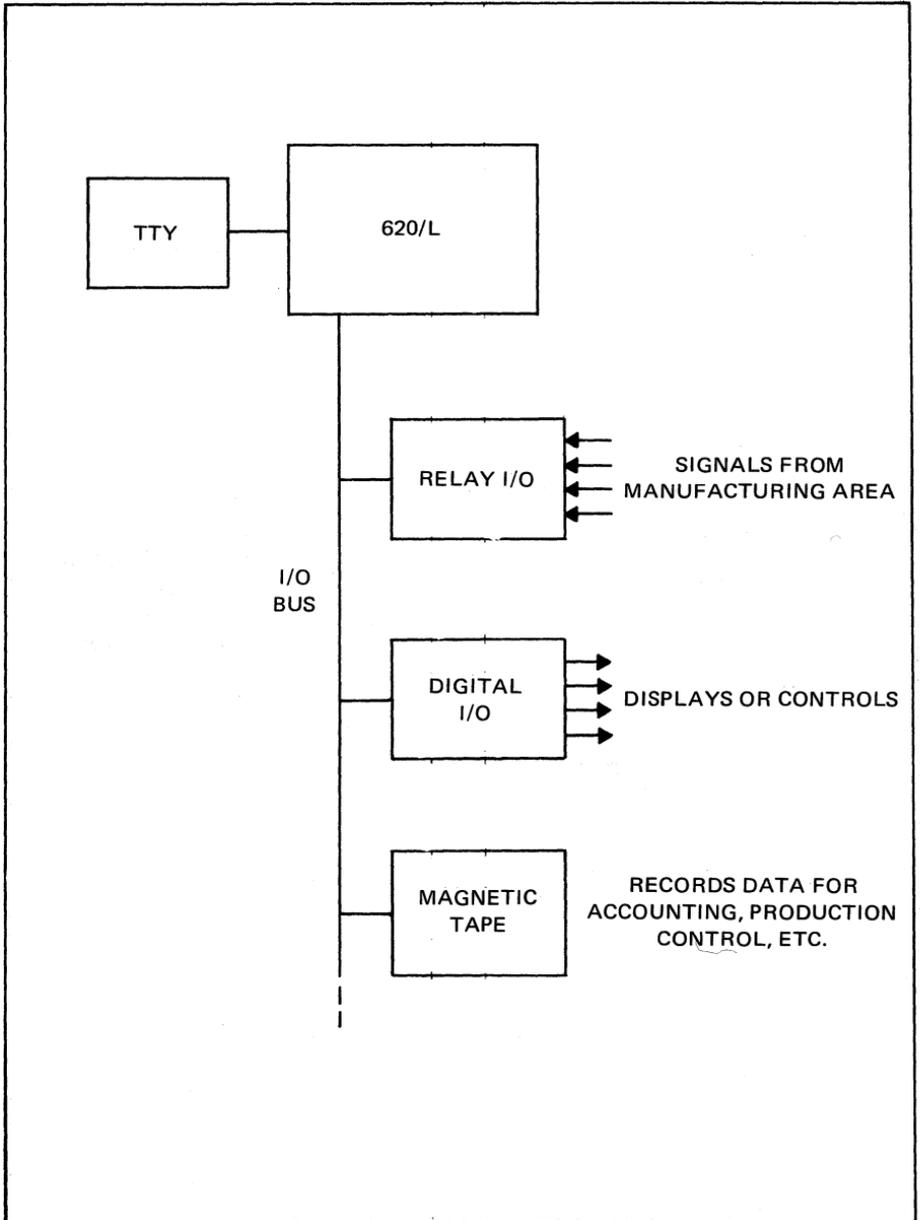


Figure 5-7. Real-Time Manufacturing Control

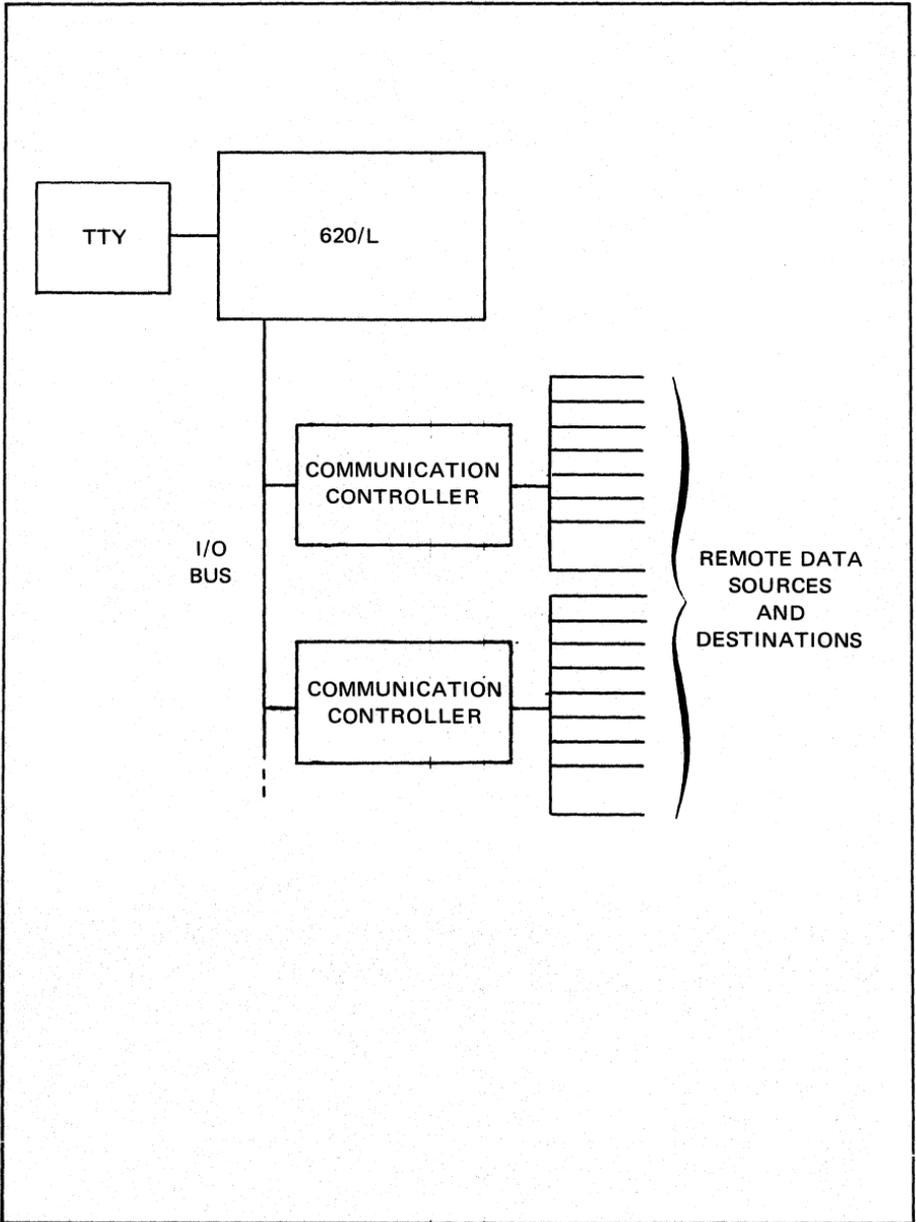


Figure 5-8. Data-Communication Switching Center

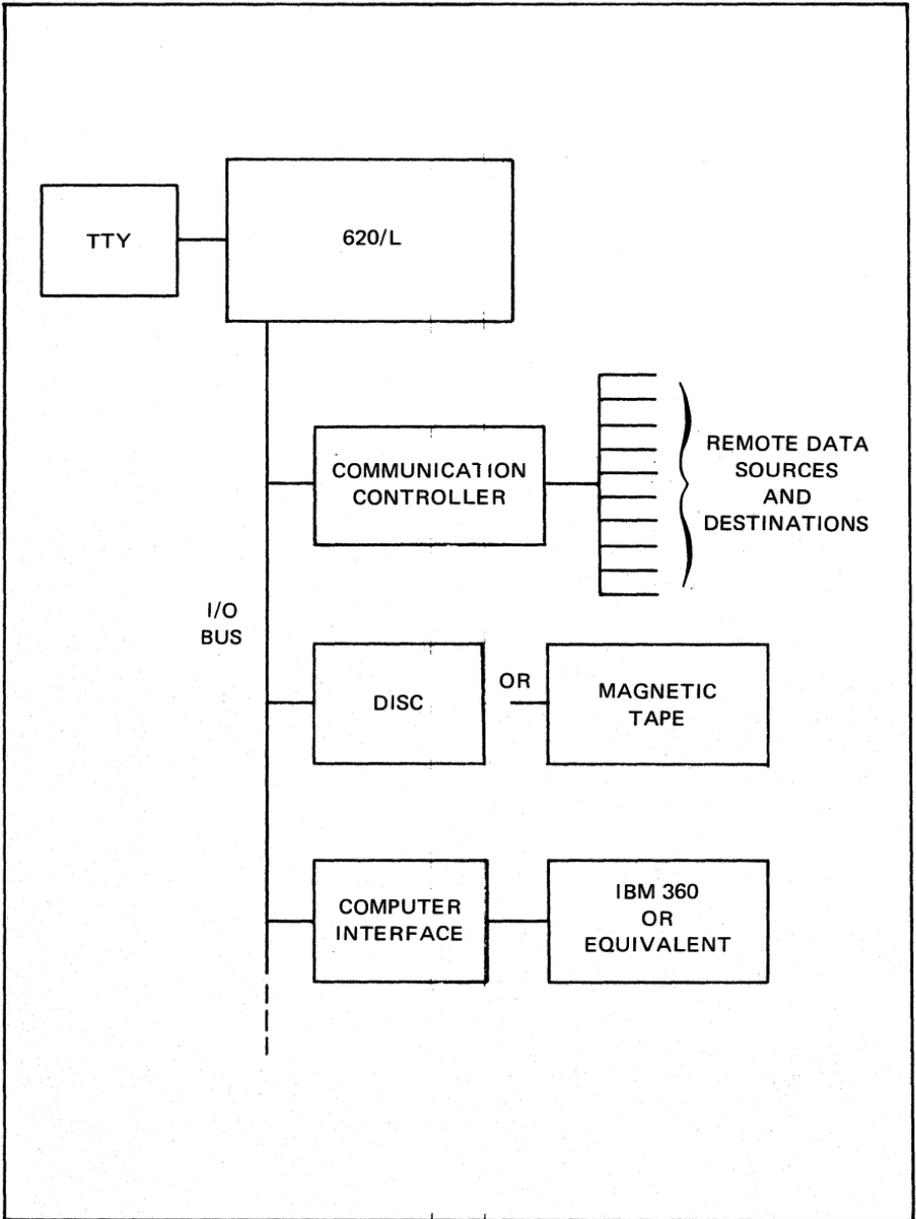


Figure 5-9. Preprocessor for Computer Center

SECTION 6 – VARIAN 620/L SPECIFICATIONS

Type	A system computer, general-purpose, digital, designed for on-line data system requirements.	
Memory	Magnetic core, 16 bits, 1.8 microseconds full cycle, 750 nanoseconds access time, 4096 words minimum expandable to 32,768 words.	
Arithmetic	Parallel, binary, fixed point, 2's complement.	
Word Length	16 bits.	
Speed (Fetch & Execute)	Add or Subtract	3.6 microseconds
	Multiply (optional)	18.0 microseconds
	Divide (optional)	18.0 to 25 microseconds
	Register Change	1.8 microseconds
	I/O from A or B Registers	3.6 microseconds
	I/O from Memory	5.4 microseconds
Registers	Operation Registers — 4 Buffer Registers — 5	
Addressing Modes	Direct, to 2048 words Relative to P Register, to 512 words Index with X or B Register (does not add to execution time) Multi-level indirect Immediate Extended (optional)	
Instruction Types	Single Double word Generic Micro-command	
Instruction	Over 100 standard commands, plus more than 128 macro-instructions:	
Mainframe Logic and Signals	Integrated circuit, 8.8 MHz clock, logic levels 0 V false, +5 V true. External logic levels 0 V false, +5 V true.	

Varian 620/L specifications

Console

Display and data entry switches for all operational registers; 3 sense switches; instruction repeat; single step; run; power on, off, and key lock.

Input/Output

Party Line Programmed Data Transfer
Single word to/from memory
Single word to/from A and B Registers
External control lines
External sense lines

Automatic Data Transfer
Direct memory access facility with transfer rates over 200,000 words per second.

Computer Options

Priority Interrupts
Group enable/disable, individually arm/disarm, single-instruction, multi-level priority interrupt system.

Real-Time Clock
Selectable time base.

Power Failure/Restart
Interrupts on power failure and automatically restarts on power recovery.

Memory Protect
Protects a top-priority executive, alarm, or monitor system resident in memory.

Buffered Interlace Controller
Permits automatic block transfer.

Buffered I/O Controller
A programmable, buffered hardware interface for general-purpose data processing.

Multiply/Divide and Extended Addressing
Hardware options for faster, more efficient programs.

Dimensions

The mainframe and expansion chassis I, II, and III are 10.5 inches (26.6 cm) high, 19 inches (48.1 cm) wide, and 21 inches (53.1 cm) deep (expansion chassis III is 15 inches (37.9 cm) deep). The mainframe power supply is approximately 5.25 inches (13.3 cm) high, 19 inches (48.1 cm) wide, and 21 inches (53.1 cm) deep

Weight	The mainframe and expansion chassis each weigh approximately 65 pounds (29.3 kg). The mainframe power supply weighs approximately 80 pounds (36.2 kg)
Input Voltage	105 to 125V ac or 210 to 250V ac at 50 or 60 Hz.
Input Current	The mainframe power supply requires approximately 15 amperes ac; each expansion frame power supply requires approximately 4 amperes ac
Temperature	
Operating	0 to 50 degrees C
Storage	-20 to 70 degrees C
Humidity	
Operating	To 90 percent without condensation
Storage	To 95 percent without condensation

SECTION 7 – VARIAN 620/L MODEL NUMBERS

Systems Computer

		Prerequisite
620/L-00	Systems Computer equipped with 4096 words of Core Memory, Console, Programmed I/O Party Line, Power Supply, Direct Memory Access and Priority Interrupt	None

Expansion & Memory Options

620/L-01	Expansion Chassis (Memory and I/O Options)	620/L-00
620/L-02	Memory Increment Module – 4096 words	620/L-00 or 620/L-01
620/L-95-5	Expansion Power Supply	None
620/L-95-6	Peripheral back plane wiring panel, right hand – CPU front view, 12 expansion slots (PC)	620/L-01
620/L-95-7	Peripheral back plane wiring panel, left hand – CPU front view, 13 expansion slots (PC)	620/L-01, 620/L-95-6
620/L-95-8	Dual Access Buffer, back plane wiring panel, right hand – CPU front view	620/L-01
620/L-95-9	Dual Access Buffer, back plane wiring panel, left hand – CPU front view	620/L-01

Mainframe Options

620/L-05	Memory Protect	620/L-00
620/L-10	Hardware Multiply/Divide and Extended Addressing	620/L-00
620/L-13	Real Time Clock	620/L-00
620/L-14	Power Failure/Restart	620/L-00

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620/L-17	Option Package, includes Hardware Multiply/Divide and Extended Addressing, Real Time Clock, Power Failure/Restart and Priority Interrupts, 8 multilevel	620/L-00
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Input/Output Expansion

620/L-16	Priority Interrupts — 8 multilevel (expansion to 64 levels is allowed)	620/L-00
620/L-18	I/O Party Line Expander (DM 184)	620/L-00
620-20	Buffer Interlace Controller, Block Transfer supervisor for automatic data transfers for up to 10 peripheral controllers	620/L-00 or -01
620/L-21-A	Single-Ended Dual Access Buffer Controller for 4096 words by 16-bit memory	620/L-01, 620/L-95-8, 620/L-21C
620/L-21-C	Dual Access Buffer Memory Increment 4096 words by 16 bits, 1 usec memory cycle, including power supply	620/L-21A
620/L-21-E	Multiplexed Dual Access Buffer Controller for two 4096 words by 16 bits, 1 usec memory	620/L-01, 620/L-95-8(2) 620/L-21C(2)
620/L-21-F	Buffered Interlace Controller for Multiplexed Dual Access Buffer provides block transfer capability for two 4096 words by 16 bits	620/L-01, 620/L-21E, 620/L-95-8
620/L-80	Buffered I/O Controller, general purpose interface, 8 sense lines, 8 control pulses, 16 bit output register, 16 bit input register. One of 8 different pulse widths available (5-20, 20-73, 73-300 usec; .27-1. 1, 1-4, 3.5-13, 12-50, 40-90 msec)	620/L-00
620/L-81	Digital I/O Controller, 8 sense lines, 8 control pulses	620/L-00

Teletypes

620/L-06	ASR-33 (first) and Controller, keyboard/printer with 10 cps paper tape reader and punch, full duplex	620/L-00
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620/L-06-A	Spare Teletype Controller, ASR-33/35 or KSR-35 (620/L-06, -07 or -08 only)	None
620-06-B	Spare ASR-33 (620/L-06 only), without controller	None
620-06-C	Spare ASR-33 (620/L-06-E only), 230 Volt, 50 Hz, without controller	None
620-06-D	ASR-33 and Controller, used with Teletype Buffer Board for expansion after the first TTY	620/L-09, 620/L-00X or 620/L-01X
620/L-06-E	ASR-33 (first) and Controller, 230 Volt, 50 Hz	620/L-00X
620-06-F	ASR-33 and Controller, used with Teletype Buffer Board for expansion after the first TTY, 230 Volt, 50 Hz	620/L-09, 620/L-00X or 620/L-01X
620/L-07	KSR-35 (first) and Controller, heavy duty 10 cps Keyboard/Printer, full duplex	620/L-00X
620-07-A	Spare KSR-35 (620/L-07 only), without controller	None
620-07-B	Spare KSR-35 (620/L-07-D only), 230 Volt, 50 Hz, without controller	None
620-07-C	KSR-35 and Controller, used with Teletype Buffer Board for expansion after the first TTY	620/L-09, 620/L-00X or 620/L-01X
620/L-07-D	KSR-35 (first) and Controller, 230 Volt, 50 Hz	620/L-00X
620-07-E	KSR-35 and Controller, used with Teletype Buffer Board for expansion after the first TTY, 230 Volt, 50 Hz	620/L-09, 620/L-00X or 620/L-01X
620/L-08	ASR-35 (first) and Controller, Heavy Duty Keyboard/Printer with 10 cps paper tape reader and punch, full duplex	620/L-00X
620-08-A	Spare ASR-35 (620/L-08 only), without controller	None
620-08-B	Spare ASR-35 (620/L-08-D only) 230 Volt, 50 Hz, without controller	None
620-08-C	ASR-35 and Controller, used with Teletype Buffer Board for expansion after the first TTY	620/L-99, 620/L-00X or 620/L-01X

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620/L-08-D	ASR-35 (first) and Controller, 230 Volt, 50 Hz	620/L-00X
620-08-E	ASR-35 and Controller, used with Teletype Buffer Board for expansion after the first TTY, 230 Volt, 50 Hz	620/L-09, 620/L-00X or 620/L-01X
620/L-09	Teletype Buffer Board, drives up to 7 TTY Controllers	620/L-00X

Card Equipment

620-22	Card Reader and Controller, 1,000 cards per minute	One U slot
620-25	Card Reader and Controller, 300 cards per minute	One U slot
620-26	Card Punch and Controller, 200 cards per minute	One U slot
620-26A	Card Punch and Controller, 300 cards per minute	One U slot
620-27	Card Punch and Controller, 35 cards per minute	One U slot

Magnetic Tape

620-30	Magnetic Tape Unit and Controller, 9-track, 800 bpi, 25 ips, single density, includes control for up to four (4) 9-track magnetic tape units	Two U slots
620-300	Magnetic Tape Unit Slave, 9-track, 800 bpi, 25 ips, single density	620-30
620-31A	Magnetic Tape Unit and Controller, 7-track, Dual Density (200/556 bpi), 25 ips, includes control for up to four (4) 7-track magnetic tape units	Two U slots
620-310A	Magnetic Tape Unit Slave, 7-track, Dual Density (200/556 bpi), 25 ips	620-31A
620-31B	Magnetic Tape Unit and Controller, 7-track, Dual Density (200/800 bpi), 25 ips, includes control for up to four (4) 7-track magnetic tape units	Two U slots

620-310B	Magnetic Tape Unit Slave, 7-track, Dual Density (200/800 bpi), 25 ips	620-31B
620-31C	Magnetic Tape Unit and Controller, 7-track, Dual Density (556/800 bpi), 25 ips, includes control for up to four (4) 7-track magnetic tape units	Two U slots
620-310C	Magnetic Tape Unit Slave, 7-track, Dual Density (556/800 bpi), 25 ips	620/L-31C
Rotating Memory		
620-38A	Disc Memory & Controller, fixed head, average access time 17 ms, transfer rate 73.3 KHz words, capacity 30K words, 16 tracks	One U slot 620-20
620-38B	Disc Memory & Controller, fixed head, average access time 17 ms, transfer rate 73.3 KHz words, capacity 61K words, 32 tracks	One U slot 620-20
620-38C	Disc Memory & Controller, fixed head, average access time 17 ms, transfer rate 73.3 KHz words, capacity 123K words, 64 tracks	One U slot 620-20
620-39	Disc Memory & Controller, moving head, control for up to two drives, average access on track 20 ms, transfer rate 42 KHz words, capacity 585K words, IBM 2315 disc pack	One U slot 620-20
620-39A	Disc slave, moving head, average access on track 20 ms, transfer rate 42 KHz words, capacity 585K words, IBM 2315 disc pack	620-39
620-40	Disc Memory and Controller, moving head, control for up to four drives, average access on track 12.5 ms, transfer rate 80K words per second, capacity 3.625 million 8-bit bytes, IBM 1316 disc pack	Two U slots 620-20
620-41	Disc Memory and Controller, moving head, control for up to four drives, average access on track 12.5 ms, transfer rate 80K words per second, capacity 7.25 million 8-bit bytes, IBM 1316 disc pack	Two U slots
620-41A	Disc slave, moving head, average access on track 12.5 ms, transfer rate 80K words per	620-41

model numbers

second, capacity 7.25 million 8-bit bytes,
IBM 1316 disc pack

Drum

620-44	Drum Memory and Controller, average access time 8.7 ms, approx. transfer rate 106K words per second, 16 tracks, capacity 30K words	One U slot
620-45	Drum memory and Controller, average access time 8.7 ms, approx. transfer rate 106K words per second, 32 tracks, capacity 61K words	One U slot 620-20
620-46	Drum Memory and Controller, average access time 8.7 ms, approx. transfer rate 106K words per second, 64 tracks, capacity 123K words	One U slot
620-47	Drum Memory and Controller, average access time 8.7 ms, approx. transfer rate 106K words per second, 128 tracks, capacity 246K words	One U slot 620-20
620-48	Drum Memory and Controller, average access time 8.7 ms, approx. transfer rate 106K words per second, 256 tracks, capacity 491K words	One U slot 620-20
620-49	Drum Memory and Controller, average access time 8.7 ms, approx. transfer rate 106K words per second, 512 tracks, capacity 983K words	One U slot 620-20

Paper Tape

620-51	Paper Tape Reader & Controller, 300 cps	One PC slot
620-51A	Paper Tape Reader & Controller, 150 cps	One PC slot
620-53	Bidirectional paper tape spooler. Rewind speed is 200 inches/sec. average .8 inch NAB reels	620-51 or 620-55
620-54	Paper Tape Punch & Controller, 75 cps. Table Top or chassis slide (-RM) for 19" rack mounting. For operation at 50 to 100 Hz @ 110/127/220/240 VAC	One PC slot
620-55	Paper Tape System, includes time-share controller, 150 cps reader, 75 cps punch	One PC slot
620-55A	Paper Tape System, includes time-share controller, 300 cps reader, 75 cps punch	One PC slot

Displays and Printers

620-72	Digital Plotter, 300 steps per second, 0.01" step size, other sizes are available	One U slot
620-73	Oscilloscope Display (Tektronix model RM 620) plots point to point, 12 bits bi-polar resolution, 0.1% accuracy, X-Y axis with Z axis blanking, includes dual DAC's analog ± 22 volt power supply, connectors and cabling	One U slot
620-73A	Oscilloscope Display (Tektronix Model 601), 5 inch storage scope	One PC slot 620-88
620-73B	Oscilloscope Display (Tektronix Model 611), (Tektronix Model 611), 11 inch storage scope	One PC slot 620-88
620-74	Printer/Plotter and Controller, Statos [®] 21, Model 2110, 167 steps per second (equivalent to 1000 alphanumeric lines per minute) in asynchronous mode, 0.0125" step size, 80 styli per inch	None
620-74A	Printer/Plotter with pedestal and Controller, Statos [®] 21, Model 2111, same characteristics as 620/f-74 plus a character generator for 835 steps per second (equivalent to 5000 alphanumeric lines per minute) in synchronous mode	None
620-77	Line Printer, 245 to 1100 lpm, 132 columns, segmented buffered	One U slot

model numbers

Digital Controllers

620-80	Buffered I/O Controller, general purpose interface, 8 sense lines, 8 control pulses, 16 bit output register, 16 bit input register. One of 8 different pulse widths available (5-20, 20-73, 73-300 usec; .27-1.1, 1-4, 3.5-13, 12-50, 40-90 msec)	One U slot
620-81	Digital I/O Controller, 8 sense lines, 8 control pulses	One PC slot
620-83-1	Relay Contact I/O Module, 16 mercury wetted contact outputs, 50 V A resistive, 3 A or 400 V maximum	One U slot
620-83-2	Relay Contact I/O Module 16 contact points, voltage levels, 12 V A resistive, 1/2 A or 200 V maximum	One U slot
620-83-3	Relay Contact I/O Module 16 mercury wetted contact outputs and 16 contact inputs, 50 V A resistive, 3 A or 400 V maximum	One U slot

Communication Controllers

620-60	Communication Controller. Sixteen line multiplexer which controls up to four 620-61's (sixteen 103 type data sets), allows for programmed bit assembly/disassembly of characters	620/L-01
620-61	Communication Line-Control Module. Provides interface between Communication Controller (620-60) and four Bell 103 type or equivalent data sets.	620-60, 620-61A(2)
620-61A	Data Set Cable, 25 feet, interconnects two data sets and a Line-Control Module (620-61)	
620-62	Automatic Call Unit Controller. The ACU controller provides program control of the 801 (A/C) Data Auxiliary Set and permits dialing any telephone number in the switched telephone network. Includes a 10-foot data set cable.	One U slot
620-65A	Data Set Controller – Bell 201 type or equivalent full/half duplex synchronous operation. Speed up	One U slot

to 4800 baud, single character, buffered, software sync recognition, code transparency, automatic answer. Includes a 10-foot data set cable.

620-65B	Dual 620-65A's Data Set Controllers. Includes two 10-foot data set cables.	One U slot
620-65C	Data Set Controller — Bell 201-301 type or equivalent, full/half duplex synchronous operation, double character buffering hardware line synchronization (sync characters may be changed under software control), code transparency, automatic answer. The 620-65C may be operated in conjunction with the DMA channel and Buffer Interlace Controller (620-20). Includes a 10-foot data set cable.	One U slot
620-66A	Data Set Controller — Bell 103 type or equivalent, full/half duplex asynchronous operation, speed up to 300 Baud, 9, 10, or 11 bit character format, with automatic answering capability. Includes a 10-foot data set cable.	One U slot
620-66B	Dual 620-66A's Data Set Controllers: Includes two 10-foot data set cables.	One U slot
620-67	Data Set Controller — Bell 202 type or equivalent, full/half duplex asynchronous operation, speed up to 2000 Baud, 9, 10, or 11 bit character format, Reverse Channel, automatic answer, hardware parity checking, data transfers are under program control or the Buffer Interlace Controller option may be utilized. Includes a 25-foot data set cable.	One U slot
620-68	Communication Controller. The 620-68 includes a 64 channel Multiplexer, line control buffer storage for 16 channels, and chassis space for: an additional line control buffer for 16 channels (1-Line Storage Module 620-68A) and line control modules for 32 channels. When expanding to more than 32 channels, a 620-68B expansion chassis is required in addition to Line Storage modules and Line Control Modules.	

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620-68A	Line Storage Module. 16-channel line buffer, line control modules for 16 channels may be connected to a Line Storage Module. First 620-68A will fit in the 620-68.	620-68 or 620-68B
620-68B	Line Expansion Chassis and Power Supply Expansion for channel 33 to 64.	620-68
620-68-1	Line Control Module. With a RS232B interface, 4 channels of full/half duplex asynchronous/synchronous operation.	620-68 or 620-68B
620-68-2	Line Control Module. With a CCITT interface, 4 channels of full/half duplex asynchronous/synchronous operation.	620-68 or 620-68B
620-68-3A	Line Control Module. For interfacing to a two-wire discrete communication system, 8 channels of half/duplex asynchronous operation.	620-68 or 620-68B
620-68-3B	Line Control Module. For interfacing to a two-wire discrete communication system, 4 channels of half/duplex asynchronous operation.	620-68 or 620-68B
620-68-4A	Line Control Module. For interfacing to a relay communication system, 8 channels of full/half duplex asynchronous operation.	620-68 or 620-68B
620-68-5	Line Control Module. With a MIL 188B interface, 2 channels of full/half duplex synchronous operation.	620-68 or 620-68B
620-92-2A	Cable from a Line Control Module to two Modems 10 feet each with mating Modem connectors.	620-68
620-92-2B	Cable from a Line Control Module to two Modems 25 feet each with mating Modem connectors.	620-68
620-92-2C	Cable from a Line Control Module to two Modems 50 feet each with mating Modem connectors.	620-68

Analog Controllers

620-85A	Analog-to-Digital Converter: 13-bit binary, ± 10 volts F.S. input, 55 KHz throughput (max), Sample and Hold input and programmable timer	One PC slot 620-88
620-850	Analog Input System: ADC with 13-bit binary, 55 KHz throughput, Sample and Hold, programmable timer. Multiplexer with 16 single-ended channels expandable to 256 channels	Two PC slots 620-88
620-851	Analog Input System: ADC with 13-bit binary, 55 KHz throughput, Sample and Hold, programmable timer. Multiplexer with 16 differential channels expandable to 256 channels	Two PC slots 620-88
620-860	Multiplexer Module, includes multiplexer control and 16 single-ended input channels. Input is ± 10 volts for full scale and 100 meg. ohms impedance	One PC slot 620-88
620-860A	Multiplexer Expansion Module. 16 single-ended input channels	One PC slot 620-860, 620-861 or 620-850, 620-851
620-861	Multiplexer Module, includes multiplexer control and 16 differential input channels. Input is ± 10 volts for full scale and 100 meg. ohms impedance	One PC slot 620-88
620-861A	Multiplexer Expansion Module. 16 differential input channels	One PC slot 620-860, 620-861 or 620-850, 620-851
620-870	DAC Module, one 10-bit binary DAC, ± 10 volts, full scale output at +5 ma (max), includes DAC control	One PC slot 620-88
620-870A	DAC Module, two 10-bit binary DAC, includes DAC control	One PC slot 620-88
620-870B	DAC Expansion Module, two 10-bit binary DAC	One PC slot 620-870 or 620-870A
620-871	DAC Module, one 12-bit binary DAC, ± 10 volts full scale output at ± 10 ma (max), includes DAC control	One PC slot 620-88

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620-871A	DAC Module, two 12-bit binary DAC includes DAC control	One PC slot 620-88
620-871B	DAC Expansion Module, two 12-bit binary DAC	One PC slot 620-871 or 620-871A
620-872	DAC Module, one 14-bit binary DAC, ± 10 volts full scale output at ± 10 ma (max), includes DAC control	One PC slot 620-88
620-872A	DAC Module, two 14-bit binary DAC, includes DAC control	One PC slot 620-88
620-872B	DAC Expansion Model, two 14-bit binary DAC	One PC slot 620-872 or 620-872A
620-873	DAC Model, one 10-bit binary DAC, ± 10 volts full scale output at ± 5 ma (max), and one 12-bit binary DAC ± 10 volts full scale output at ± 10 ma (max). Includes DAC control	One PC slot 620-88
620-874	DAC Module, one 10-bit binary DAC ± 10 volts full scale output at ± 5 ma (max), and one 14-bit binary DAC ± 10 volts full scale output at ± 10 ma (max). Includes DAC control	One PC slot 620-88
620-875	DAC Module, one 12-bit binary DAC and one 14-bit binary DAC. Both have ± 10 volts full scale output at ± 10 ma (max). Includes DAC control	One PC slot 620-88
620-88	Analog Power Supply: Input voltage 115/230 VAC $\pm 10\%$ 47 Hz to 63 Hz. Input current 1.6 RMS F.L. Outputs: +5 VDC at 5 A, ± 15 VDC at 1 A, ± 20 VDC at 250 ma, +24 VDC at 500 ma.	One PC slot (power distribution) Supply mounts on front or near cabinet rails

Accessories and Spares

620-90	19-inch Cabinet: 30 inches deep, 63-inch panel height, includes side panels, cooling unit and mounting of standard components	None
620-90-A	19-inch Cabinet: 30 inches deep, 63 inches high, side panels, cooling unit with casters and mounting of standard components	None

620/L-92-0	I/O Cable consisting of a cable of optional length (5' increments to 20') with paddle-board connectors at each end	None
620/L-92-1	I/O Cable Adapter – 620/L I/O connector to 620/i type connector	None
620/L-92-2	I/O Cable consisting of a cable of optional length (5' increments to 25') with 620/L paddleboard connector on one end and 620/i 75 pin male connector at other end	None
620/L-92-4	26 Pin Chassis Mount Interrupt Cable Connector Set – female connector only with all necessary hardware for mounting, wiring, and keying	None
620/L-92-5	I/O Connector Tool Kit consisting of crimp tool, removal tool, and insertion tool	None
620/L-92-6	Interrupt Cable consisting of a cable of optional length (10' to 20') with a 44 pin edge board connector, and 26 pin female connector and miscellaneous mounting hardware	None
620-92-7	620/L Extender Board	None
620/L-92-8	44 pin Edge Board Connector and Hood Assembly	None
620/L-92-9	Interrupt Cable consisting of cable of optional length (5' increments to 20') with 26 pin female connector only and mounting hardware	None
620-92-10	DM 135-0 . . . Multi-usage socket board	None
630-92-11	DM 135-1 . . . Multi-usage socket board kit consisting of a board, 54 individual 14 pin sockets, 6 individual 16 pin sockets (sockets not mounted on board)	None
620-92-12	DM 135-2 . . . Multi-usage socket board kit consisting of a board, 110 individual 14 pin sockets, 10 individual 16 pin sockets (sockets not mounted on board)	None

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620-92-13	DM 135-3 . . . Multi-usage socket board kit consisting of a board, 156 individual 14 pin sockets, 24 individual 16 pin socket (sockets not mounted on board)	None
620/L-95-1	Spares Kit, Module	None
620/L-95-2	Spares Kit, Components	None

SECTION 8 – CENTRAL PROCESSOR UNIT

The Varian 620/L computer has three major functional subdivisions:

1. The Central Processor Unit (CPU), described in detail in this section.
2. The Memory, described in Section 9.
3. The Input/Output Structure, described in Sections 11 and 12.

Figure 8-1 summarizes the functional elements that make up the CPU, and how they interrelate, in turn, with the computer memory and I/O structure. They can be grouped, for descriptive purposes, into five functional sections: control section, arithmetic/logic section, operational registers, auxiliary registers, and internal busses.

Control Section

The control section provides the timing and control signals required to perform all operations in the computer. The major elements in this section are the U register, the timing and decoding logic and the shift control.

The U register (instruction register) is 16 bits long. This register receives each instruction from memory through the W bus and holds the instruction during its execution.

The control fields of the instruction word are routed from the U register to the decoding and timing logic where the codes determine the required timing and control signals.

The logic decodes binary patterns to determine the control signal levels required

to perform the operations specified by the instruction. These levels select the timing signals generated by the timing unit.

The address field of the instruction word held in the U register is used for various addressing operations and is routed to the arithmetic/logic section.

Timing logic generates the basic 4.4-MHz system clock. From this clock, timing logic derives the timing pulses which control the sequence of all operations in the computer.

The shift control contains the shift counter and logic to control operations performed by the shift, multiply and divide instructions.

Arithmetic/Logic Section

The arithmetic/logic section consists of two elements; the R register and the arithmetic unit.

The R register receives operands from memory and holds them during instruction execution. The operand may be either data or address words. The register also permits transfers between memory and the I/O bus during the execution of extended-cycle instructions.

The arithmetic unit contains gating required for all arithmetic, logic and shifting operations performed by the computer. Indexed and relative address modifications are performed in this section without increased instruction execution time.

The arithmetic unit also controls the gating

central processor unit

of words from the operational registers and the I/O bus onto the C bus where they are distributed to the operational registers or to memory registers. This facility is used to implement many of the microinstructions of the computer.

Operational Registers

The CPU contains nine registers, four of which, the A, B, X, and P registers, are operational registers.

The A, B and X registers are directly accessible to the programmer. The P register is indirectly accessible through use of the jump instructions which modify the program sequence. The operational registers are described in the following paragraphs.

A Register

The A register is a 16-bit accumulator. The register holds the results of all arithmetic and logic operations referring to operands stored in memory. During multiplication it holds the most significant part of the product. It may also be used for I/O transfers under program control.

B Register

The B register serves as an extension to the accumulator in multiply and divide instructions and as a second index register. Shift instructions are available that shift the contents of the A and B registers simultaneously.

X Register

The X register is a 16-bit register that permits indexing of operand addresses without adding time to execution of indexed instructions.

P Register

The P register is a 16-bit register that holds

the address of the current instruction and is incremented before each new instruction is fetched. A full complement of instructions is available for conditional and unconditional modification of this register.

Overflow Indicator

An overflow indicator is set when arithmetic operations are performed on operands representing numbers exceeding the capacity of the 16-bit accumulator.

Auxiliary Registers

The other five registers are the U, S, L, W, and R registers. None are directly accessible to the programmer.

U Register

The U register is a 16-bit buffer that holds the instruction being executed. The U register buffers the control unit from memory to permit interlace I/O operation to occur on a memory-cycle by memory-cycle basis.

S Register

The S register is a 5-bit register which, in combination with the U register, works as the shift counter. The register also buffers memory from the control unit.

L Register

The L register is the 16-bit memory address register.

W Register

The W register is the 16-bit memory buffer register.

R Register

The R register is a 16-bit buffer which holds the multiplicand and divisor in arithmetic operations. The register buffers the arithmetic unit from memory to permit interlace I/O operations.

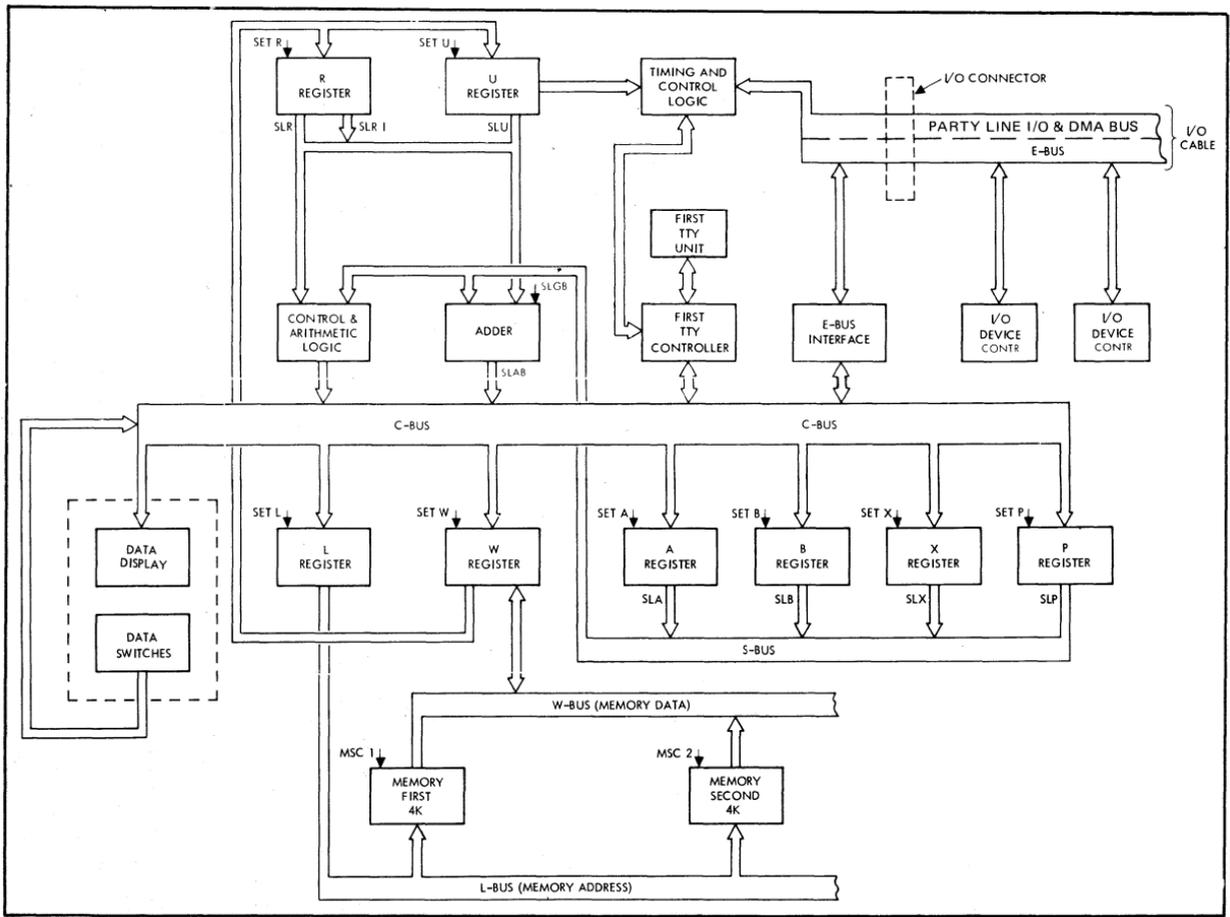


Figure 8-1. Varian 620/L Organization

Internal Busses

The CPU contains five busses. These are the C, S, W, L and E busses, as described below.

C Bus

The C bus provides the parallel path and selection logic for routing data between the arithmetic unit, the I/O bus, the operational registers and the memory registers. The console display indicators are also driven from the C bus. Collection and distribution of data simultaneously from and to multiple operational registers is facilitated by this bus.

S Bus

The S bus provides the parallel path and selection logic for routing data from the operational registers to the arithmetic unit.

W Bus

The memory word (W) register is directly connected to all memory modules through the W bus. The bus is bidirectional and time-shared among memory modules.

L Bus

The memory address (L) register is directly connected to all memory modules through the L bus. The bus is unidirectional.

E Bus

The E bus is a bidirectional input/output bus that is used for all data transfers between peripheral devices and the computer. The bus is an integral part of the I/O structure and is described in detail in Section 11.

Information Transfer

All data communication between the basic

functional elements of the CPU is through the three data busses C, S, and W.

The C and S busses are internal to the CPU. The W bus is external to the CPU and bi-directional; that is, a single set of lines is used to carry information both to and from the memory. The W bus provides a direct path to memory for the input-to-memory and output-from-memory I/O instructions and in combination with the buffered-interlace option (Section 12), it allows I/O operations to occur simultaneously with extended arithmetic and shift operations.

P Register to Memory

As an instruction cycle begins, the location of the next instruction is transferred from the P to L registers. The contents of the P register are also transferred through the S bus to the adder. The adder increments the location address with the arithmetic gates, and transfers the incremented count to the P register. The memory address register, L, now contains the address of the instruction word to be fetched from memory, and the P register holds the updated address.

Memory to U Register

During the instruction cycle, the instruction word located by the address in the L register is read out on the W bus and read into the W register and then transferred out to the U register.

U Register to Memory

For many instructions requiring an operand, the address of the operand is contained in the instruction word held in the U register. This operand address is transferred to the L register through gates in the arithmetic logic and the C bus. The address from the U register may be modified during the transfer to the L register as follows:

Direct Address No modification; bits 0-10 are transferred from the U register to the L register to directly address operand in the first 2098 memory locations.

Relative Address The effective operand address transferred to the L register is formed by adding bits 0-8 from the U register to the contents of the P register. This permits addressing any word up to 512 locations ahead of the current program locations.

Indexed Address The effective operand address transferred to the L register is formed by adding bits 0-8 from the U register to either the contents of the X register or the contents of the B register.

Indirect Address Same bit transfer as direct address; but the "operand" read from memory will be the address of an operand rather than the operand itself.

Memory to R Register

Operands read from memory into the W register are then transferred to the R register. The operands are stored in the R register while an arithmetic or logical operation is being performed.

For direct addressing (and for two-word addressing instructions in which the operand address is the second word), the operand address is read from memory into the W register and then transferred to the R register; it is then routed to the L register through the C bus.

Adder to Operational Registers

Outputs from the adder, generated as a result of an arithmetic operation involving the R register and one of the operational registers, are stored in an operation register through the C bus.

Operational Registers to Memory

The contents of any one of the operational registers can be transferred to memory by selecting that register onto the S bus and routing the word through the C bus and the W register. Note that an address cycle must precede this transfer to place the storage address in the L register.

Memory to Operational Registers

The contents of a memory location may be transferred to any of the operational registers through the W and C busses. Note that an address transfer must precede the data transfer to place the memory address in the L register.

Input to Memory

Input data from the E bus can be routed directly to memory through the C and W busses. Data transfer must be preceded by an address transfer to load the memory location into the L register. When the transfer is under control of an instruction, the memory address will be generated as a normal operand address.

Output from Memory

Output words may be transferred directly from memory to the I/O cable through the W and C busses. A storage address must first be transferred to the L register by an instruction.

Input to Operational Register

Input words may be transferred directly to the A or B registers through the E and C busses. These transfers are always controlled by an instruction, with the instruction designating the operational register to receive the word.

Output from Operational Registers

Words may be transferred directly from the A or B registers to the I/O cable through the S, C, and E busses. These transfers are controlled by an instruction which connects the selected register on the S bus.

Operational Register to Operational Register

The contents of an operational register may replace or modify the contents of itself or another register. The process of incrementing and restoring the contents of the P register has been described on page 8-4. The contents of the A, B, and X registers may be transferred, incremented, complemented, or decremented. The overflow indicator may be added or subtracted. All these operations involve selecting the register onto the S bus, processing in the adder, and transferring back through the C bus. Note that shifting is performed in this transfer path. The contents of the selected register are shifted left or right as they are gated from the arithmetic logic gates to the C bus. Note that this transfer path is involved in all register change type instructions

Decoding

The operation code and M fields of the instruction word (see Sections 18 and 19) stored in the U register are decoded to provide static control levels used throughout the execution of the instruction.

Operation Code Decoding

The instruction operation code is decoded in three functional categories: Class, Set, and Group.

Class decoding simply separates instructions into three classes: (1) Single-Word Addressable, (2) Single-Word Non-addressable or Double Word, and (3) Input/Output.

Set decoding simplifies gating requirements for the execution of the single-word addressable instructions. Timing functions are used to select the appropriate phase for executing the instruction.

Group decoding is an arbitrary structure. One of the group terms is true for all single-word addressable instructions. These terms are used in various gating structures to implement the separate operations.

M Field Decoding

The M field of the instruction word is decoded to specify the addressing mode or the instruction type, according to the instruction class defined in the operation code.

Timing

The Varian 620/L operates on a basic 1.8-microsecond machine cycle. That is, a full memory cycle (Read/Restore or Clear/Write) is performed in each 1.8-microsecond time interval (except in some special cases in which this period is extended; these cases will be discussed in subsequent paragraphs). All operations performed by the computer are accomplished within some multiple of this basic timing period.

To execute the various operations, several sub-operations are performed during the memory cycle time. Timing of these sub-operations is controlled by an internal 2.2 MHz master clock. The period of this master clock is 0.45 microseconds, or one-fourth of the basic 1.8-microsecond machine cycle; this permits multiple sub-operations to be executed during the memory cycle period. Note that the first half-cycle (0.9 microseconds) of the memory period is used to access a word (read) or to clear a memory location (clear); the second half-cycle is used to restore a word (restore) or to write a

new word (write) into the memory location (see Section 9).

Clocks

The clocks which control the timing of all operations in the computer are generated by the timing and control logic. The clocks are listed in Figure 8-2 and illustrated in Figure 8-3.

All functions performed by the Varian 620/L are broken into two basic phases:

1. Fetching an instruction from memory.
2. Executing the instruction.

Clock Modifiers

The basic address and execution phases may be modified by certain program instructions or by signals received from devices external

to the computer. The conditions under which the periods of the basic clocks are modified are as follows:

Shift

During shifting operations with words contained in the A and B registers, the execute phase (EPHX+) is extended by the number of master clock periods (0.45 microseconds) equal to the specified number of shifts.

Interrupt

When an external interrupt is received, the address phase (EPHX-) is extended 0.9 microseconds to accommodate delays in receiving the interrupt address from the external device.

Master Clock (MCLX+)	Crystal-controlled timing signal (2.2 MHz) for entire system.	Execute Phase (EPHX+)	Basic timing phase, synchronous with read or clear half cycles of memory; all operations on words (transfers of data to and from memory and execution of instructions) are performed during this period.
Phase Clock (PHCX+)	1.1 MHz timing signal (counted down and synchronous with MCLX+). Used to time the basic execute and address phases of the computer.	Clock 1 (CL1X+)	Basic timing pulse used to initiate memory cycle and all operations synchronous with start of memory cycle.
Address Phase (EPHX-)	Basic timing phase, synchronous with restore or write half cycles of memory; all transfers of instruction and operand addresses to memory are performed during this period.	Clock 2 (CL2X+)	Basic timing clock used to initiate all operations synchronized with start of memory write or restore half-cycle.

Figure 8-2. Basic Timing Clocks

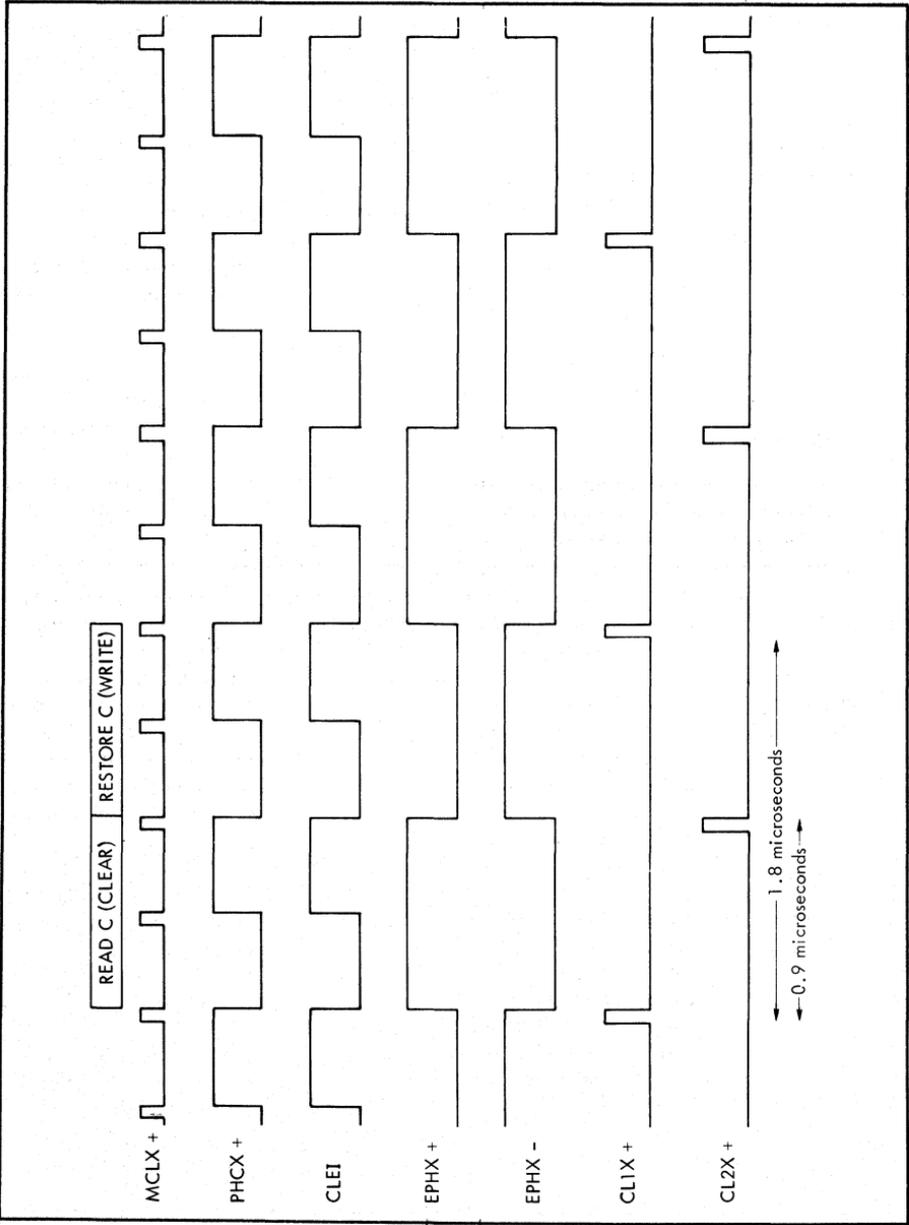


Figure 8-3. Basic Timing Clock

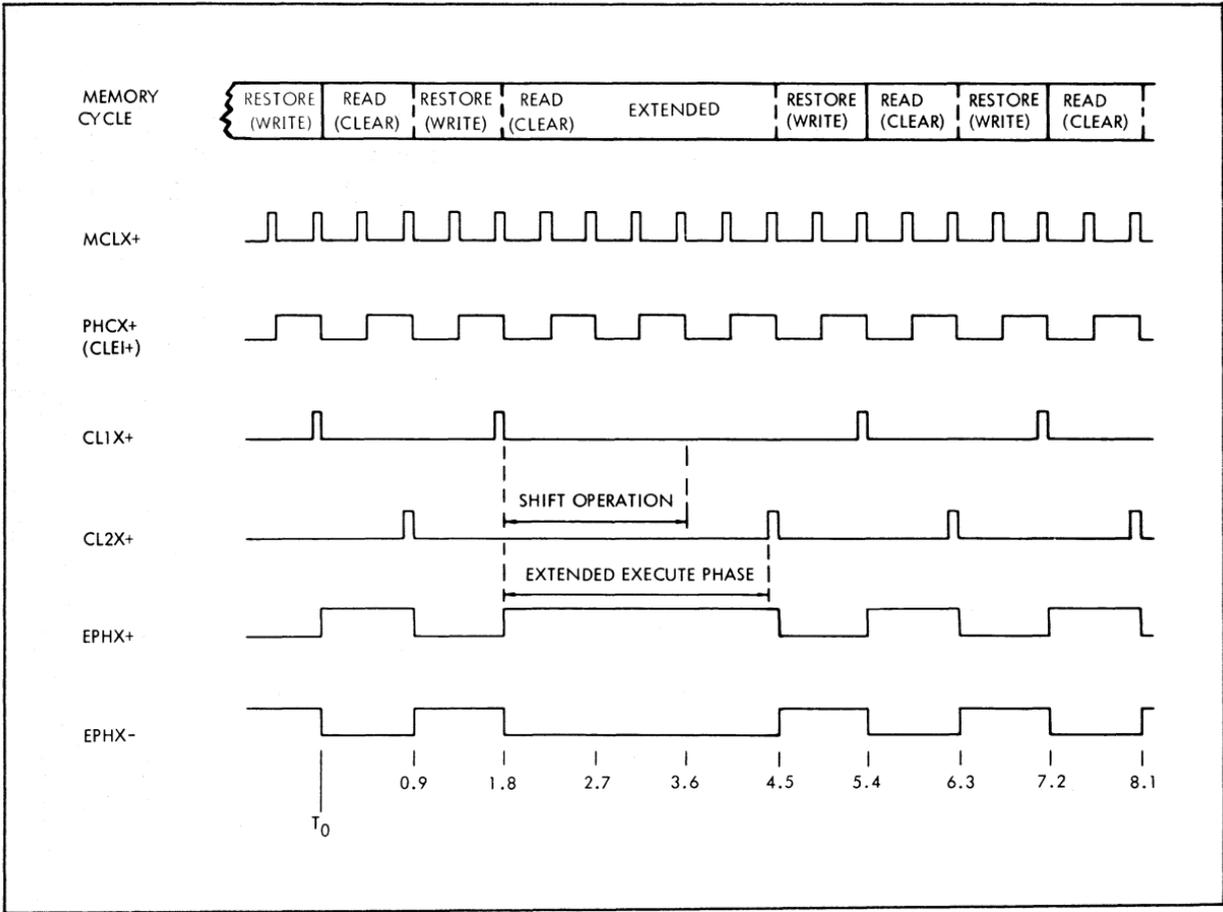


Figure 8-4. Example of Modified Clock Sequence

Trap When a buffer interlace controller requests a transfer to or from memory, the address phase (EPHX-) is extended 3.15 microseconds to permit the execution of the full trap sequence (routing of address and data from the external device).

Halt On a halt instruction, clocks CL1X+ and CL2X+ are inhibited. This prevents any further operations until the STEP or RUN switches are operated.

Modification of the execute phase of an instruction is illustrated in Figure 8-4. This modified sequence is typical of a shift instruction. At time 0, the instruction has been fetched from memory. Starting at time 0.9, the instruction is executed. However, the normal 0.45-microsecond execute phase is extended 0.45 microseconds for each shift (six, in this illustration). Note that clocks 1 and 2 (CL1X+ and CL2X+) are inhibited during the extended execution period. In a similar manner, the address phase is extended when required by the conditions defined above.

Operating Sequences

The basic clocks generated from the master clock are used to time three operating sequences: instruction cycle (ICYX+), operand cycle (OCYX+) and address cycle (ACYX+). All operations performed by the computer are timed by one or more of these timing sequences.

Three typical operating sequences are described in the following paragraphs. There are variations to these sequences, depending upon the particular instruction being executed. However, an understanding of these

fundamental operations will enable the user to quickly understand the timing of each individual instruction sequence.

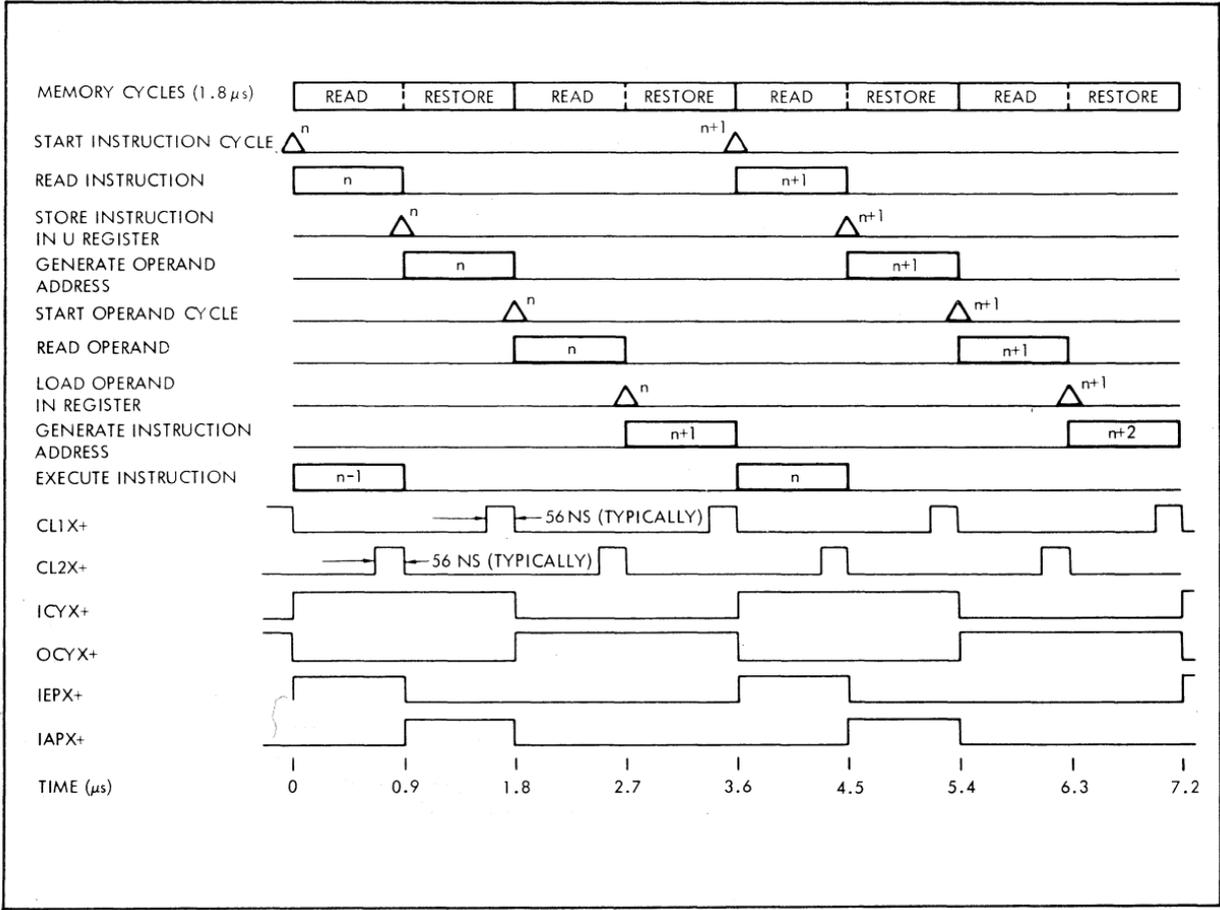
Access operand in memory. The simplest and most basic sequence is one in which a single-word, directly addressed operand is read from memory. This is typical of the load, arithmetic (excluding multiply and divide), and logic type instructions. The timing of the sub-operations of this sequence is illustrated in Figure 8-5. At time 0, the instruction cycle (ICYX+) for the n th instruction is initiated. Note that the $n-1$ st instruction is being executed (IEPX+) while the current instruction (n) is being read from memory. At time 0.9, the instruction is transferred to the U register. During the instruction address phase (IAPX+), which occurs while the instruction just read is being restored to memory, the operand address is generated.

Since the operand is not indirectly addressed, the operand cycle (OCYX+) is initiated at time 1.8. After the operand has been read from memory and stored in the R register, the address of the next instruction $n + 1$ is generated (normally by adding 1 to the P register) and transferred to the memory L register. This sub-operation is performed while the operand is being restored in memory. The instruction cycle (ICYX+) for $n + 1$ is then initiated at time 3.6.

Note that the operation to be performed upon the operand now contained in R is executed during the instruction execution phase (IEPX+) of the ICYX+ for $n + 1$. This operation could be, for example, adding the operand value to the contents of the A register and storing the result in A (ADD instruction), or simply transferring the operand to one of the operational registers (LDA, LDB, LDX instructions).

Store operand in memory. The sequence for

Figure 8-5. Sequence for Operand Access from Memory



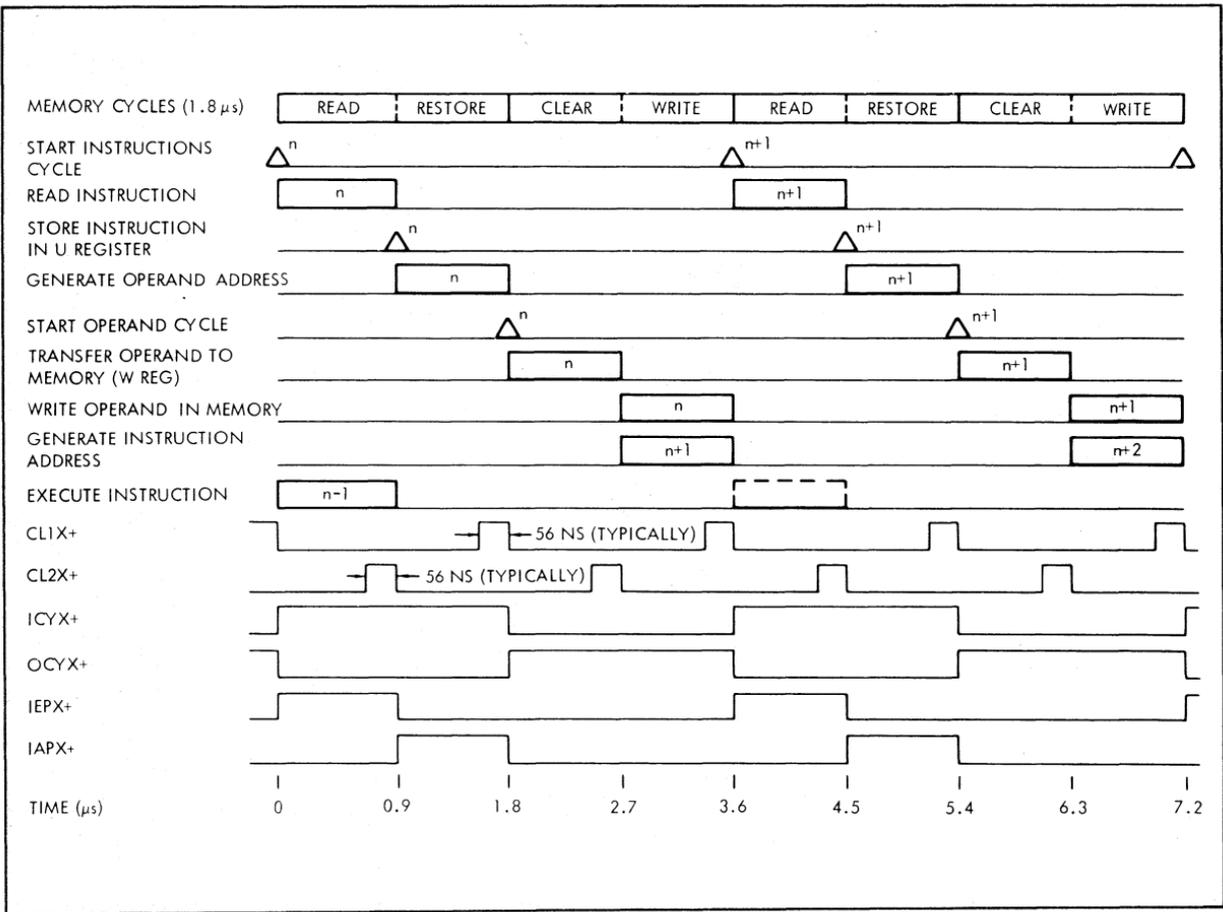
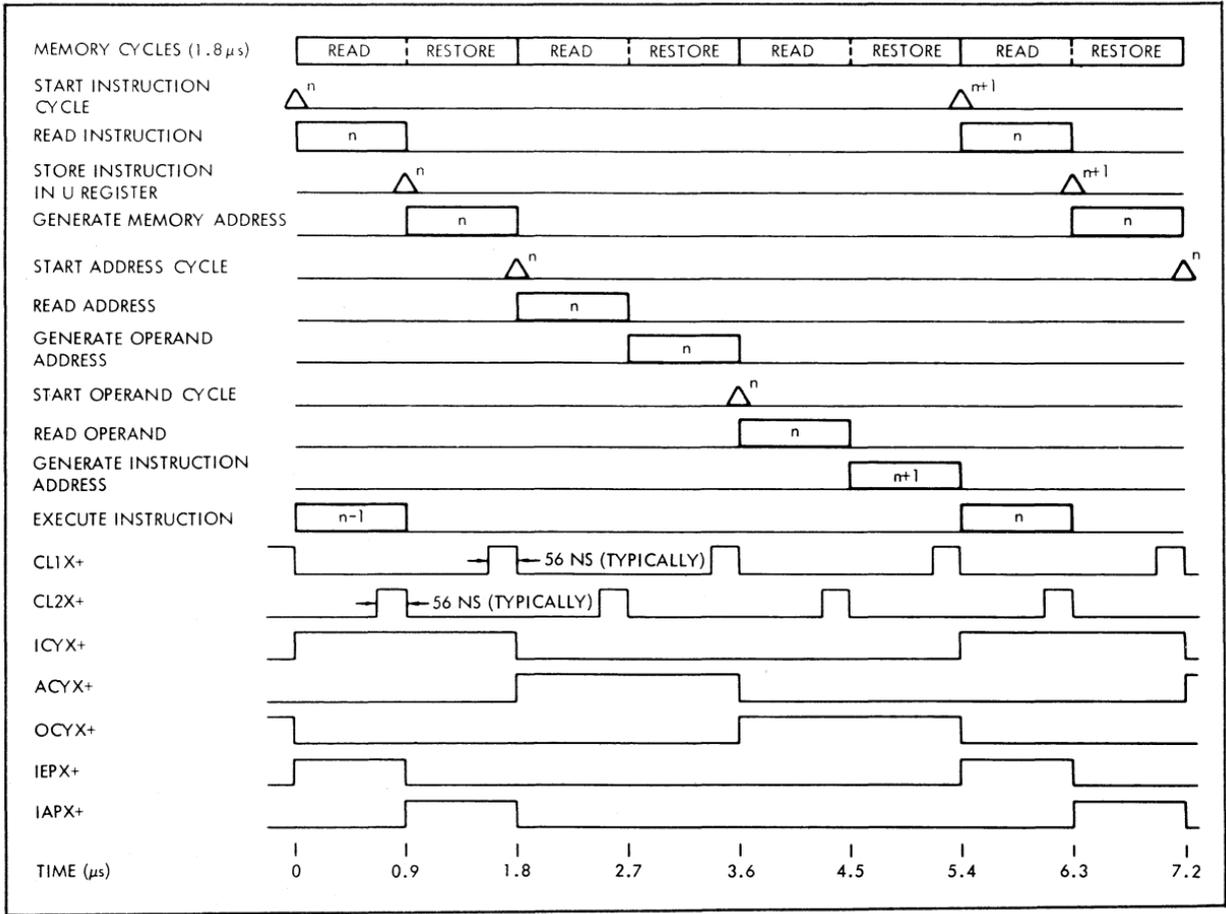


Figure 8-6. Sequence for Operand Storage in Memory

Figure 8-7. Sequence for Indirect Operand Access



CPU timing

storing an operand in memory (STA, STB, STX) is essentially identical to that for accessing an operand, except that the specified memory cell is cleared and the operand written into it. The sequence of sub-operations is shown in Figure 8-6.

The n th instruction is accessed and the operand address generated during the ICYX+ as before; execution of the $n-1$ st instruction occurs during IEPX- of the n th cycle as indicated. However, during the operand cycle (OCYX+), the operand is transferred to memory while the referenced cell is being cleared. During the last half of the cycle, the operand is stored into the cell just cleared. During this time, the address for the next instruction is generated. Note that there is no execution, as such, for this type of instruction (indicated by dashed lines) because the execution has already been accomplished, in effect, by the transfer and storage of the operand in memory.

Indirect operand access. The third basic sequence illustrated involves indirectly accessing an operand in memory by a single-word instruction. In this case, an

address cycle (ACYX+) is required to read the indirect address word from memory before performing the operand cycle (OCYX-).

The sequence of sub-operations is illustrated in Figure 8-7. During the instruction cycle (ICYX+), the n th instruction is read from memory and stored in the U register as before. The previous instruction, $n-1$, is executed during IEPX+. During the instruction address phase, IAPX+, the location of the (indirect) address word is generated. This address word is read from memory and stored in the R register as indicated in the timing diagram. For the case illustrated, the address word accessed contains the address of the operand (otherwise, another address cycle would be initiated to access a second address word, and so on). The operand address is transferred to the memory L register during the last half of ACYX+ to locate the operand read out during the succeeding OCYX+. The generation of the address for instruction $n + 1$ and the execution of instruction n are then performed as in the case for the simple-operand access considered previously.

SECTION 9 – MEMORY

The Varian 620/L memory system is an expandable, random-access, 3W/3D, magnetic-core memory. The basic package accommodates 4,096 or 8,192 sixteen-bit words. The system can be expanded to 32,768 words in 4,096-word increments.

Performance specifications of the Varian 620/L memory system are given in Figure 9-1.

Memory Design

A block diagram of the Varian 620/L memory is illustrated in Figure 9-4.

The memory circuits are contained on four types of cards:

The memory timing control (MTC) card contains timing and logic control circuits.

The driver/sink switch (DSS) card contains 16 driver and 16 sink switch pairs that drive two 4,096 x 16 bit stacks. Read/write timing (from MTC card), with the stack select signal (from the CPU), determines when the selected driver/sink switch pair is to provide the current flow.

The memory stack (MS) card consists of a diode-decoding matrix and a magnetic core array. The stack is planar, 3W/3D, and accommodates 4,096 sixteen-bit words. Sixty-four X and sixty-four Y lines decode 4,096 words. Each line has two diodes.

The sixteen bits are formed by sixteen 4,096 core mats. Each mat has an individual sense/inhibit line.

The sense/inhibit (SI) card contains 16 sense amplifiers and 16 inhibit drivers (referred to as 16 pairs). Each pair is associated with a sense/inhibit line on the stack module to form one sense/inhibit loop for a single bit.

Master Memory Assembly

The basic Varian 620/L memory assembly is an 8K master memory, installed in the mainframe.

The master memory consists of six circuit cards: one memory timing control (MTC), card, one driver/sink switch (DSS) card, two memory stack (MS) cards, and two sense/inhibit (SI) cards.

Except for the MS cards, the cards are 7-3/4-by-12-inch cards, each containing a 122-pin connector for mounting in the Varian 620/L backplane. The cards are installed through the rear of the mainframe.

The MS cards are bolted to the SI cards and plug into right-angle connectors mounted on the SI cards. When connected, an MS and SI card combination occupy two card slots in the mainframe.

The mainframe card slot assignments are listed in Figure 9-2.

Expansion Memories

Memory expansion is accomplished with 8K or 4K slave memory assemblies, in an expansion frame. The memory system is expandable to 32K using a single expansion chassis.

Specification	Description
Timing	<p>Time measured from 50 percent point of select leading edge</p> <p>Cycle time: 1,800 nanoseconds minimum</p> <p>Access time: 700 nanoseconds maximum</p> <p>Repetition ratio: one cycle every 1,800 nanoseconds</p> <p>Write data available from 900 to 1,600 nanoseconds</p> <p>Address available at 200 nanoseconds (settled out)</p> <p>Memory start pulsewidth: 40 nanoseconds minimum, 300 nanoseconds maximum</p>
Typical Tests	<p>Patterns: All ones All zeros Worst case Address Random</p> <p>All patterns may be complemented by word or bit</p> <p>Read/restore mode: All cycles error-checked</p> <p>Half-cycle operation</p> <p>Memory can operate:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">a. Indefinitely at any addressb. In the burst mode, i.e., any series of memory cycles interspersed by nonoperating time
Environmental	<p>Designed to mount in 620/L mainframe or expansion chassis at a temperature range of +5 to +45 degrees C and 0 to 90 percent relative humidity without condensation</p>

Figure 9-1. Varian 620/L Memory System Performance Specifications (1 of 2)

Operating Limits	X/Y current: ± 5 percent minimum around optimum point
	Inhibit current: ± 5 percent minimum around optimum point
	Logic power supply voltages can be biased ± 5 percent from nominal

Figure 9-1. Varian 620/L Memory System Performance Specifications (2 of 2)

An 8K slave memory assembly is the same as the 8K master memory except it has no MTC card. A 4K slave memory assembly is the same as 8K slave memory except it has only one SI card and one MS card.

A memory buffer card is required to buffer W and L bus signals to and from the slave memory.

The expansion chassis memory card slot assignments are listed in Figure 9-3.

Memory Interface Signals and Timing

The address is sent to memory by the L bus, and data is sent to or from memory by the W bus.

The CPU requests access to memory by raising a memory start pulse. (See Figures 9-5 and 9-6.) The memory cycle begins after a decode delay. The memory performs either a read/restore or clear/write operation depending on the level of the control line write/read (WRTX+). For the read/restore cycle, the data is available on the W bus 700 nanoseconds after the leading edge of the memory start pulse. During the time interval of 900 to 1,600 nanoseconds after the leading edge of the memory start pulse, data on the W bus is written into memory in the write half cycle.

The memory can perform half-cycle or full-cycle operations, depending on the level of FCYX+. For a half-cycle operation, the control line FCYX+ from the CPU is at a low level causing the memory to stop after the read half cycle. The memory waits for the second memory start pulse before performing the write half cycle.

Card Slot	Card Name
1*	Memory expansion connector and memory stack card
2	Sense inhibit card
3	Driver/sink switch card
4*	Memory stack card
5	Sense inhibit card
6	Memory timing control card

*The memory stack card occupies this card-slot space but does not plug into the slot connector; it plugs into a right-angle connector mounted on the sense inhibit card.

Figure 9-2. Mainframe Memory Card Slot Assignments

Card Slot	Card Name
1	Blank
2	Memory expansion connector
3	Memory buffer card
4*	Memory stack card
5	Sense inhibit card
6	Driver/sink switch card
7*	Memory stack card
8	Sense inhibit card
9*	Memory stack card
10	Sense inhibit card
11	Driver/sink switch card
12*	Memory stack card
13	Sense inhibit card
1	Blank
2*	Memory stack card
3	Sense inhibit card
4	Driver/sink switch card
5*	Memory stack card
6	Sense inhibit card

*The memory stack card occupies this card-slot space but does not plug into the slot connector; it plugs into a right-angle connector mounted on the sense inhibit card.

Figure 9-3. Memory Expansion Chassis Card Slot Assignments

Automatic Memory Enable/Disable

The Varian 620/L computer contains an automatic memory enable/disable (AMED) circuit.

The AMED circuit automatically protects the contents of the Varian 620/L memory during manual power turn on/off. The computer must be placed in the step mode (i.e. must be halted). Computer systems with the power fail/restart option do not require or have an AMED circuit.

Wrap-Around Addressing

Wrap-around addressing is available (upon request) as a standard function of the Varian 620/L memory. This feature automatically prevents the CPU from trying to address data to or from nonexistent memory locations. Without the wrap-around feature, data read out of a nonexistent memory location results in zero and data written in are lost.

Wrap-around addressing is implemented with jumper connections on the back plane connector of the Memory Timing Control Card (DM286) and Processor Control #4 Card (DM112).

In a computer with a 4K memory (addresses 0 through 4,095) that is wired for 4K wrap-around addressing, each existing memory location can be addressed by its own address plus seven corresponding addresses in non-existent memory. That is, location 0 is addressed by 0, 4,096, 8,192, 12,288, 16,384, 20,480, 24,576, and 28,672.

For 8K wrap-around addressing, each existing memory location can be addressed by its own address plus three nonexistent memory addresses. For 16K wrap-around addressing, each existing memory location can be addressed by its own address plus one non-existent memory address.

For memory sizes not equal to 4K, 8K, or 16K, the wrap-around addressing cannot be implemented.

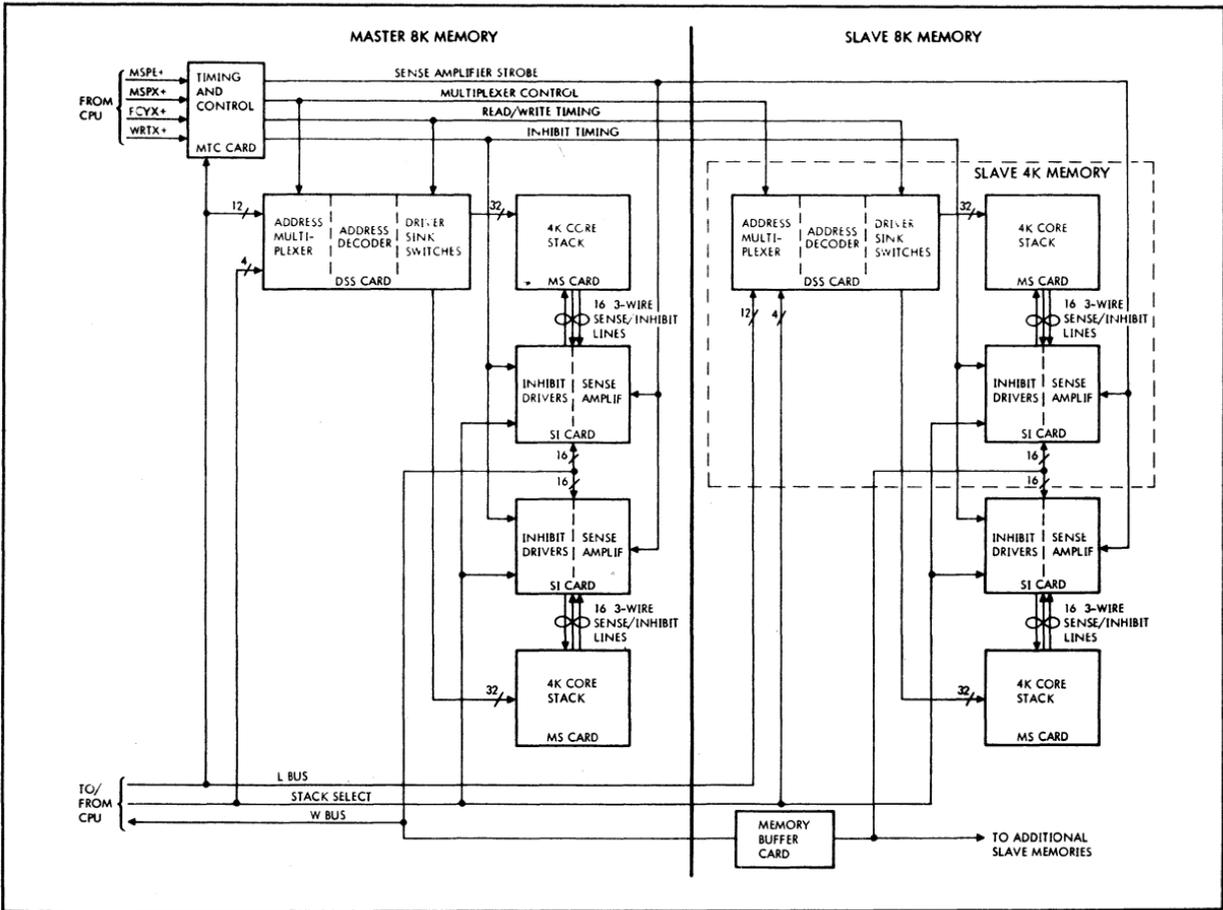


Figure 9-4. Varian 620/L Memory Block Diagram

Figure 9-5. Varian 620/L Full-Cycle Memory Interface Waveforms

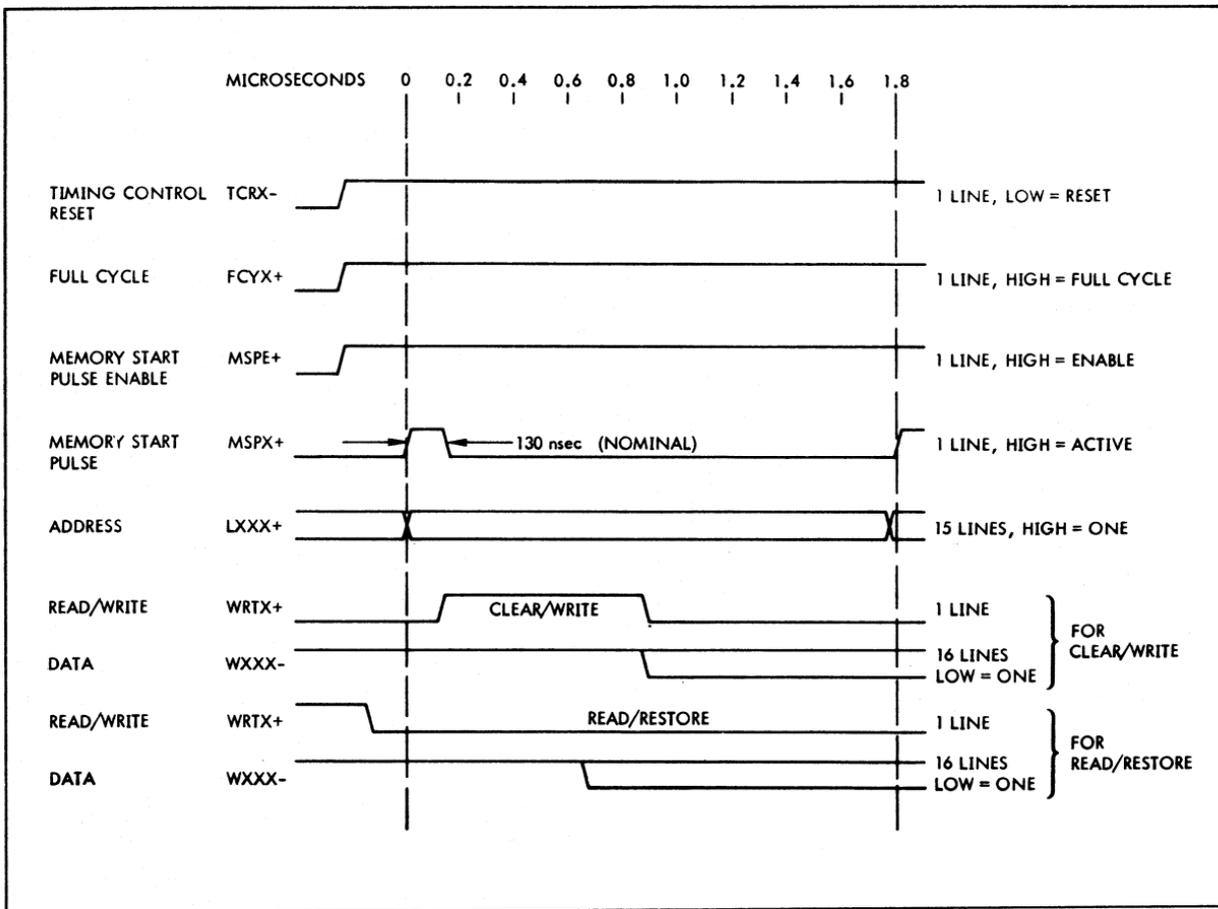
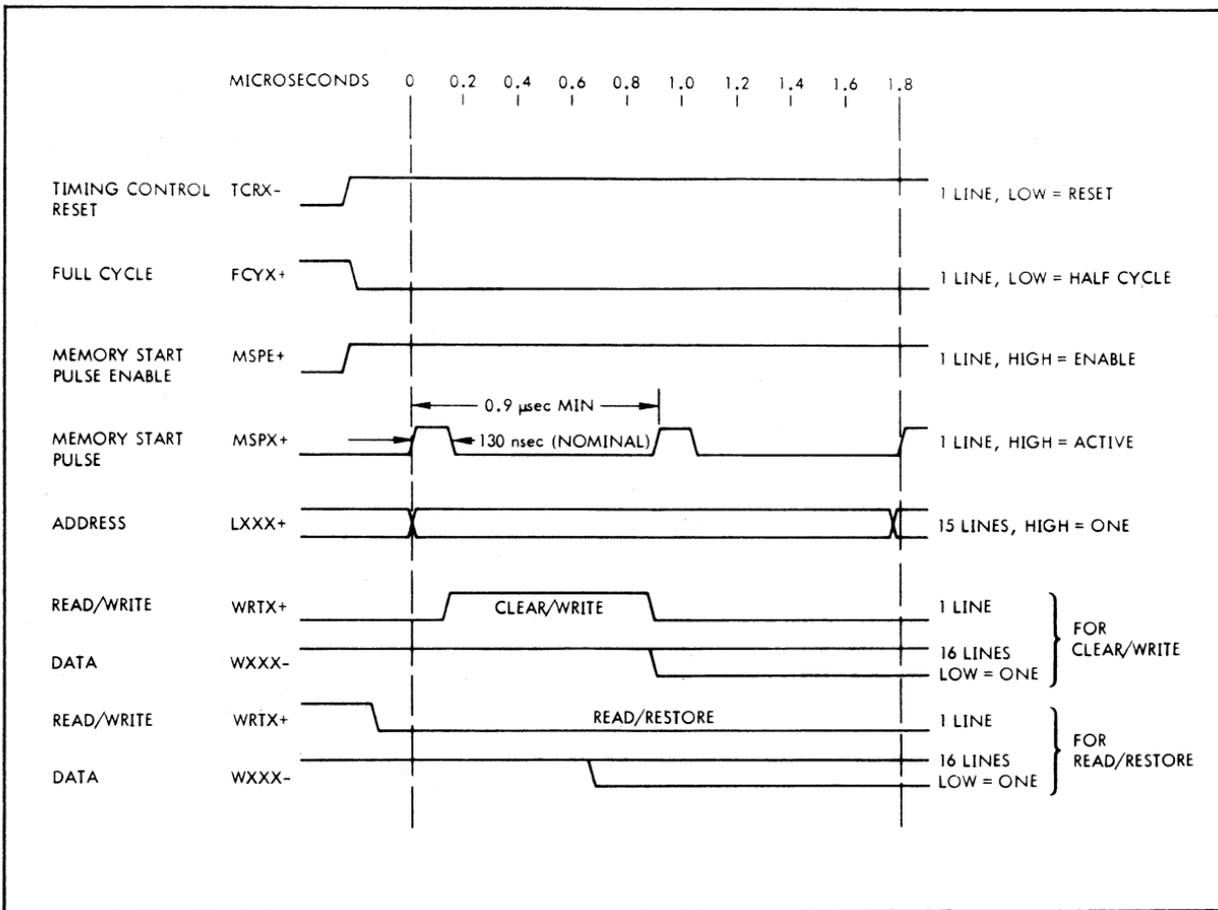


Figure 9-6. Varian 620/L Half-Cycle Memory Interface Waveforms



SECTION 10 – MAINFRAME OPTIONS

Four mainframe options are available for the Varian 620/L computer:

1. Hardware multiply/divide and extended addressing
2. Memory protection
3. Real time clock
4. Power failure/restart

Provisions are made within the mainframe enclosure for the installation of all four option cards. These are in addition to the I/O options detailed in Section 12.

Hardware Multiply/Divide and Extended Addressing

This option provides three additional features for the computer. These are: multiply, divide and extended addressing.

During multiply, the contents of the B register are multiplied by the contents of a specified memory location. The original contents of the A register are added to the final product. Execution time is 18 microseconds.

During divide, the contents of the A and B registers are divided by the contents of a specified memory location. Execution time is 18 to 25.2 microseconds.

During extended addressing, all single-word load, store, arithmetic and execute instructions can be programmed as double-word instructions, where the second word contains the effective address of the operand.

Details of the extended-addressing instructions are given in Section 20.

Specifications and instructions for the option are summarized in Figures 10-1 and 10-2.

Memory Protection (MP)

The MP option prevents unauthorized program entry and modification into areas of core memory designated as protected area by programs residing in unprotected areas.

The MP divides core into consecutive 512-word segments of core. Each segment is designated a protected or an unprotected area. The protected/unprotected status of each segment is stored in the MP in four 16-bit mask registers that are loaded by I/O instructions from the CPU. The mask registers can store the status of up to 64 segments, i.e., up to 32K words.

Specifications for the MP option are given in Figure 10-3.

Real Time Clock (RTC)

The Real Time Clock (RTC) option permits time-of-day accumulation or generation of known time periods for program sequencing. The RTC option contains an internal time-base oscillator, a "divide-by-eight" frequency counter, an interrupt memory register, and interrupt control logic and output line drivers. Line receivers, an address decoder, an overflow-detect circuit, and an external time-base input are also included.

The Real Time Clock operates by periodi-

Multiply/Divide (M/D)	
Organization	Contains multiply/divide and shift
Multiply Algorithm	$A + (B \cdot R) = A, B$ where <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A = Initial A register content B = Multiplier (in B register) R = Multiplicand (in memory) A, B = product plus A in A and B registers; most significant half in A, least significant half in B
Multiplication Capability	Maximum multiplier: 32,767 or -32,768 Maximum multiplicand: 32,767 or -32,768 Maximum product: 1,073,741,824
Divide Algorithm	$(A, B) / R = B + A$ where <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A, B = Dividend (in A and B registers; most significant half in A, least significant half in B) R = Divisor (in memory) B = Quotient (in B register) A = Remainder (in A register)
Division Capability	Maximum divisor: 32,767 or -32,768 Maximum dividend: 1,073,741,824 Maximum quotient: 32,767 or -32,768
Extended Addressing	
Number of Instructions	14 (load, store, arithmetic and execute)
Instruction Format	See Sections 18, 19, and 20

Figure 10-1. Specifications for Hardware Multiply/Divide and Extended Addressing Option

Mnemonic	Octal	Functional Description	Time/Cycles
A. Divide (one-word instruction)			
DIV	170000	Divide AB register 16-bit 18-bit	10-14 11-15
B. Multiply (one-word instruction)			
MUL	160000	Multiply B register 16-bit 18-bit	10 11
C. Extended Address (two-word instruction)			
LDAE	00601X	Load A register extended	3
LDBE	00602X	Load B register extended	3
LDXE	00603X	Load X register extended	3
STAE	00605X	Store A register extended	3
STBE	00606X	Store B register extended	3
STXE	00607X	Store X register extended	3
INRE	00604X	Increment and Replace Extended	4
ADDE	00612X	Add memory to A register extended	3
SUBE	00614X	Subtract memory from A register extended	3
MULE	00616X	Multiply B register 16-bit extended 18-bit	11 12
DIVE	00617X	Divide AB register 16-bit extended 18-bit	11-15 12-16
ORAE	00611X	Inclusive OR extended	3
ERAE	00613X	Exclusive OR extended	3
ANAE	00615X	AND extended	3

Figure 10-2. Multiply/Divide and Extended Addressing Instructions

Parameter	Description
Organization	Consists of A bus receive, device address decode, function control, mask register, segment address register, instruction address register, protected address detect, error detect, CPU control, interrupt request, and A bus drive sections
Capability	Protects up to sixty-four 512-word memory segments
Timing Sources	18-MHz and 9-MHz clocks from CPU
Prerequisite Options	None
I/O Capability	Six external control and eight data transfer instructions
Priority Assignment	Determined by location in the Varian 620/L priority chain; normally the highest with respect to the DMA interrupt priority assignment
Logic Levels	Positive Logic True: +2.4 to +2.25V dc False: 0.0 to +0.45V dc Negative Logic True: 0.0 to 0.45V dc False: +2.4 to +5.25V dc
Size	One 3-by-15-inch (7.7 x 38.0 cm) wired-socket card
Interconnection	Plugs into 620/L backplane
Input Power	+5.0V dc at 2.5 amperes
Operational Environment	0 to 50 degrees C; 0 to 90 percent relative humidity without condensation

Figure 10-3. Specification for Memory Protection Option

Parameter	Description
Organization	Contains input line receivers, an address decoder, an address decoder, an internal time-base oscillator, a "divide-by-eight" frequency counter, an overflow-detect circuit, an interrupt memory register, interrupt control logic, and output line drivers.
I/O Capability	Four external control commands (EXC)
Types of Interrupt	Increment interrupts and overflow interrupts
Internal time-base frequency range	400Hz to 80K Hz, pre-selectable
Oscillator drift	Less than 1.0%/24 hours.
External input	External time-base receiver circuitry included.
Oscillator output	Rectangular pulses, 0- +5 vdc, 40-60% duty cycle
Logic Levels:	
I/O Cable	Negative Logic: True = 0.0 to +0.45 vdc False = +2.8 to +3.6 vdc
Internal	Positive Logic: True = +2.4 to +5.5 vdc False = 0.0 to +0.5 vdc
Device Address	47 ₈
Memory Address:	
Increment interrupt	44 ₈ and 45 ₈
Overflow interrupt	46 ₈ and 47 ₈
RTC Priority	
Assignment	Determined by order of placement on I/O cable. (Normally second only to PF/R option).
Size	One 7-3/4-by-12-inch etched circuit card

Figure 10-4. Specifications for Real Time Clock Option (1 of 2)

Parameter	Description
Interconnection	Interfaces with 620/L I/O bus through mainframe backplane connector. If external time-base is used, input is connected to mainframe backplane, slot 22, pin 28; return to pin 30.
Connectors used	One 122-terminal card-edge connector (mates with female connector on mainframe backplane).
Input power requirement	+5 vdc; +12 vdc
Operational Environment	+5° to +45° C, up to 90% relative humidity (without condensation)

Figure 10-4. Specifications for Real Time Clock Option (2 of 2)

Mnemonic	Octal	Functional Description
EXC 0147	100147	Enable RTC. Enables both increment and overflow interrupts.
EXC 0447	100447	Disable RTC (initialize). Disables both increment and overflow interrupts, resets interrupt register and "divide-by-eight" counter.
EXC 0247	100247	Disable Overflow. Inhibits overflow interrupt requests.
EXC 0347	100347	Enable Increment/disable overflow. Enables increment interrupt; inhibits overflow interrupts.

Figure 10-5. Real Time Clock Instructions

cally interrupting the main computer program to initiate subroutines which accomplish the desired real time function. The rate at which interrupts occur is determined by the frequency of the oscillator provided in the RTC or by the frequency determined by an external time-base oscillator.

A predetermined frequency within the range of 400 Hz to 80 KHz is generated by the

internal time-base oscillator in the RTC. This user-selectable frequency is determined by choice of capacitor and resistor values in the oscillator circuitry, and may be changed, if desired, by replacement of one or more of a group of eight components. Unless otherwise specified, RTC options are delivered with the oscillator frequency set at 8 KC. Precise adjustment of oscillator frequency, within a limited range, may be

Parameter	Description
Organization	Consists of a control sequencer, interrupt request logic, and control signal logic
Subroutines	SAVE at location 040 and RESTORE at location 042
Priority Assignment	Normally second-highest with respect to DMA/interrupt priority assignment (exceeded only by MP)
Power-Down Timing	Disables memory and the CPU less than 2 milliseconds after power loss; up to 300 microseconds allowed for power-down subroutine
Power-Up Timing	Less than 40 milliseconds after the restoration of full power
Logic Levels:	
I/O	Negative Logic True: 0.0 to +0.5V dc False: +2.8 to +3.6V dc
CPU and Memory	Positive Logic True: +2.4 to +5.5V dc False: 0.0 to +0.5V dc
Size	Occupies approximately 15 IC sockets on a 3-by-15-inch (7.7 x 38.1 cm) circuit card; shares card with RTC
Interconnection	Plugs into 620/L backplane
Input Power	+5V dc at 0.5 ampere
Operational Environment	0 to 50 degrees C, 0 to 90 percent relative humidity without condensation

Figure 10-6. Specifications for Power Failure/Restart Option

mainframe options

accomplished by means of a vernier potentiometer on the RTC card.

Specifications and instructions for the RTC option are given in Figures 10-4 and 10-5.

Power Failure/Restart (PF/R)

The PF/R provides an orderly shutdown in case of power failure or turnoff and restarts the program when power is restored.

Power input to the computer is indirectly monitored by the PF/R. A power failure monitor voltage in the computer power supply is constantly sensed to determine

power status. If the monitor voltage drops, the PF/R causes an interrupt. The CPU then executes a user-programmed service routine that places the contents of volatile registers into memory. The program stops, the memory is disabled, and the system resets.

When power is restored, the PF/R enables the memory. The CPU executes a user-programmed service routine that restores the contents of the volatile registers, and the system resumes service of the program in progress at the time of the interrupt.

Specifications for the PF/P option are given in Figure 10-6.

SECTION 11 – INPUT/OUTPUT SYSTEM

The Varian 620/L input/output system provides a powerful and flexible interface between the computer and the peripheral devices that are connected to it.

The I/O system has three principal parts:

- a. The timing-and-control logic and E-bus/C-bus interface within the CPU.
- b. A series of peripheral-device controllers.
- c. A party-line, time-shared I/O bus that interconnects the CPU and the controllers.

The CPU portion of the system has been described in Section 8. Details on the controllers for specific peripheral devices, are given in Section 13. The present section concentrates on the role played by the I/O bus and the interaction between the I/O bus and the peripheral controllers.

I/O Options

The capabilities of the I/O system can be greatly expanded by the addition of either or both of two I/O options:

The Priority Interrupt Module (PIM), which allows any peripheral controller in the system to initiate its own interrupt subroutine.

The Buffer Interface Controller (BIC), which allows high-data-rate peripherals to transfer data to or from memory at rates up to 202,000 words per second, using a cycle-stealing, direct-memory-access (DMA) trapping technique.

The I/O bus, backplane wiring, and CPU logic of the standard Varian 620/L are fully implemented for both these options. Consequently, the following description of the I/O system assumes that both options are included. Details on the options themselves are given in Section 12.

I/O System Functions and Organization

The I/O system is organized as shown in Figure 11-1. All of the peripheral controllers and I/O options, other than the first teletype controller, are connected to the I/O bus. The I/O-bus connections within the mainframe chassis and the expansion chassis take the form of backplane wiring; chassis-to-chassis I/O-bus connections are via an I/O cable that interconnects the backplanes of each chassis.

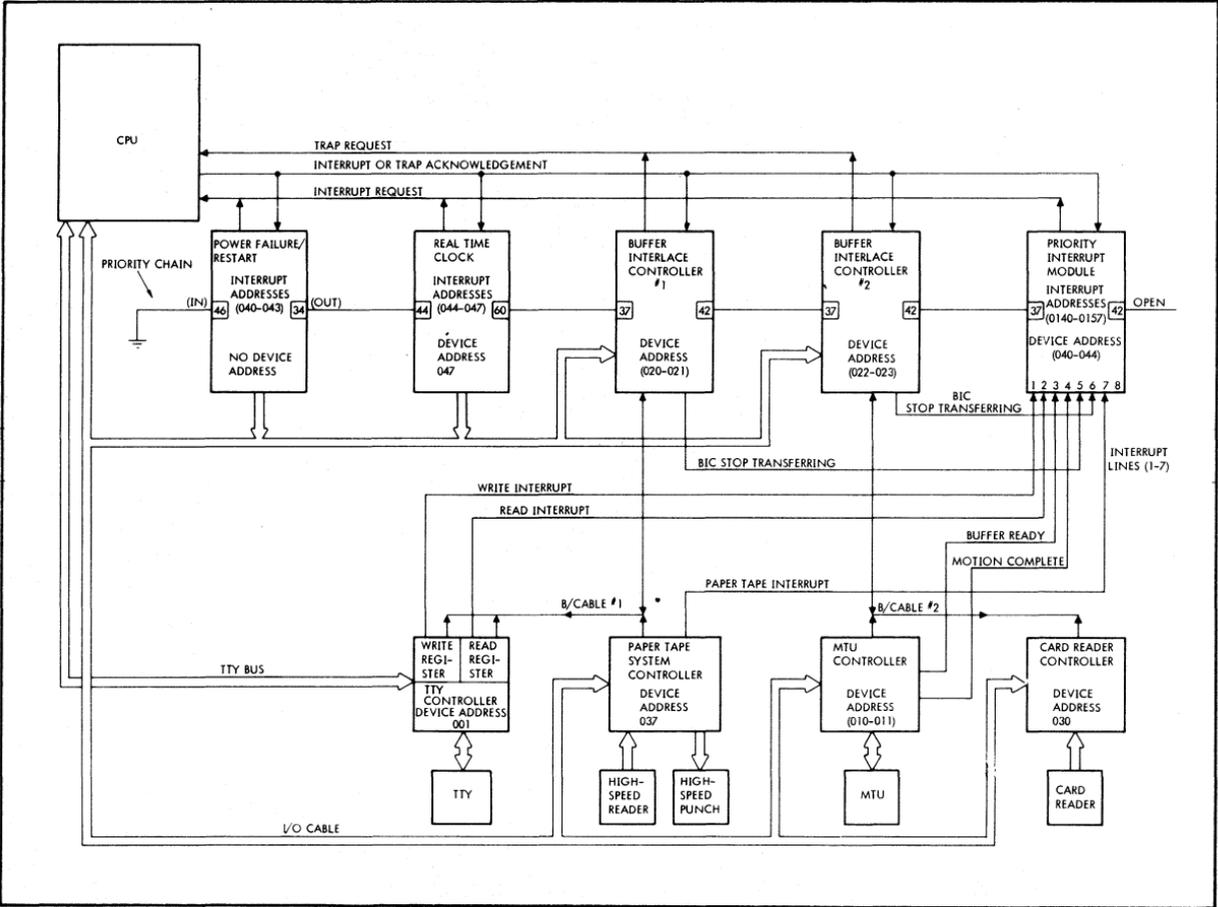
The priority chain, B cable, interrupt-request, trap-request, and acknowledgement lines shown in Figure 11-1 are also included in the I/O bus, but are shown separately for the sake of clarity. Only the interrupt lines into the PIM are separate entities, installed as needed.

I/O Bus Structure

The I/O bus that interconnects the peripheral controllers, I/O options and CPU has four structural elements:

- a. A set of 16 bi-directional lines (EB00-I through EB15-I) called the E bus. These lines serve a variety of data-transfer purposes, including the transfer of operands, peripheral-device addresses, memory-location addresses, peripheral-control codes, and peripheral-sense codes.

Figure 11-1. Typical I/O System Configuration



- b. A set of 10 individual control lines that either (1) signal the type of information present on the E bus, (2) provide timing and synchronization between the CPU and the controllers, or (3) initiate a specific action or sequence on the part of the CPU or controllers. The ten control lines are identified and described in Figure 11-2. The relationship between the control lines, the E-bus lines, and the operation in process is summarized in Figure 11-3.
- c. A set of four unconnected lines (PR1X-1 through PR4X-1) that are used to make up the interrupt-priority chain.
- d. A set of seven "B cable" control lines (with a -B suffix in the I/O cable listing given on page 16-11, Section 16) for communication between each BIC and its peripheral controllers.

Drivers and receivers are contained in the CPU and controllers for signalling over the E-Bus and control lines. Figures 11-4 and 11-5 are schematic drawings of these circuit elements. Standard I/O drivers are capable of servicing up to 10 peripheral controllers. When more than 10 controllers are included in the system, an I/O Buffer Card (DM184) must be added to the network.

The E-bus lines are bi-directional; the control lines are mono-directional, directing signals either from or to the CPU. Circuit elements for all three types of lines are shown in Figures 11-6, 11-7, and 11-8. The lines are logically true at 0 Vdc and logically false at +3 Vdc. The termination shoes shown in the drawings are mounted on a single card that is inserted into an I/O-bus slot following the last controller in the system.

I/O Modes of Operation

There are three basic modes of operation for

the I/O system:

Programmed I/O operations are a result of I/O instructions written into the main computer program or into subroutines called by the main program.

Interrupt-initiated I/O operations are identical to the equivalent programmed I/O operations except that they are initiated by an interrupt request generated by a peripheral controller or I/O option. The interrupt branches the program to a memory-address location that generally contains a jump-and-mark instruction. This, in turn, directs the program to an I/O subroutine. In order for the main program to resume, the subroutine must end with an instruction that returns the program to the location stored at the mark address.

Cycle-stealing I/O is an optional mode that is implemented by the addition of a Buffer Interlace Controller (BIC). It combines features of both the programmed I/O and the interrupt-initiated I/O modes. The trap requests (see Figure 11-2) are the equivalent of the interrupt requests except that they inhibit the progress of the main program for only the 2.7 microseconds required to transfer a word of data directly between memory and the peripheral device. The direct-memory-access (DMA) feature of the cycle-stealing mode allow data words to be transferred at rates up to 202,000 words per second, as compared to a typical 30,000 words per second for programmed I/O.

An interrupt-initiated I/O transfer branches the program to a subroutine that must include instructions returning the CPU to the main program. A cycle-stealing I/O transfer, on the other hand, only inhibits the main program while a single word of data is transferred. The operational registers are unaltered, and at the end of a 2.7-microsecond time interval, the main program automatically resumes.

Meaning	Mnemonic	Function
Control code and address on E bus	FRYX-I	FRYX-I is generated by the computer to indicate that the computer has placed a device address and a control code on the E bus. Each peripheral controller examines the device address, and, upon the true-to-false transition of FRYX-I, the addressed device responds to the control code.
Sense code and address on E bus	SERX-I	SERX-I is a controller response to a Sense (SEN) instruction. During the execution of the Sense (SEN) instruction, the computer places a function code and a device address on the E bus. The addressed controller is instructed to indicate the status of the specific device condition identified by the function code. If the specified condition is true, the controller responds by setting the SERX-I line true. If the condition is false, SERX-I is left false.
Data on E bus	DRYX-I	DRYX-I is generated by the computer. During an output data transfer, DRYX-I indicates that the computer has placed data on the E bus and that the peripheral device previously addressed should strobe the data into its input buffer. During an input data transfer, DRYX-I indicates that the computer has accepted the data placed on the E bus by the peripheral device, and that, following the true-to-false transition of DRYX-I, the device should remove the data.
Initialize all controllers	SYRT-I	SYRT-I is used to initialize each peripheral device controller connected to the I/O bus. SYRT-I becomes true when the SYSTEM RESET switch on the control console is pressed.
Interrupt synchronization clock	IUCX-I	ICUX-I is a 1.1-MHz clock from the computer that is disabled by IUAX-I. When IUAX-I is false, the clock is present on the IUCX-I line. When IUAX-I is true, IUCX-I is held true. The true-to-false transition of IUCX-I is used to set the request flip-flops (IURX-I, TPOX-I, TPIX-I) in respective controllers.
Interrupt request	IURX-I	By setting IURX-I true, the interrupting device controller requests the computer to execute an instruction. The address of this instruction is placed on the E bus by the interrupting device upon receipt of IUAX-I from the computer.

Figure 11-2. I/O Bus Control Lines (1 of 2)

Meaning	Mnemonic	Function
Interrupt acknowledge	IUAX-I	IUAX-I is set true by the computer to acknowledge the receipt of an interrupt, a trap in, or a trap out. The interrupting or trapping device controller can communicate an address to the computer and can receive data from or send data to the computer only when this control signal is true. IUAX-I is also used to inhibit device address decoding in every device controller during the address phase of an interrupt or trap operation. This prevents the controllers from interpreting the lower-order bits of a memory address as a device address.
Jump-and-mark interrupt	IUJX-I	IUJX-I is generated by the computer to inhibit all interrupts that occur after a jump-and-mark instruction when that instruction is the result of an interrupt request. The signal becomes true 2.7 microseconds from the false-to-true transition of IUAX-I and remains true for 450 nanoseconds.
Trap input request	TPIX-I	By setting TPIX-I true, the optional Buffered Interface Controller requests the computer to input one word of data to memory. The address of this word is placed on the E bus by the controller upon receipt of IUAX-I from the computer.
Trap output request	TPOX-I	By setting TPOX-I true, the optional Buffered Interface Controller requests the computer to output one word of data from memory. The address of this word is placed on the E bus by the controller upon receipt of IUAX-I from the computer.

Figure 11-2. I/O Bus Control Lines (2 of 2)

Programmed I/O Operations

Four types of I/O operations can be performed under program control:

External Control. An external control code

is transmitted under program control from the computer to a peripheral controller.

Program Sense. The status of a selected peripheral controller sense line is interrogated by the computer under program control.

Figure 11-3. Relationship Between E-Bus and I/O Control Lines

Control Lines	Operation						
	External Control	Sense	Data Transfer (Single Word I/O)		Trap Sequence (Buffer Interlace Control)		Interrupt Sequence
	FRYX-I* (Phase 1)	FRYX-I* SERX-I* (Phase 1)	FRYX-I* (Phase 1)	DRYX-I (Phase 2)	TPOX-I or TPIX-I TUAX-I, FRYX-I (Phase 1) TUAX-I, DRYX-I (Phase 2)		IURX-I IUAX-I (Phase 1)
EB00-I to EB05-I	Device Address	Device Address	Device Address	Data Being Transferred In or Out	Memory Address In	Data In or Out	Use lines 01-15 for interrupt location by pairs.
EB06-I to EB08-I	Function Code	Function Code	Not Used				
EB09-I EB10-I	Not Used	Not Used	Not Used				
EB11-I	External Control Command						
EB12-I		Sense Command					
EB13-I			Data Transfer In				
EB14-I			Data Transfer Out				
EB15-I	Extended External Control Command						

*IUAX Interlock - used in the address decoding term.

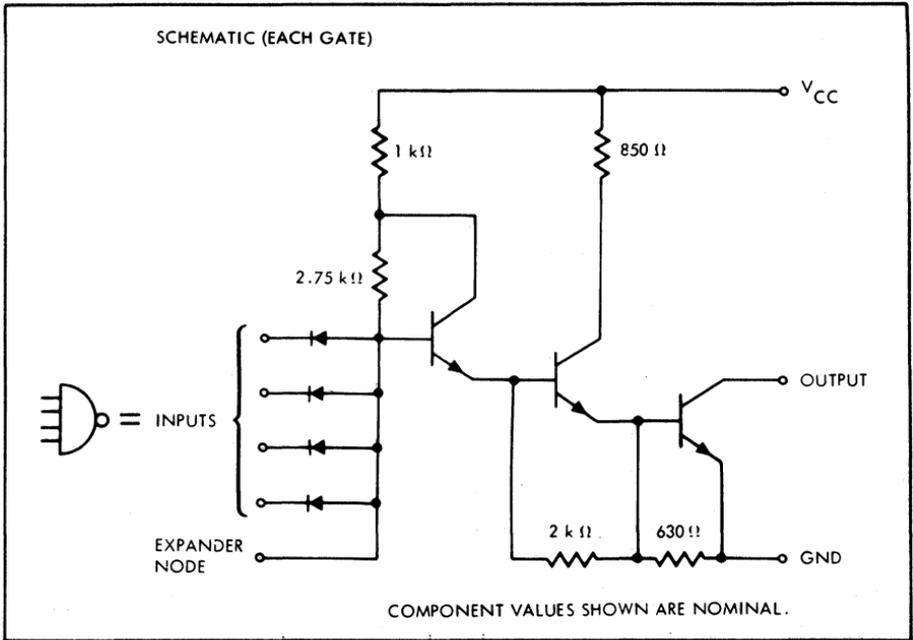


Figure 11-4. I/O Bus Driver

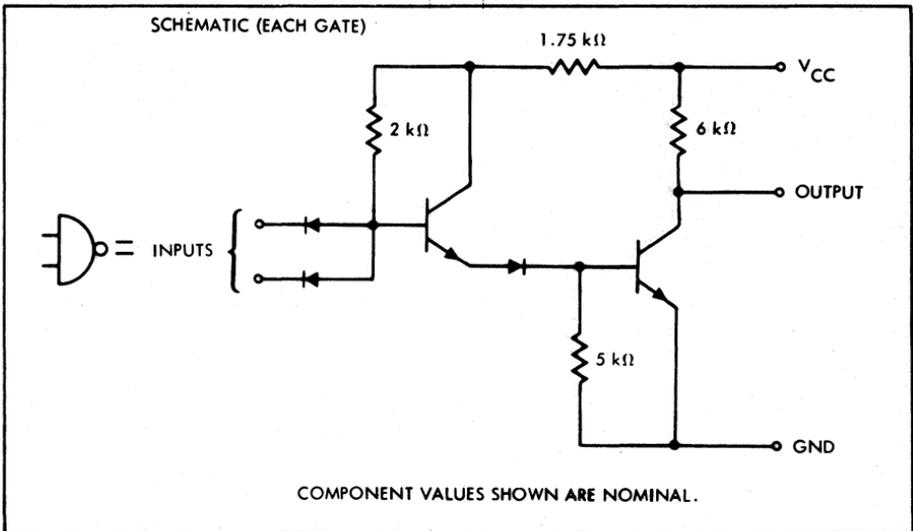


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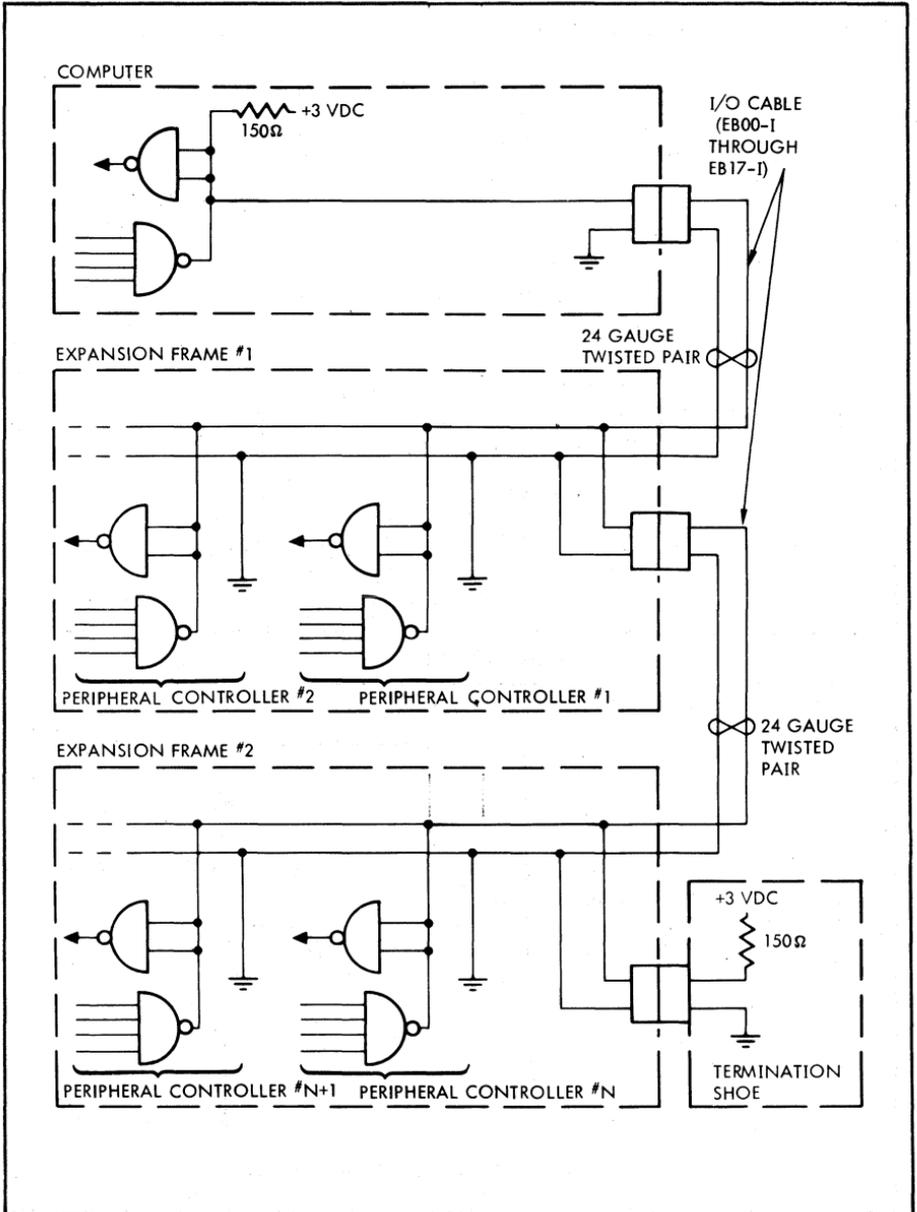


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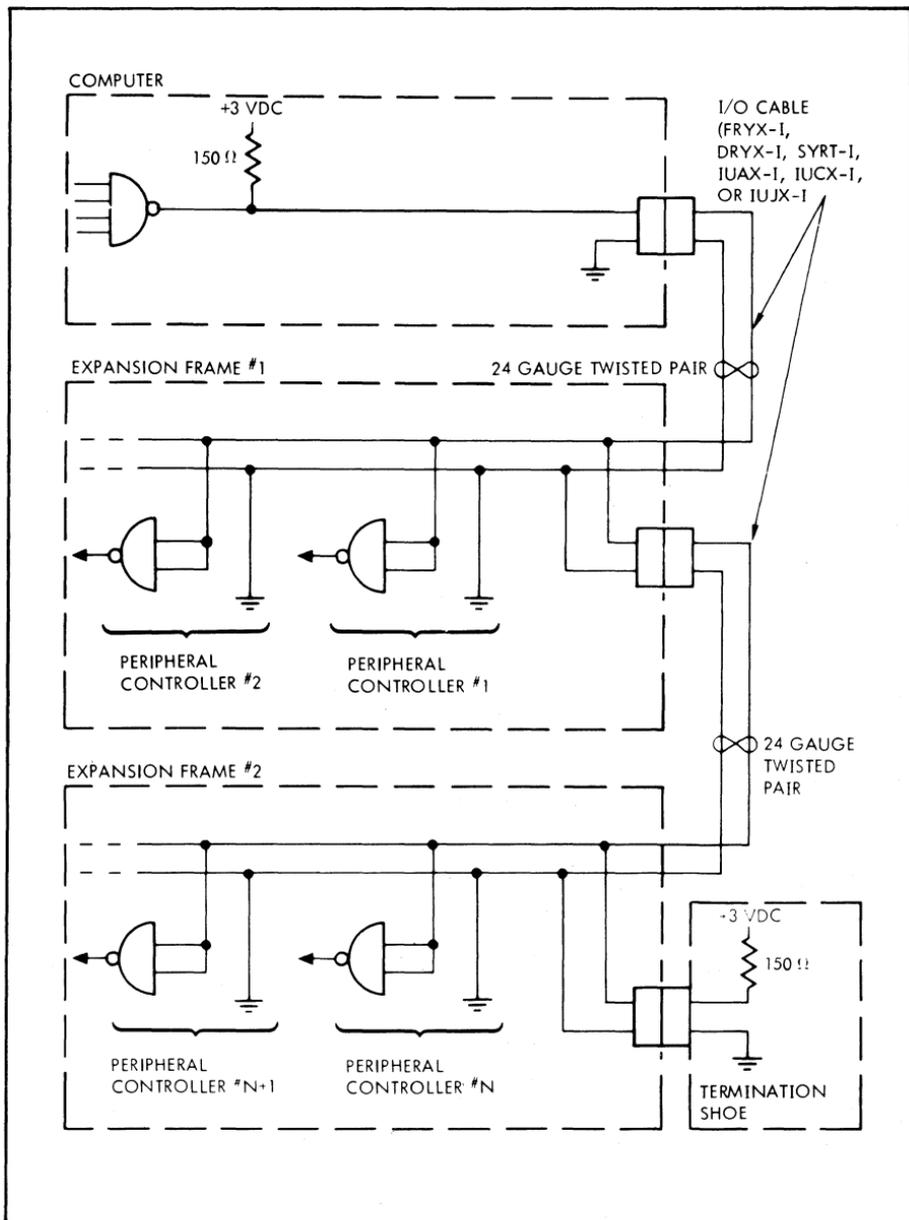


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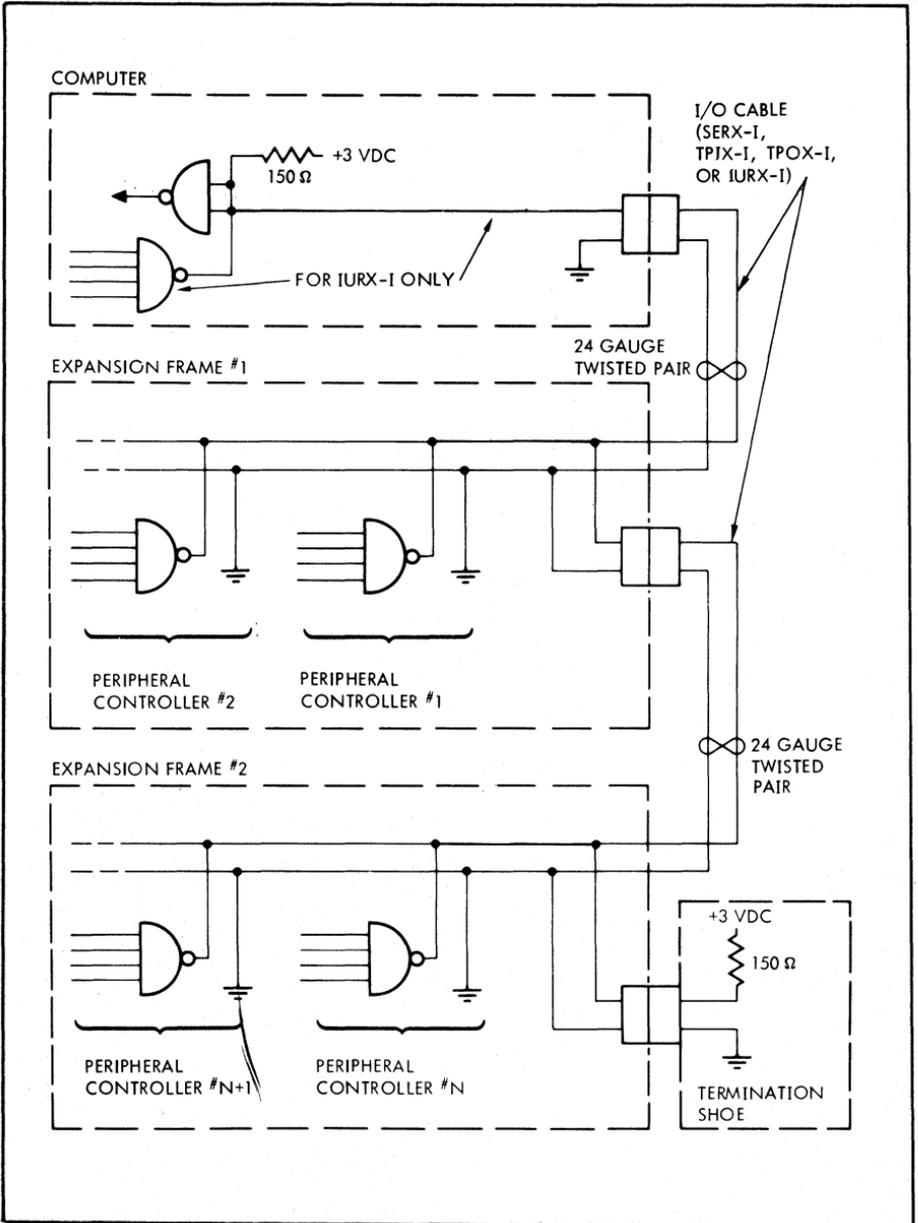


Figure 11-8. Typical Control Signal To The Computer

Single-Word Input Transfer. A single word of data is transferred under program control from a peripheral controller to the A register, B register, or any location in memory.

Single-Word Output Transfer. A single word of data is transferred under program control to a peripheral controller from the A register, B register, or any location in memory.

External Control

The external control (EXC) instruction is used to initiate a specific mode of operation in a peripheral device. An example is the use of an EXC command to cause a magnetic tape transport to advance the tape one record. The EXC instruction word format is shown below, where YY contains the device address and X contains the function code.

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1

10	0	X	YY
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The EXC instruction causes the function codes and device address portions of the instruction word to be placed on the E bus. The EXC I/O timing is shown in Figure 11-9. Signal lines EB00-I through EB05-I indicate the device address; EB06-I through EB08-I indicate the function code. EB11-I is held true, indicating that an EXC function is being performed (as noted below, EB11-15 is used when additional function codes are required.)

The device controller decodes the binary function code, and, following the true-to-false transition of FRYX-I, initiates the specified mode of operation in the addressed device. During the execution of EXC, no data are exchanged between the computer and the device controller, and no

response signal is expected from the controller.

When additional function codes are required, the extended EXC instruction (instruction code 104) can be used. This instruction is identical to the normal EXC instruction (instruction code 100) in timing and function, but it is identified by EB15-I instead of EB11-I.

Figure 11-10 shows typical implementation of the logic required in a peripheral controller to receive, decode, and perform an EXC instruction.

Program Sense

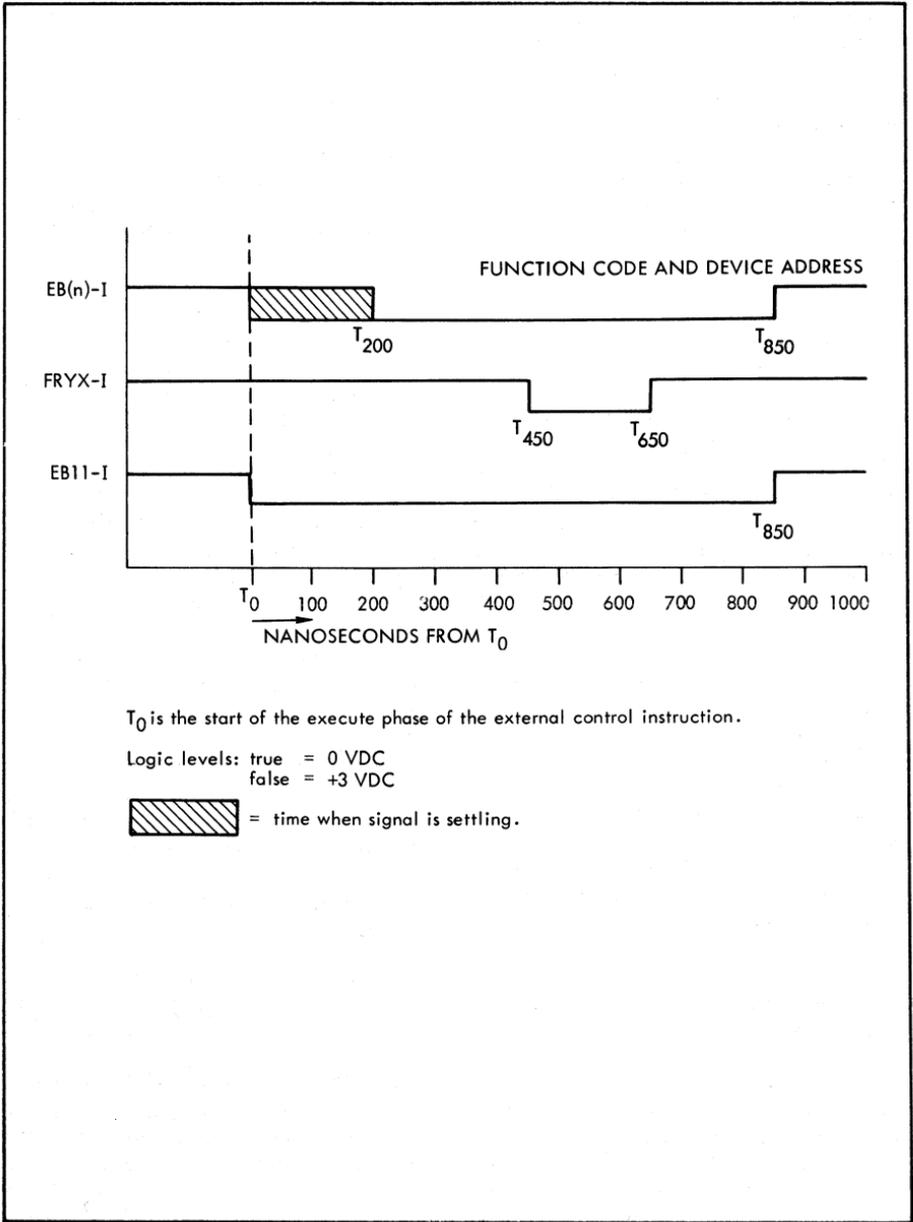
The program Sense (SEN) instruction is used to test the status of a specific device condition, and, if a true condition is detected, a program jump is made. If a false condition is detected, the next instruction in sequence is executed. An example of SEN instruction usage is a test to determine if a magnetic tape transport is rewinding.

The SEN instruction format is shown below, where YY contains the device address and X contains the function code, which defines the specific condition to be tested.

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

10	1	X	YY
Jump Address			

The SEN instruction causes the function code and device address portions of the instruction word to be placed on the E bus. The SEN I/O timing is shown in Figure 11-11. Signal lines EB00-I through EB05-I indicate the device address. EB12-I is held true to indicate that a SEN instruction is in progress.



T₀ is the start of the execute phase of the external control instruction.

Logic levels: true = 0 VDC
false = +3 VDC

 = time when signal is settling.

Figure 11-9. External Control Timing

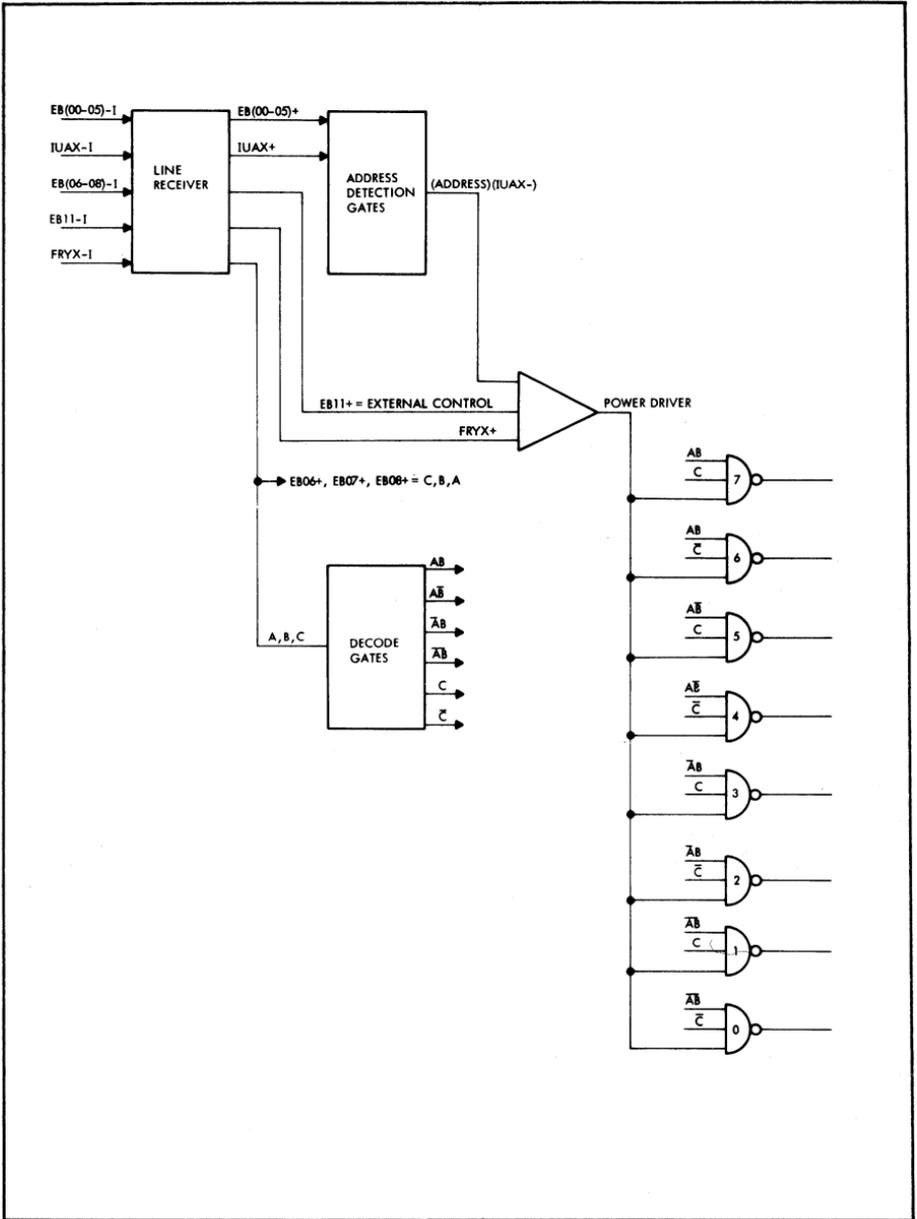
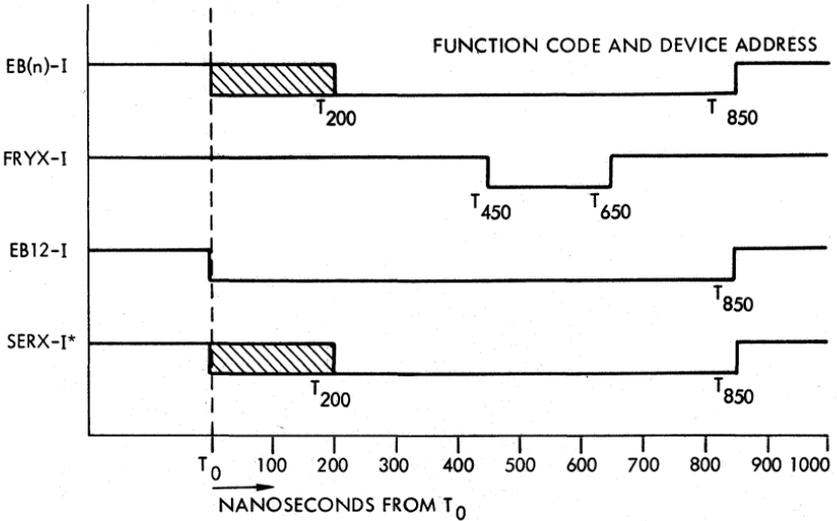


Figure 11-10. Typical Peripheral Controller Logic: EXC Command



T_0 is the start of the execute phase of the sense instruction.

Logic levels: true = 0 vdc,
false = +3 vdc.

 = time when signal is settling.

* SERX-I is normally on at T_{200} ; it must be on by T_{650} .

Figure 11-11. Sense Response Timing

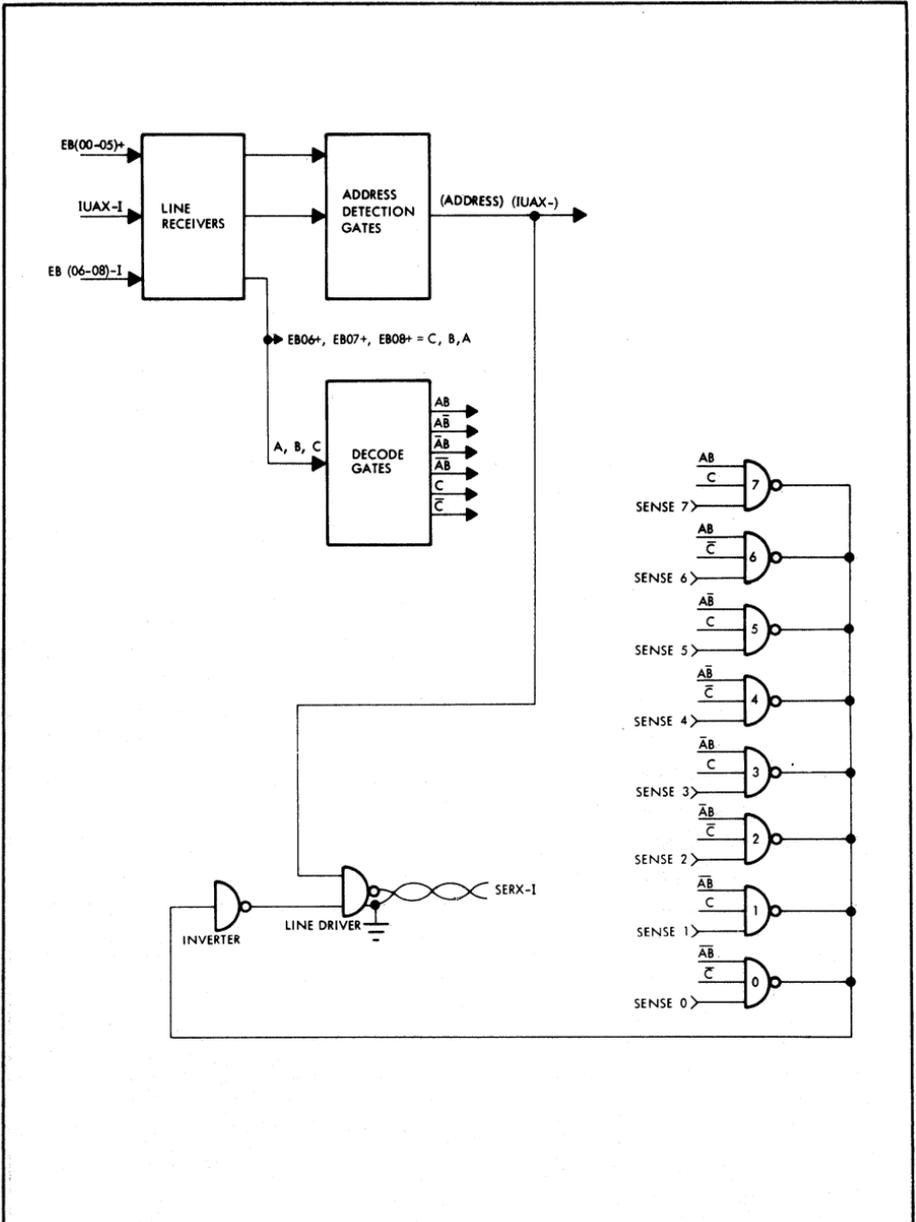


Figure 11-12. Typical Peripheral Controller Logic: SEN Command

programmed I/O

Figure 11-12 shows typical implementation of the logic required in a peripheral controller to receive, decode, and respond to a SEN instruction. Note that the device address (usually ANDed with IUAX-I) can be used directly to enable the sense line response (SERX-I). EB12-I need not be used to enable SERX-I, since the computer samples the SERX-I line only when a SEN instruction is executed.

Single-Word Input Transfer

Five instructions provide a single-word input transfer:

- a. Input to A register (INA)*
- b. Input to B register (INB)*
- c. Input to memory (IME)
- d. Clear and input to A register (CIA)
- e. Clear and input to B register (CIB)

The instruction word format for INA, INB, CIA, and CIB is shown below, where YY contains the device address and X defines each individual command.

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

10	2	X	YY
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The instruction word format for IME includes a second word that specifies the input data word destination.

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

10	2	0	YY
0	Data Address		

*Inclusive OR of the data lines and the specified register contents.

The execution of any one of the five single-word input transfer instruction produces the same sequence of operations on the I/O bus. Consequently, in responding to the bus signals, a peripheral device controller makes no distinction between the input transfer instructions.

The execution of an input transfer instruction is a two-phase operation. The first phase selects the peripheral device controller that will participate in the second-phase data transfer. The transfer timing is shown in Figure 11-13. The first phase is initiated by the computer, which places the device address on E bus lines EB00-I through EB05-I. EB13-I is held true during this phase to indicate that an input transfer instruction is in progress. Since the E bus is time-shared, a flip-flop in the peripheral controller for the selected device is set to indicate that the controller was selected and that data are to be transferred to the computer. This flip-flop, Data Transfer In (DTIX+), is set at the true-to-false transition (trailing edge) of FRYX-I (if the controller controls more than one device, an additional flip-flop for each device is required to identify the selected device. As the computer removes the device address and control code information, the selected controller uses DTIX+ to enable the input data onto the E bus. The controller must enable data from the selected device onto the bus no later than 850 nanoseconds after the trailing edge of FRYX-I to strobe the input data. The controller uses the trailing edge of DRYX-I to reset DTIX+, thus removing the input data from the E bus.

When the computer is transferring I/O data under program control, the transfers must be synchronized with the communicating peripheral controller. This synchronization is accomplished by sampling the state of the controller for a ready condition by issuing

SEN instruction prior to the data transfer instruction.

Figure 11-14 shows typical implementation of the logic required in a peripheral control to perform an input data transfer.

Single-Word Output Transfer

There are three single-word output instructions:

- a. output from A register (OAR)
- b. Output from B register (OBR)
- c. Output from memory (OME)

The instruction word format for OAR and OBR is shown below, where YY contains the device address and X distinguishes between the two instructions.

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

10	3	X	YY
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This instruction word format for OME (shown below) includes a second word that specifies the output data-word source location.

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

10	3	0	YY
0	Data Address		

The sequence of signals placed on the I/O bus is the same for each of the three output instructions, and the participating peripheral device controller makes no distinction between the output commands.

The execution of an output command is a two-phase operation similar to that described for an input command. The first

phase selects the peripheral device which will participate in the second-phase data transfer. The transfer timing is shown in Figure 11-15. The first phase is initiated by the computer, which places the device address on E-bus lines EB00-I through EB05-I. EB14-I is held true during this phase to indicate that an output transfer command is being executed. A flip-flop, 'data transfer out (DTOX+), in the controller for the selected device is set at the trailing edge of FRYX-I (if the controller controls more than one device, an additional flip-flop for each device is required to identify the device selected). Following FRYX-I, the computer removes the device address and control code, and places the output data on the E-bus lines. DTOX+ is used by the controller to gate the contents of the E bus into an input buffer at the trailing edge of DRYX-I. The trailing edge of DRYX-I is also used to reset DTOX+.

When the computer is transferring I/O data under program control, the transfers must be synchronized with the communicating peripheral controller. This synchronization is accomplished by sampling the state of the controller for a ready condition by issuing a sense command prior to the data transfer command.

Figure 11-16 shows typical implementation of the logic required in a peripheral controller to perform an output data transfer.

Device Address Codes

Device address codes have been assigned to the standard peripheral devices used in Varian 620/L systems.

All device address codes are in the range 00 to 77. Each peripheral device belongs to a class, according to its function. Each class is assigned a block of codes, and specific code

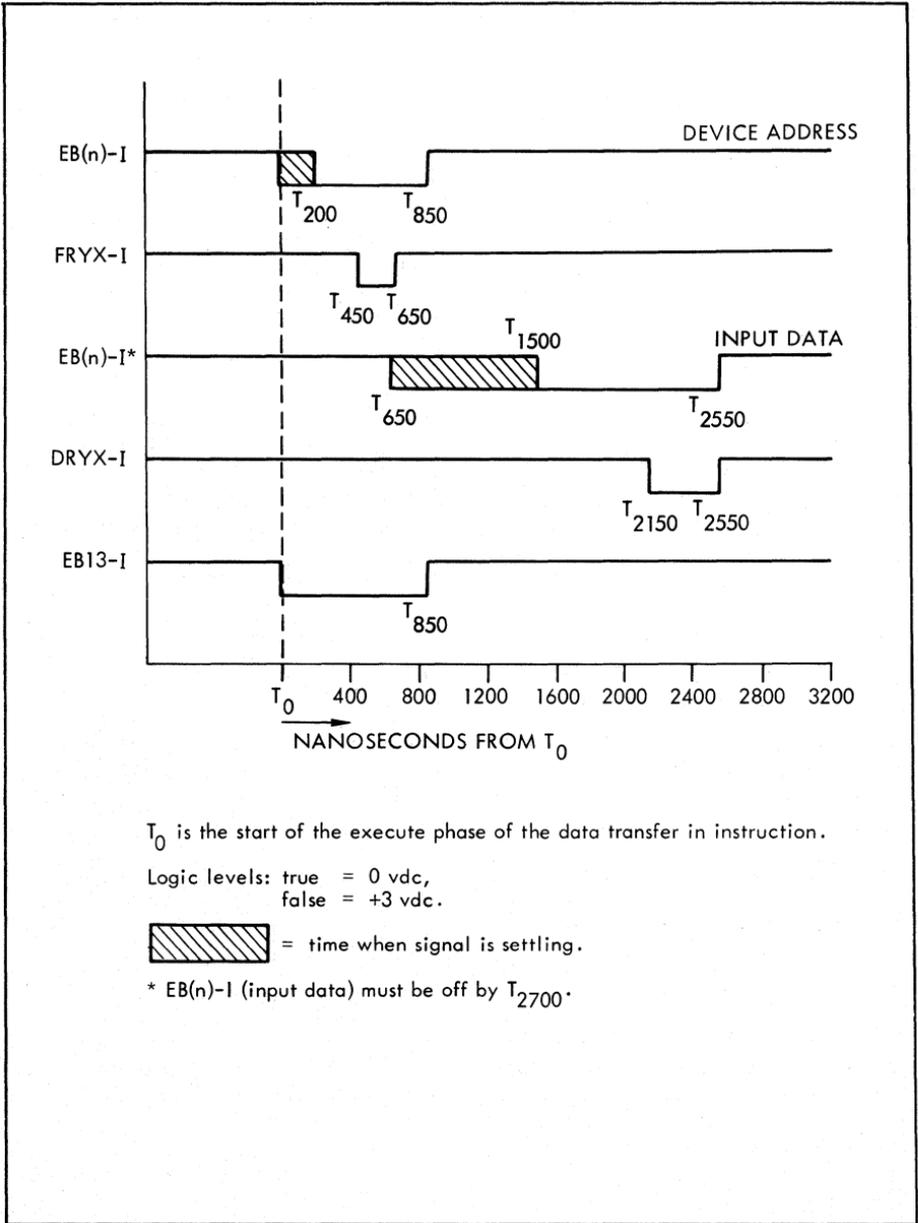


Figure 11-13. Data-Transfer-In Timing

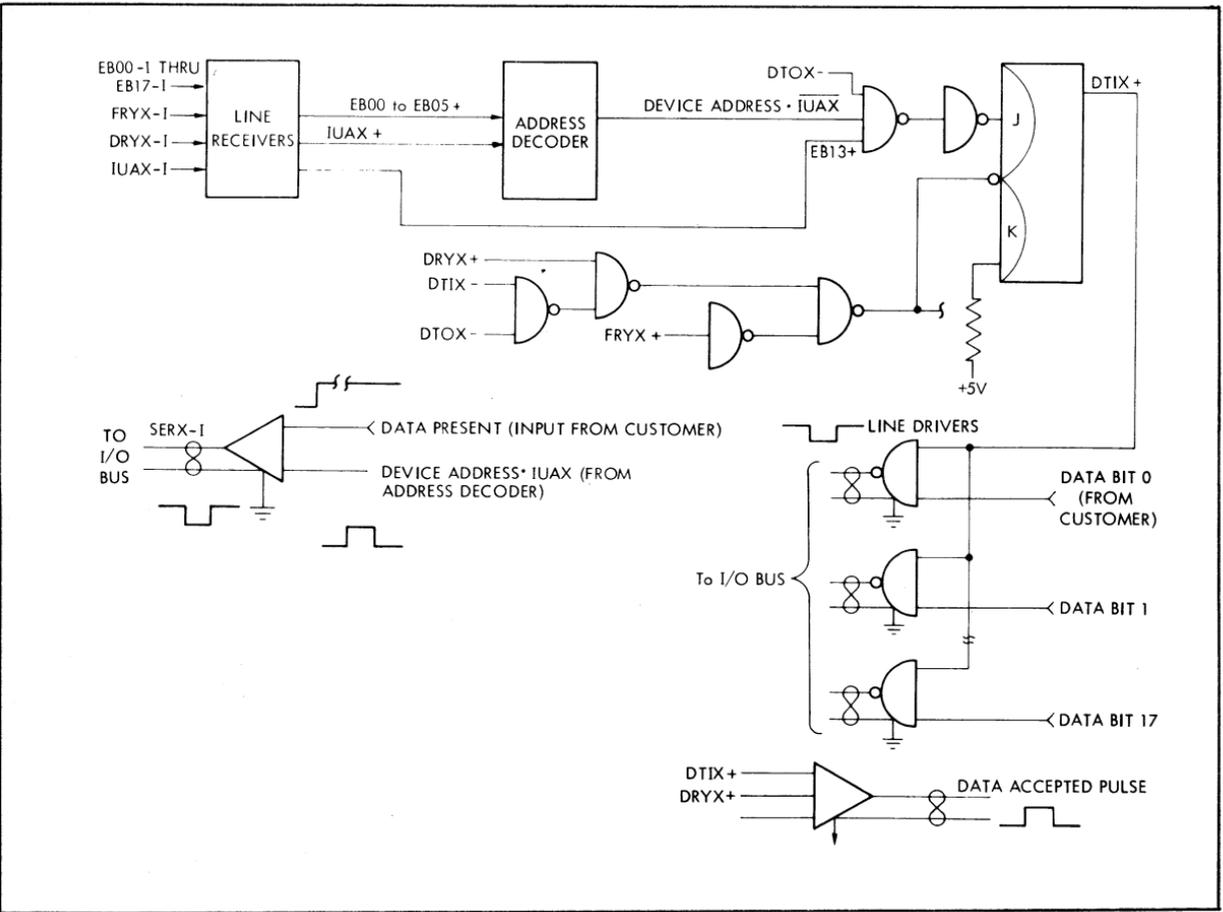


Figure 11-14. Typical Peripheral Controller Logic: Input Data Transfer

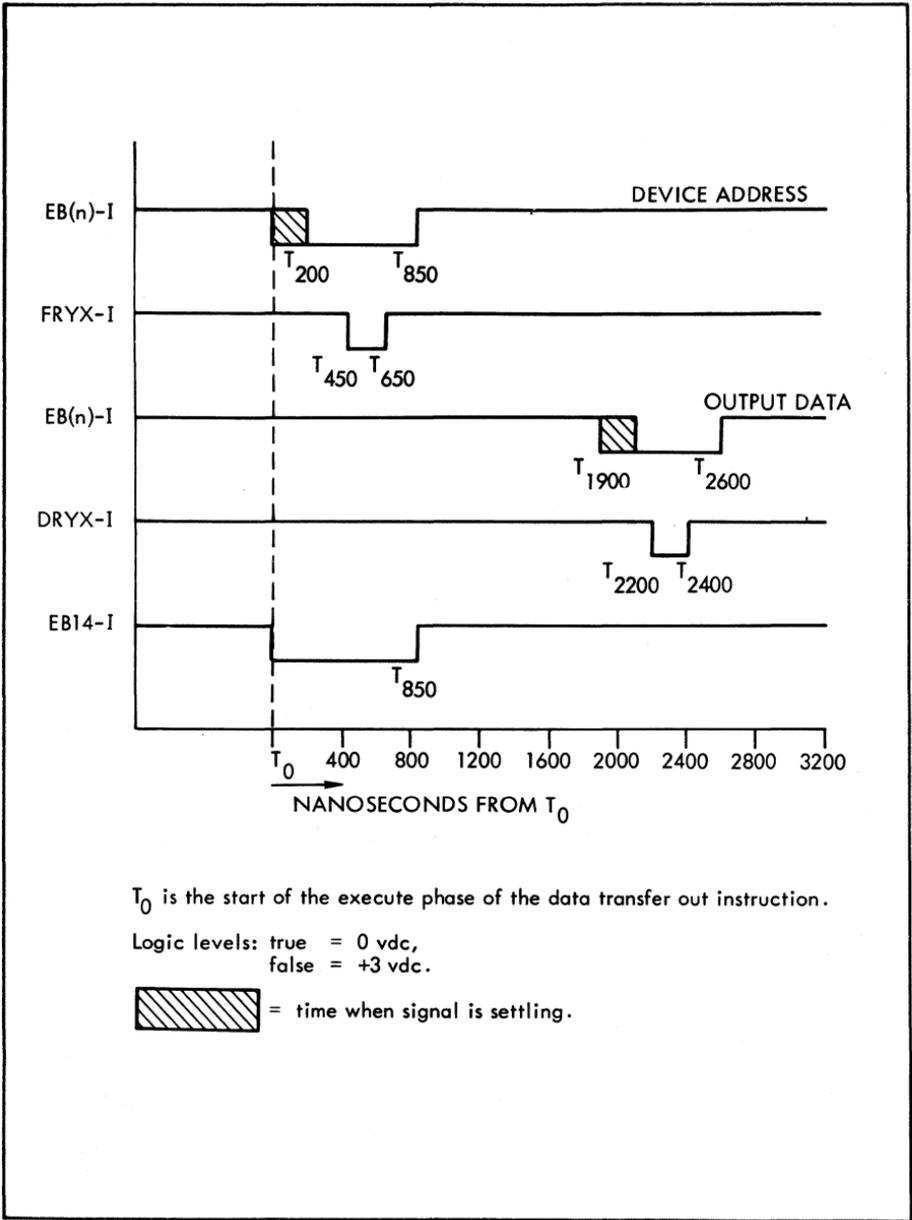


Figure 11-15. Data-Transfer-Out Timing

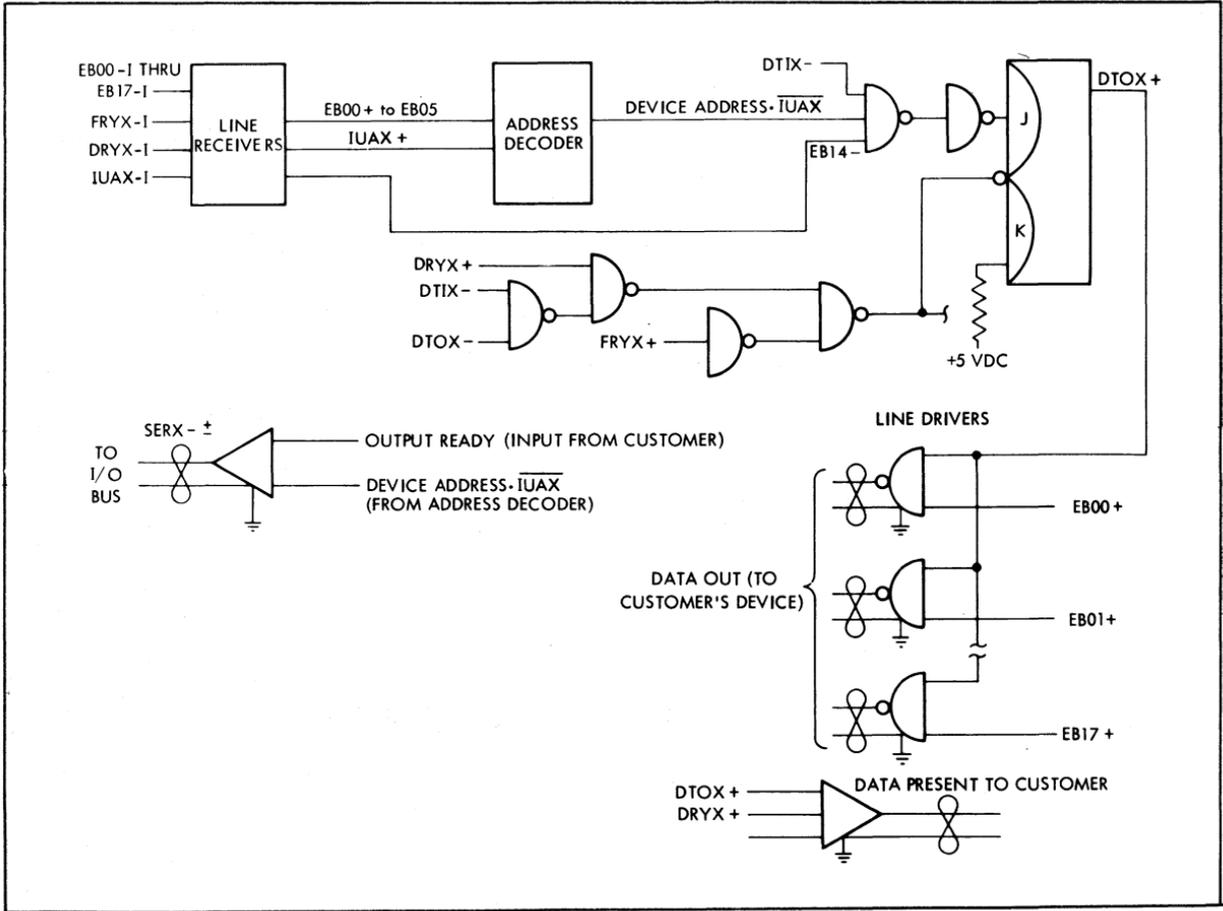


Figure 11-16. Typical Peripheral Controller Logic: Output Data Transfer

interrupt structure

assignments are given to devices in that class.

The device address codes are listed in Figure 20-1, Section 20.

Interrupt Structure

Three of the control lines in the I/O bus (Figure 11-2) are capable of interrupting or inhibiting the program being processed by the CPU. The three lines are IURX-I (Interrupt Request), TPIX-I (Trap-In Request), and TPOX-I (Trap-Out Request).

The three are similar in that (1) the computer responds to all three by an IURX-I (Interrupt Acknowledge) signal, (2) in each case, a memory location address must be placed on the E bus for the computer to process the request, and (3) controllers generating the three types of requests are all interconnected on the same priority chain.

They differ in that IURX-I interrupt branches the program to a subroutine specified by the interrupt address, whereas the two trap requests, TPIX-I and TPOX-I, direct the computer to transfer data to or from the memory address. The data to be transferred is placed on the E bus immediately after the memory address has been transmitted.

Another difference is that subroutine specified by an IURX-I interrupt must contain instructions returning the CPU to its original program, whereas the CPU automatically returns to its program after transferring a single word of data in response to a TPIX-I or TPOX-I trap request.

The IURX-I interrupt can be generated, in theory, by any controller connected to the I/O bus. In practice, however, the

controllers are limited to those units that can also generate the required interrupt address location.

Standard Varian 620/L peripheral controllers do not have this capability; if the IURX-I interrupt is generated by one of these controllers, the computer interprets the lack of an address as an octal 000 and branches the program to the first memory location.

The Priority Interrupt Module (PIM) option, described in detail in Section 12, provides an addressing capability for the peripheral controllers. The peripheral controller directs an interrupt request to the PIM, which in turn generates an IURX-I interrupt and the appropriate interrupt address (hardwired in the PIM circuitry) for that peripheral. Up to eight peripheral controllers can be connected to a single PIM. The PIM contains priority logic to give preference to higher-priority devices in case two peripheral controllers request an interrupt at the same time.

Three of the mainframe options are also part of the interrupt structure. The real-time-clock, power-fail/restart, and memory-protect options (see Section 10) are on the priority chain, can generate a memory address, and use the IURX-I interrupt to branch the CPU to the subroutine specified by the address on the E bus.

Interrupt address locations have been assigned for the mainframe options and the PIM controllers. These are listed in Figure 11-17. Two memory locations are reserved for each interrupt to accommodate double-word instructions, such as the jump-and-mark group.

Interrupt-Initiated I/O

An interrupt-initiated I/O transfer starts

Address (octal)	Peripheral Device
040,041	Power failure interrupt
042,043	Power restart interrupt
044,045	RTC interval interrupt
046,047	RTC overflow interrupt
120,121	MP write error interrupt
124,125	MP jump error interrupt
130,131	I/O error interrupt
134,135	MP overflow error interrupt
100-117	PIM, first module
140-177	PIM, remaining modules

Figure 11-17. Assigned Interrupt Device Addresses

with an interrupt request directed to a PIM controller by a peripheral-device controller. The PIM, in turn, initiates the interrupt sequence that ends with the CPU branching, in most cases, to a subroutine that services the peripheral-device controller making the initial request.

The interrupt sequence is comprised of two phases: request and address, as shown in the interrupt timing sequence, Figure 11-18.

The PIM controller having the highest priority generates an interrupt request (sets IURX-I true) on the trailing edge of the interrupt clock (IUCX-I). The controller then waits for an interrupt acknowledge (IUAX-I) from the computer.

When the computer has recognized the

request, it responds by setting IUAX-I true, thus holding IUCX-I true. Upon receipt of IUAX-I from the computer, the requesting device controller places on the E bus the address containing the instruction to be executed.

The instruction at this address may be any instruction except an I/O instruction. In the case of a two-word instruction, the computer ORs a binary one into bit position zero of the second word, making this address an odd number. Because of this, the address placed on the E bus by the controller must be an even number.

If the instruction is a jump-and-mark instruction, the controller receives an interrupt-jump signal (IUJX-I) from the computer. IUJX-I resets the master enable in the controller of every device capable of making a request, thereby inhibiting further

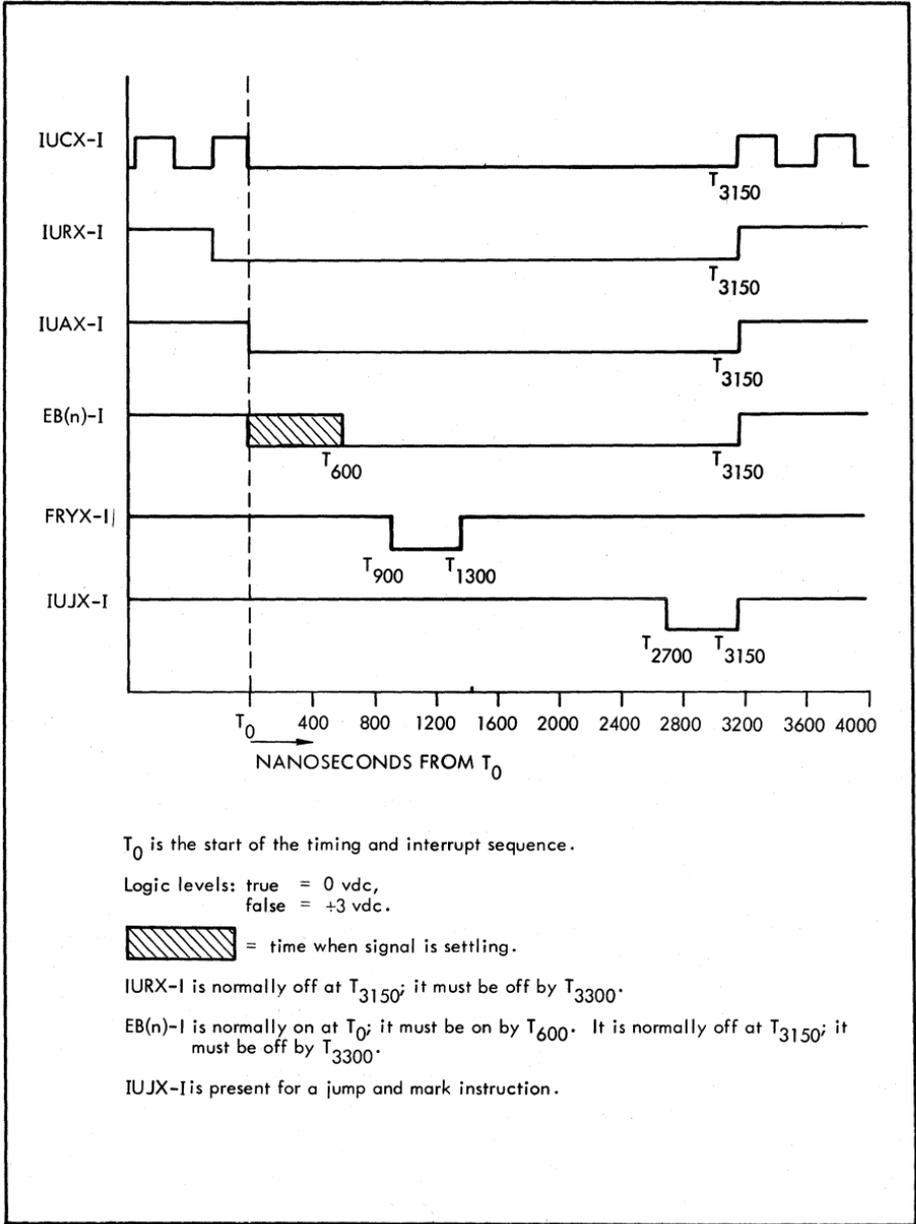


Figure 11-18. Interrupt Timing

interrupts from these controllers during the subsequent subroutine.

Each controller must be re-enabled by the computer program at the end of the subroutine. The address phase ends when IUAX-I becomes false. All signals must be removed from the bus at this time.

Interrupt-initiated I/O transfers (as well as any other type of interrupt or trap request) are inhibited under any one of the following conditions:

1. During any two word instruction.
2. During any I/O instruction.
3. Until at least one non-I/O instruction has occurred after an I/O instruction.
4. During any shift or rotate instruction.
5. During any shift which occurs as part of a hardware multiply or divide operation.
6. Immediately following a shift operation during which a trap has occurred.
7. During a manual step.
8. When in step, i.e. when halted.
9. When a manual or programmed halt is in the process of occurring.
10. Until the run mode has been fully entered.

Cycle-Stealing I/O

The cycle-stealing, direct-memory access (DMA) I/O mode is implemented by the addition of one or more (up to 4) Buffered Interlace Module options.

The operation of the BIC option is detailed in Section 12. Its two principal functions are to generate the TPIX-I and TPOX-I trap requests and to generate the memory addresses where the transferred data is to be stored or retrieved. The data flow is over the E bus, directly between memory and the peripheral controller, not through the BIC.

A cycle-stealing I/O transfer can be initiated

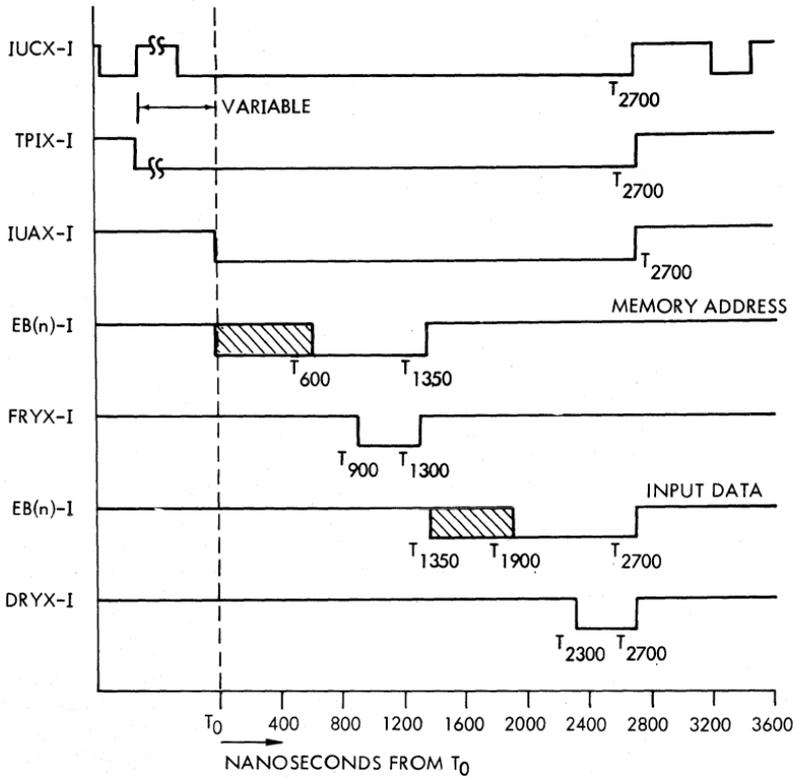
by either computer program or by the generation of a trap request by a peripheral controller. In either case, a subroutine is entered that establishes the initial and final address locations for the transfer, identifies the peripheral controller, and initializes both the BIC and the peripheral controller for the cycle-stealing transfer.

The BIC senses when the peripheral-controller buffer is ready to transmit or accept data, then initiates a TPIX-I or TPOX-I trap request on the trailing edge of the interrupt clock (IUCX-I). When the interrupt acknowledge (IUAX-I) has been received from the computer, it places the first memory address on the E bus and increments the initial address register by one. This completes the first phase of the cycle-stealing I/O transfer.

The second phase is the transfer of data directly to or from memory on the E bus. The memory location accessed is that of the memory address on the E bus during the first phase.

The CPU operational registers are not affected during this transfer. The computer program is simply inhibited during the 2.7 microseconds required for the addressing and transfer of a single data word. The program automatically resumes at the end of the transfer and continues till the next TPIX-I or TPOX-I trap request is received. Since the trap requests are normally received at close intervals, the computer is usually placed in a loop subroutine that repeatedly senses the state of the BIC controller.

The BIC, Meanwhile, is sensing the state of the peripheral controller. When the peripheral-controller buffer is again ready to accept or transmit data, the transfer sequence is again initiated and another word transferred to or from memory. These steps



T_0 is the start of the input sequence.

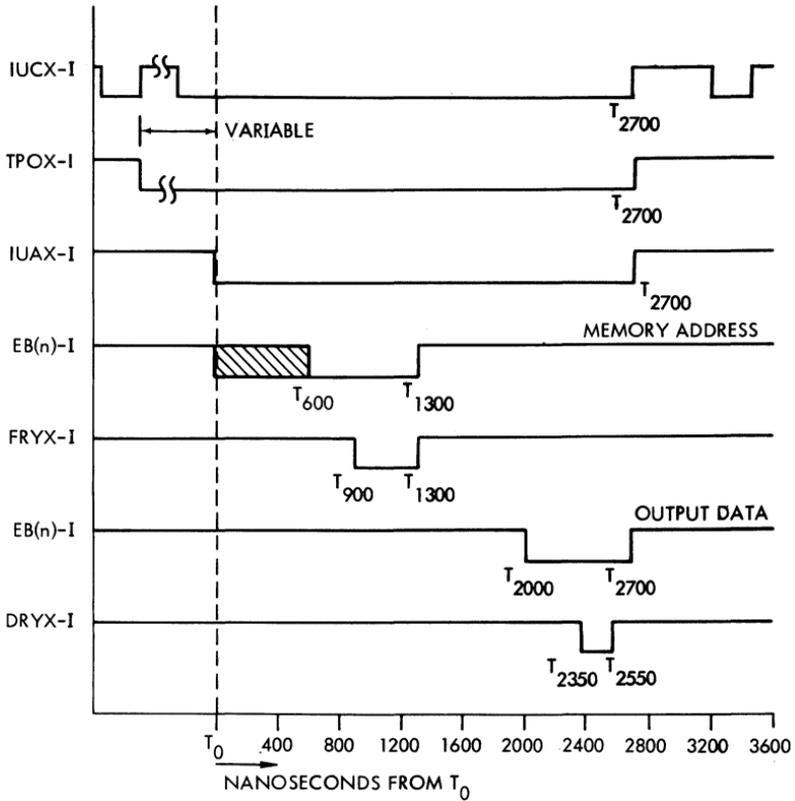
Logic levels: true = 0 vdc,
false = +3 vdc.

TPIX-I is normally off at T_{2700} ; it must be off by T_{2900} .

EB(n)-I (memory address) is normally on at T_0 ; it must be on by T_{600} . It is normally off at T_{1300} ; it must be off by T_{1600} .

EB(n)-I (input data) is normally on at T_{1350} ; it must be on by T_{1900} . It is normally off at T_{2700} ; it must be off by T_{2900} .

Figure 11-19. Trap-In Timing



T_0 is the start of the output sequence.

Logic levels: true = 0 vdc,
false = +3 vdc.

 = time when signal is settling.

TPOX-I is normally off at T_{2700} ; it must be off by T_{2900} .

EB(n)-I (memory address) is normally on at T_0 ; it must be on by T_{600} . It is normally off at T_{1300} ; it must be off by T_{1500} .

Figure 11-20. Trap-Out Timing

priority structure

are repeated until the initial-address register equals the contents of the final-address register. The BIC then generates an interrupt (normally through a PIM) to branch the CPU from its loop subroutine and back to the main program. A typical program for cycle-stealing I/O data transfer is given in Section 12.

Figures 11-19 and 11-20 detail the timing of the trap-in and trap-out cycle-stealing sequences.

Priority Structure

All three interrupt and trap request signals, IURX-I, TPIX-I, and TPOX-I, occur on the trailing edge of the interrupt clock, IUCX-I. It is possible, then, for two or more request-generating controllers or mainframe options to make simultaneous interrupt or trap requests.

To give priority to these requests, all of the request-generating controllers and mainframe options are linked on a priority chain (see Figure 11-1 for a typical example).

The priority chain consists of a series of interconnections, using the PR1X-I, PR2X-I, PR3X-I, and PR4X-I lines in the I/O bus. The high-priority end of the chain is grounded; the low-priority end is left open. The order of priority is established entirely by the physical order of these interconnections. (The priority of the peripheral

controllers connected to a PIM is established within the PIM. The priority of the PIM is established by its position in the priority chain.)

Figure 11-21 shows the priority logic within each controller on the chain. The input term (from the next higher priority controller) is PRMX-I. The output term is PRNX-I, which becomes the input term, PRMX-I, for the next controller on the chain.

When the request flip-flop within one controller is set (producing an interrupt or trap request on the trailing edge of the next IUCX-I interrupt clock), the PRNX-I output term is set to false, inhibiting the generation of interrupt or trap requests by any controller or mainframe option lower on the chain.

The PR1X-I through PR4X-I lines in the I/O bus are provided purely for convenience. They do not, in themselves, establish priority in any way. The lines are available on the backplanes of the mainframe and expansion chassis and in the I/O expansion cable between chassis. Figure 11-22 illustrates the use of the lines when the physical position of the controllers corresponds to their priorities. Figure 11-23 illustrates the use of the lines in a more complex situation. Figure 16-12, Section 16, shows the use of the I/O expansion cable to extend the priority chain from one chassis to another.

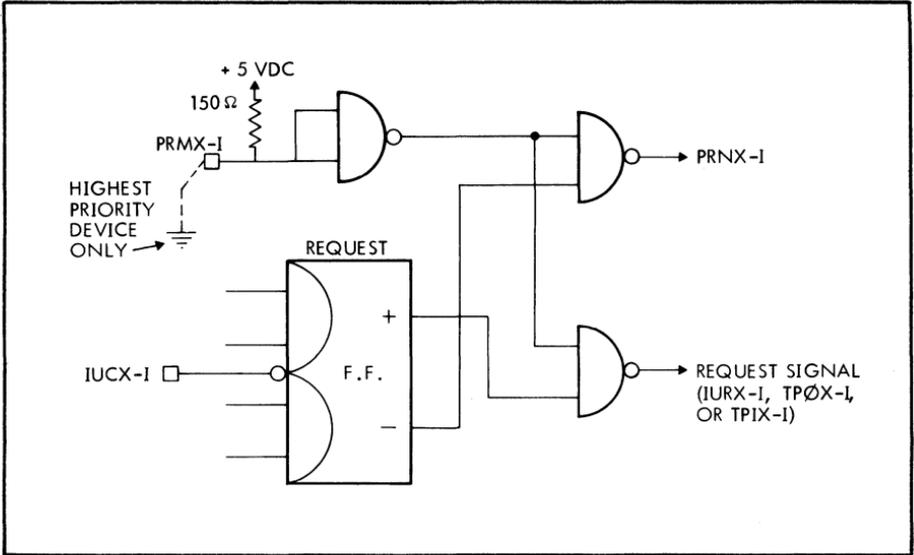


Figure 11-21. Priority Logic Within Controller

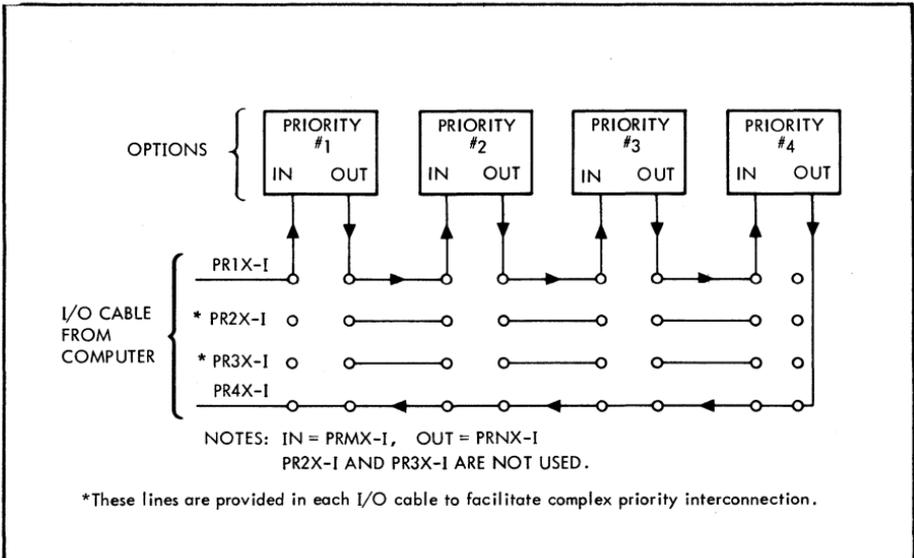


Figure 11-22. Device Interconnection: Device Position Corresponds to Priority Assignment

priority structure

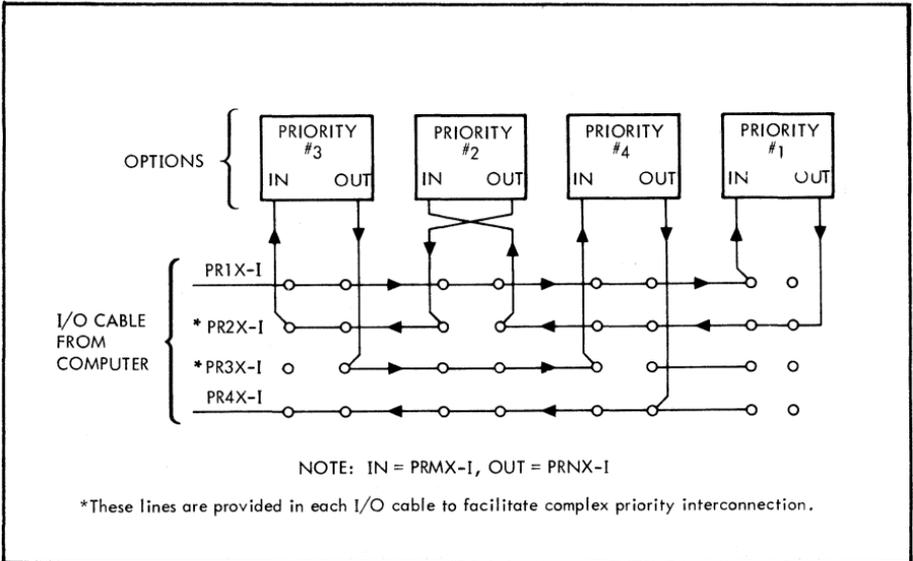


Figure 11-23. Device Interconnection: Device Position Does Not Correspond to Priority Assignment

SECTION 12 – INPUT/OUTPUT OPTIONS

There are two important options that can be added to the Varian 620/L input/output system: the Priority Interrupt Module to expand the priority interrupt capability, and the Buffer Interlace Controller to effect cycle-stealing, direct-memory-access (DMA) data transfers at rates up to 202,000 words per second.

Priority Interrupt Module (PIM)

The Model 620-16 priority-interrupt module (PIM) is a mainframe I/O option for the Varian 620/L computer that performs the following functions:

1. Establishes eight levels of interrupt priority for selected peripheral device controllers.
2. Stores interrupt requests originated by connected peripheral controllers, placing them on the I/O bus in order of their established priorities.

The PIM contains a line register, a sync register, a mask register, a priority logic and control section, and an interrupt address generator.

Installation of the PIM establishes a "priority within a priority" system. Peripheral controllers not normally capable of generating an interrupt can do so when connected to the PIM. Priority levels for these controllers are established by their connections to the interrupt cable. In addition, the PIM provides entry to a

memory location predetermined for each of the controllers connected. The PIM also stores interrupt requests from its associated peripheral controllers, processing each in order of its priority via the computer I/O bus.

The PIM can mask interrupts from selected controllers when so programmed. In addition, input devices are prevented from monopolizing computer time to the exclusion of the main program.

The PIM is on one 7-3/4-by-12-inch etched-circuit card (DM124-1), which is installed in slot 23 of the computer mainframe. Interface with the central processor is through the computer backplane wiring. (If more than one PIM is used, the additional modules are installed in a Model 620/L-01 expansion/chassis, and interfacing is through the I/O cable). Peripheral device controllers interface with the PIM through an interrupt cable that is connected to edge connectors on the PIM card. Controller priority levels are normally hardwired in at the time of installation.

PIM Functional Description

Communication between the PIM and the 620/L is similar to that of any peripheral controller except that the PIM can request a program interrupt. When the computer acknowledges the interrupt, the PIM specifies the memory location of the instruction to be executed by the 602/L.

The PIM automatically scans the interrupt

Characteristic	Specification
Size	One 7-3/4-by-12-inch etched-circuit card (DM124-1).
Organization	Contains three 8-bit registers (line, sync, and mask), an interrupt address generator, a priority logic and control section, and necessary input receivers and output drivers.
Interconnection	Interfaces with 620/L through the mainframe backplane connector (additional PIMs, if installed, interface through the 620/L I/O cable). Connects to peripheral device controllers through the interrupt cable.
Connectors	One 122-terminal card-edge mating with female at backplane. Two 44-terminal card-edge mating with females on the interrupt cable.
Interrupt Control Capability	Eight priority levels, customer assignable.
I/O Capability	Five external control (EXC) and three transfer commands.
Type of Interrupt	False-to-true level transition.
Interrupt Line Scan	Once every 900 nsec.
Input Power	+5V dc.
Logic Levels:	
I/O Cable	Negative Logic: True 0.0 to +0.45 V dc. False +2.8 to +3.6V dc.
Interrupt Cable	Negative Logic: True 0.0 to +0.5V dc. False +2.5 to +5.0V dc.
Internal	Positive Logic: True +2.4 to +5.5V dc. False 0.0 to +0.5V dc.
External Device Address	PIM = 04X, where X = 0 to 7 hardwired, customer assignable.

Figure 12-1. Priority Interrupt Module Specifications (1 of 2)

Memory Locations Required	Two per connected peripheral controller, consecutive pairs, maximum 16.
Interrupt Address Location	Anywhere in memory locations 0100 through 0177 (except that locations 0100 through 0140 cannot be used for the PIM if the system contains memory protection).
PIM Priority	Customer assigned. Determines placement in the priority chain.
Peripheral Controller Priority	Eight customer-assigned levels. Determines hardwired connection to the interrupt cable.
Operational Environment	+5 to +45 degrees C, up to 90% relative humidity without condensation.

Figure 12-1. Priority Interrupt Module Specifications (2 of 2)

lines every 900 nanoseconds. If signals are detected on more than one line, the highest-priority signal is acknowledged. The remaining interrupt requests are stored in the PIM interrupt register until acknowledged. The PIM has an eight-bit mask register for disabling any or all of the eight interrupt lines. This register is normally clear and is loaded only for disabling an interrupt. However, it is not cleared automatically. To clear the mask register, load it with zeros.

Acknowledgment of an interrupt by the central processor causes execution of the instruction located at the memory address specified by the PIM. The instruction can be any 620/L command except an I/O command. An interrupt is thus serviced in one instruction period.

If the executed instruction is jump and mark, the PIM interrupt system is automatically inhibited. This state is terminated only by the program.

The PIM interrupt capability is also inhibited:

- a. During any two-word instruction.
- b. During any I/O instruction.
- c. Until at least one non-I/O instruction has occurred after an I/O instruction.
- d. During any shift instruction.
- e. During a shift that occurs as part of a multiplication or division operation.
- f. Immediately following a shift operation during which a trap occurred.
- g. During a manual step.
- h. When in step mode (i.e., when halted).
- i. During manual or programmed halt.

Mnemonic	Program Code	Functional Description
A. External Control		
EXC 014X*	10014X*	Clear interrupt registers
EXC 024X	10024X	Enable PIM
EXC 034X	10034X	Clear interrupt registers and enable PIM
EXC 044X	10044X	Disable PIM
EXC 054X	10054X	Clear interrupt registers and disable PIM
B. Data Transfer		
OME 04X	10304X	Transfer memory to mask register
OAR 04X	10314X	Transfer A register content to mask register
OBR 04X	10324X	Transfer B register content of mask register
*X represents the last character of the external device address (0 through 7 as determined by jumper connections on the backplane).		

Figure 12-2. PIM Reserved Address/Instruction Codes

- j. Until the run mode has been fully entered.
- k. During an execute command (conditional or unconditional), including the time required for execution of the instruction specified by the command.

PIM Programming

The PIM has no operating controls. Its functions are directed by a program written by the user.

Figure 12-2 gives the command codes applicable to the PIM.

When program loops contain only uninteruptable instructions, interrupts cannot occur. When recognition of an interrupt is imperative (such as power failure/restart interrupts), at least one NOP must be added to such loops. If placed immediately after an EXC instruction, two NOP's are required.

When preparing a PIM program, clear the interrupt registers to establish initial conditions. To mask peripheral controllers, write a mask word in the program. (The eight least significant bits of the mask word correspond to the eight priority interrupt lines. Setting bit 0 inhibits the highest

001000		STRT	,ORG	,01000	
001000	011011		,LDA	,MASK	FETCH INTERRUPT MASK
001001	103140		,OAR	,040	AND STORE IN REGISTER
001002	006010		,LDAI	,0377	INITIALIZE OUTPUT DATA
001003	000377				
001004	103137		,OAR	,037	PRIME INTERRUPT MODULE
001005	100240		,EXC	,0240	ENABLE PIM
001006	005000		,NOP	,	
001007	001000		,JMP	, *-1	DELAY FOR INTERRUPTS
001010	001006				
001011	000376	MASK	,DATA	,0376	
*		INTERRUPT PROCESSING SUBR			
001012	000000	INTR	,ENTR	,	
001013	005311		,DAR	,	DECR OUTPUT DATA
001014	103137		,OAR	,037	OUTPUT DATA TO PUNCH
001015	100240		,EXC	,0240	RE-ENABLE PIM
001016	001010		,JAZ	, *-4	
001017	001022				
001020	001000		,JMP*	,INTR	EXIT
001021	101012				
001022	100440		,EXC	,0440	CLEAR PIM
001023	000000		,HLT	,	END OF PROGRAM
		INTERRUPT ADDRESS			
000100			,ORG	,0100	
000100	002000		,JMPM	,INTR	
000101	001012				
	000000		,END		

Figure 12-3. Sample Program Using the PIM

priority line, setting bit 1 inhibits the second-highest priority line, setting bit 1 inhibits the second-highest priority line, etc.) The mask register must be loaded by the program after any power-up sequence, including the power-up cycle of the power failure/restart option, if any. System reset does not clear the PIM mask register.

In any instruction sequence of noninterruptable instructions that is longer than the shortest service interval of the attached peripherals, insert an NOP (two NOP's

following the EXC instruction) to allow the PIM to request an interrupt if necessary. This is mandatory if the system contains a Model 620/L-14 power failure/restart.

Figure 12-3 gives a simple program in which 256 binary frames are transmitted to the high-speed paper tape punch using the PIM. The program covers memory locations 01000 to 01023, using DAS symbols with corresponding machine-language octal codes.

Mnemonic	Name	Description
EB00-I through EB 15-I	E Bus Signals	Used to transmit address and function codes between the CPU and the PIM
DRYX-I	Data Ready	Used in the PIM to reset the DTOX flip-flop.
FRYX-I	Function Ready	Indicates the E bus contains address information. The type of address depends upon the state of IUAX-I: When IUAX-I is true, a memory address is on the E bus from the address generator of the PIM. When IUAX-I is false, a device address with an associated function code is on the E bus from the CPU.
IUAX-I	Interrupt Acknowledge	Indicates the PIM interrupt is acknowledged. Causes the memory address generated by the PIM address generator to be pulsed on the E bus.
IUCX-I	Interrupt Clock	A 1.1 MHz clock signal that provides timing synchronization of the functions within the PIM. This clock is in a true state whenever IUAX-I is true.
IUJX-I	Interrupt Jump	Inhibits the PIM after a jump and mark instruction by resetting the PRME flip-flop.
IURX-I	Interrupt Request	Output level from the PIM indicating a request for an interrupt.
PRMX-I	Priority In	Input on the priority chain via circuits of all controllers having a higher priority than the PIM
PRNX-I	Priority Out	Output from the PIM priority circuit to all controllers having a lower priority. (NOTE: This signal does not apply to peripheral controllers connected to the PIM interrupt cable.)
SYRT-1	System Reset	An input from the CPU to reset the control logic in the PIM.

Figure 12-4. I/O Control Signals Between CPU and PIM

PIM Timing

Since the PIM serves as an interrupt-interface between a peripheral device and the CPU, the processing and timing of an interrupt request by the peripheral device is in two phases.

The first phase involves the priority logic within the PIM itself. If two or more requests are received simultaneously (during the same interrupt-clock pulse), the lower priority requests are stored until the higher priority requests are processed.

The second phase is the generation of an interrupt request by the PIM and the processing of the request by the CPU. The CPU views the PIM as simply another controller connected to the I/O bus, with a priority established by its priority-line interconnections. If higher priority interrupts are being processed, the PIM request is inhibited.

Once the PIM interrupt request to the CPU has been made and acknowledged, the processing and timing of the request is the same as that of the generalized case described in Section 11.

PIM Address Assignments

External device addresses 040 through 047 are reserved for the PIM's, with 040 normally assigned to the first PIM, 041 to the second, etc. The device address for each PIM is established by jumper wire connections on the backplane.

Interrupt Memory Locations

Each interrupt line is assigned two sequential memory locations. These can be anywhere within locations 0100 through 0177.

The addresses are established by wiring E104, E105, and E106 on the backplane

connector to ground or to +5V dc, depending on the memory locations used. The even-numbered addresses must always be placed on the E bus by placing a zero in bit 0 of the memory address word.

The interrupt address generator consists of coding logic that generates the binary number of the interrupt line requesting the interrupt. The outputs of the three generator gates correspond to 000 through 111, placed on the E bus in positions 0 through 2.

PIM/CPU Interconnections

Connection to the central processor is hard-wired through the computer mainframe backplane. All signals enter or leave the PIM through receiver or driver stages that provide buffering between internal circuits and external lines. Figure 12-4 summarizes the I/O signals between the CPU and PIM.

PIM/Controller Interconnections

For peripheral controllers installed in the same chassis as the PIM, the interrupt lines are connected at the backplane. For controllers in other chassis, an interrupt cable is required. Card-edge connectors J1 and J2 on the PIM are parallel-wired, permitting connection of two interrupt cables. Figure 12-5 gives the pin assignments for the interrupt lines.

The PIM interrupt cable has eight lines for connection with up to eight peripheral controllers. These lines (labeled IL00-through IL07-, where IL00 has the highest priority) can be connected to the controllers in any order of priority.

The cable is either 10 or 20 feet long. The PIM is the termination for the interrupt

cable, with no external termination shoe required.

Interrupt Lines	P1	J1	J2
IL00-	108	3	3
IL01-	114	13	13
IL02-	104	9	9
IL03-	110	15	15
IL04-	102	11	11
IL05-	88	5	5
IL06-	112	1	1
IL07-	86	7	7

Figure 12-5. Pin Assignments for Interrupt Lines

Buffer Interlace Controller (BIC)

The Model 620-20 Buffer Interlace Controller (BIC) is an I/O option for the Varian 620/L computer.

The function of the BIC is to free the central processing unit to perform other program functions during block word transfers. In order to do this, the BIC transfers 16-bit words to and from memory and peripheral device controllers on a cycle-stealing, direct-memory-access (DMA) basis. The transfers can occur up to a maximum rate of 202,000 words per second; the typical transfer rate without the BIC is 30,000 words per second.

A single circuit card contains the entire BIC. The BIC plugs into the mainframe or an expansion chassis of the computer.

The BIC is used to control magnetic tape and disc devices, card and paper tape readers

and punches, and analog-to-digital controllers. Up to ten of these peripheral devices are operated by the BIC under program control. A computer system may include as many as four BICs.

The BIC is a system priority device; however, the peripheral devices connected to it have no priority of their own.

BIC Functional Description

The BIC is functionally divided into two circuits: address registers and sequence control.

Two address registers contain the memory locations of output data or input data, depending on the command input or output.

The initial (I) register stores the address of the first input or output word. This register is incremented after each data word transfer. When the block word transfer is complete, the I register contains the address of the last data word to be transferred.

The final (F) register stores the address of the last word to be transferred. Unless the peripheral device is abnormally stopped, the address in the F register will be the same as the address in the I register when word transfer is ended. When I and F registers reach comparison, the block word transfer is complete.

The sequence control circuit generates the control signals which coordinate address and data transfer between the CPU and the BIC and peripheral device controllers. The data is not routed through the BIC but are directly transferred between the device controller and memory.

Under program control, the CPU senses that the BIC is not busy and prepares the BIC to

Parameter	Description
Organization	Contains input receivers and output drivers, two 15-bit address registers and a sequence control circuit
Control capability	Up to ten device controllers
I/O capability	Two external control commands Eleven transfer commands Two sense commands
I/O transfer rate	Synchronized to peripheral device rate; maximum 202,000 words per second
I/O signal limits (rise/fall)	Minimum 10 nanoseconds; maximum 100 nanoseconds
Logic levels	
To the I/O bus	Negative logic True: 0.0 to +0.5 Vdc False: +2.8 to +3.6 Vdc
Internal	Positive logic True: +2.4 to +5.5 Vdc False: 0.0 to 0.5 Vdc
Size	One 7-3/4-inch-by-12-inch etched-circuit card
Interconnection	Interfaces with I/O cable through backplane connector
Connectors	One 122-terminal card-edge connector (mates with female connector at backplane)
Input power requirement	+5 Vdc

Figure 12-6. Buffer Interlace Controller (BIC) Specifications

BIC

receive the initial and final data addresses. The CPU then senses that the selected peripheral device is not busy and loads the I and F registers. At the same time, the BIC is activated and the peripheral controller is started. The BIC then assumes control of the data transmission, allowing computer operational registers to be used by the program for other functions.

Data transfer is accomplished between memory and the device controller via the E bus in the I/O cable. The BIC counts the words transferred and, when the data block transfer is complete, disconnects the device controller and assumes a not busy state. Data transfer may also be terminated upon request from the peripheral device controller.

The physical, electrical, and operational specifications of the BIC are listed in Figure 12-6.

BIC Programming

There are no operating controls or indicators on the BIC.

The BIC responds to the commands listed in Figure 12-8. Two device addresses are assigned to each BIC to differentiate functions directed by the I/O instruction. Addresses 020 through 027 are reserved for BICs. Address/instruction codes in Figure 12-8 are for the first BIC in a system. If additional BICs are installed, the addresses should be incremented by two for each additional BIC (i.e., second BIC addresses should be 022 and 023).

When preparing a program for use with the BIC, the programmer should sense the status of the BIC and the desired peripheral controller. After a not busy response is received from both controllers, they should be initialized. Then the BIC address registers

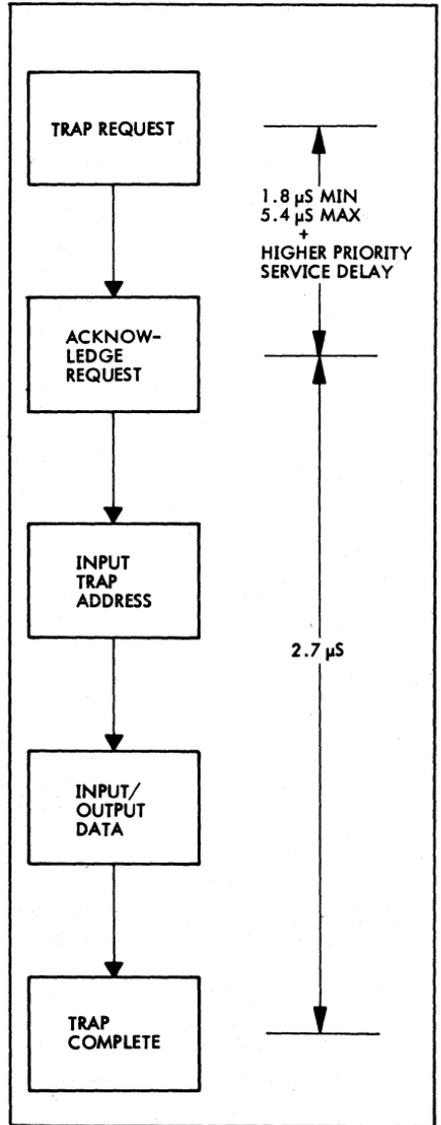


Figure 12-7. BIC-Controlled, Cycle-Stealing Trap Sequence, General Flow

Mnemonic	Octal	Functional Description
External Control		
EXC 020	100020	Active Enable
EXC 021	100021	Initialize
Transfer		
OAR 020	103120	Load Initial Register from A
OBR 020	103220	Load Initial Register from B
OME 020	103020	Load Initial Register from Memory
OAR 021	103121	Load Final Register from A
OBR 021	103221	Load Final Register from B
OME 021	103021	Load Final Register from Memory
INA 020	102120	Read Initial Register into A
INB 020	102220	Read Initial Register into B
IME 020	102020	Read Initial Register into Memory
CIA 020	102520	Read Initial Register into Cleared A
CIB 020	102620	Read Initial Register into Cleared B
Sense		
SEN 020	101020	Sense BIC Not Busy
SEN 021	101021	Sense Abnormal Device Stop

Figure 12-8. Buffer Interface Controller (BIC) Commands

001000			,ORG	,01000	
001000	101020	BIC0	,SEN	,020,BIC1	CK BIC NOT BUSY
001001	001007R				
001002	100401		,EXC	,0401	INIT-TTY
001003	100021		,EXC	,021	INIT BIC
001004	005000		,NOP	,	
001005	001000		,JMP	,*-3	
001006	001002R				
001007	101101	BIC1	,SEN	,0101, BIC2	CK TTY WRITE READY
001010	001014R				
001011	005000		,NOP	,	
001012	001000		,JMP	,*-3	
001013	001007R				
001014	103120	BIC2	,OAR	,020	SET BIC I-REG
001015	103221		,OBR	,021	SET BIC F-REG
001016	100020		,EXC	,020	ACTIVATE BIC
001017	100101		,EXC	,0101	CONNECT WRITE REG
001020	101020		,SEN	,020,BIC3	CK BIC NOT BUSY
001021	001025R				
001022	005000		,NOP	,	
001023	001000		,JMP	,*-3	
001024	001020R				
001025	101021	BIC3	,SEN	,021,BIC5	CK ABN STOP
001026	001032R				
001027	007400		,ROF	,	
001030	102520	BIC4	,CIA	,020	INPUT BIC I-REG
001031	000000		,HLT	,	
001032	007401	BIC5	,SOF	,	SET ABN FLAG
001033	001000		,JMP	,BIC4	
001034	001030R				
	000000		,END	,	

Figure 12-9. Typical BIC Service Routine

Mnemonic	Name	BIC Function
ACEX	Activate enable flip-flop	Stores activation of BIC
ADSX	Abnormal device stop flip-flop	Stores end of data from peripheral controller
BCAX	Buffer controlled activate flip-flop	Stores the activation of the BIC and the peripheral device controller
BCDX	Buffer controller deactivate	Initiates termination of data transfer by the peripheral device controller
CDCX	Controlled device connected	Indicates that the peripheral device is connected
CIRX	Clear I register	Resets the flip-flops in the I register
CLEX	Clock enable	Enables incrementation if the I register
CLEZ	Clock Enable	Enables end of data sequence
DCEX	Device connect enable	Enables selection of a peripheral device
DESX	Device stop flip-flop	Stores the requirement to stop the peripheral device
DRYX	Data ready	Indicates the E bus contains a word of data
DSTX	Device stop permit flip-flop	Stores the end of the data transfer
EBD1	E bus drive 1	Enables loading of the F register
EBDX	E bus drive flip-flop	Stores the need to initially load the F register from the E bus
EBii	E bus bit	Data or address to be transferred
EBiI	E bus bit inverted	Part of the BIC device address
FRYX	Function ready	Indicates the E bus contains an address

Figure 12-10. BIC Mnemonic Definitions (1 of 3)

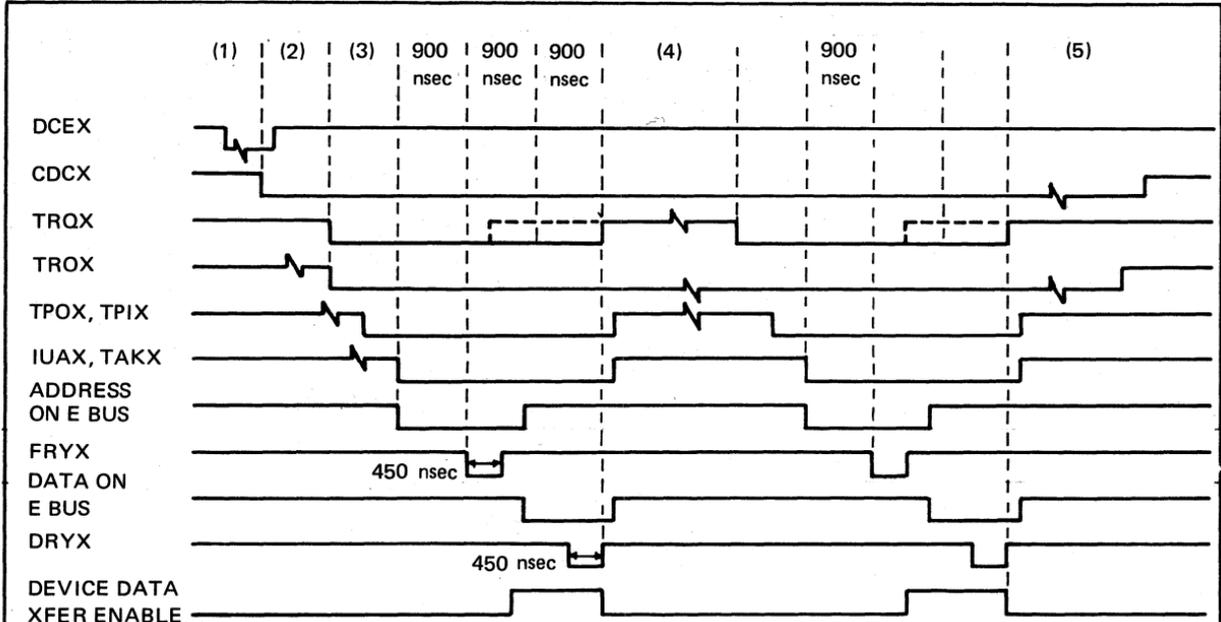
Mnemonic	Name	BIC Function
FiiX	F register flip-flop	Stores final data address bit
IEFX	Initial equals final	Indicates content of I register is equal to content of F register
IEF2	Initial equals final 2	Initiates deactivation of the BIC and the peripheral device controller
IFMX	Initial equals final memory flip-flop	Stores the incrementation of the I register to the value of the F register
INIT	Initialize	Sets and resets BIC flip-flops to their initial condition
INTX	Interrupt	Requests interrupt
IUAX	Interrupt acknowledge	Enables servicing of BIC-connected peripheral device controllers
IUCX	Interrupt clock	Provides timing for servicing BIC
liiX	I register flip-flop	Stores initial and subsequent data address bits
LFRX	Load F register	Gates E bus address into F register
LFXX	Load F register permit flip-flop	Stores command to load F register
LIRX	Load I register	Gates E bus address into I register
LIXX	Load I register permit flip-flop	Stores command to load I register
PRMX	Priority input	Gives priority to BIC

Figure 12-10. BIC Mnemonic Definitions (2 of 3)

Mnemonic	Name	BIC Function
PRNX	Priority output	Passes priority to next in line after BIC is serviced
OIRX	Output I register	Gates contents of I register onto E bus
RIXX	Read I register flip-flop	Stores requirement of central processor to know contents of I register
SERX	Sense response	Indicates whether the BIC is busy
SYRT	System reset	Generates initialize signal when SYSTEM RESET switch is pressed
TAKX	Transfer acknowledge	Indicates that requirements for data transfer have been met
TAOX	Trap address out flip-flop	Stores the placing of the data address on the E bus
TCOX	Trap command flip-flop	Stores the need for a trap requested by the BIC
TPDX	Trap detect flip-flop	Stores the peripheral device request for a trap when data is to be transferred
TPIX	Trap input	Indicates that the BIC is ready to transfer data to memory
TPOX	Trap output	Indicates that the BIC is ready to transfer data from memory
TROX	Transfer out	Indicates the direction (in or out) of data transfer
TRQX	Transfer request	Indicates that the peripheral device is ready for the data transfer

Figure 12-10. BIC Mnemonic Definitions (3 of 3)

Figure 12-11. BIC Trap Sequence Timing



NOTES:

- (1) Timing required to issue the command to connect the device.
- (2) Time required for device to request first data transfer after starting:
- (3) Time required to service current and/or higher priority requests for I/O accesses.
- (4) To achieve maximum rate of data transfer, signal TRQX need be low for only 400 nanoseconds.
- (5) End of data block. Signal CDCX may remain high between blocks.

should be loaded with the initial and final memory addresses of the block of data to be transferred, a BIC activate enable instruction placed on the I/O cable, and the transfer started. Although the program requires loops for use with sense instructions and to handle abnormal conditions, transfer of the data block is accomplished by the BIC without further program instructions.

Figure 12-9 shows a typical service routine for the BIC, a teletype paper tape punch operation under BIC control. Using DAS symbols with corresponding machine language octal codes, the program covers memory locations 01000 through 01034.

Once the program is loaded, the operator must insert the initial punch buffer address into the A register and the final address into the B register for each run. The program when started will: initialize the BIC and teletype punch, initiate the transfer, read the contents of the BIC initial register into the A register at completion of the transfer, set the overflow indicator if the termination was abnormal, and then halt. The punch buffer must contain only ASCII characters; the first character must be 0222 (punch on) and the last character must be 0224 (punch off).

The mnemonics used in the BIC are listed alphabetically in Figure 12-10. A brief description of each signal's function is given as well as the proper signal name.

BIC Timing

The sequence and timing of a BIC controlled cycle-stealing data transfer are shown in Figures 12-7 and 12-11.

BIC Interconnections

The BIC is on an etched-circuit card, 7-3/4 by 12 inches, designated DM126.

All connections to the BIC are made through the 122-terminal card-edge connector which mates with the corresponding backplane connector in the computer chassis or in an expansion chassis.

The BIC circuit card is normally located in a card slot in the I/O section of the same chassis as the peripheral controllers to which it is connected.

The BIC interfaces with the computer and peripheral controllers entirely via the backplane connectors. When two or more BICs are installed in the same chassis, the BIC control lines are only connected to the controller (or controllers) that each BIC is communicating with. No BIC control lines are installed between two BICs. When the controller is in a different chassis, the control lines are extended via the I/O bus.

The BIC signal interfaces are listed in Figure 12-12. A circuit-card connector pin number follows each signal mnemonic. The definition of each mnemonic is given in Figure 12-10.

Input Signals			
Mnemonic	Pin	Mnemonic	Pin
BCDX	52	EB11	17
CDCX	54	EB12	18
DRYX	29	EB13	19
EB00	2	EB14	20
EB01	4,65	EB11	68,69
EB02	6,70	EB2I	71,72
EB03	8	FRYX	27
EB04	10	INTX	75
EB05	11	IUAX	44
EB06	12	IUCX	45
EB07	13	PRMX	37
EB08	14	SYRT	43
EB09	15	TROX	50
EB10	16	TROX	49
Output Signals			
Mnemonic	Pin	Mnemonic	Pin
DCEX	56	EB09	15
DESX	60	EB10	16
EB00	2	EB11	17
EB01	4	EB12	18
EB02	6	EB13	19
EB03	8	EB14	20
EB04	10	PRNX	42
EB05	11	SERX	31
EB06	12	TAKX	58
EB07	13	TPIX	33
EB08	14	TPOX	35

Figure 12-12. BIC Input and Output Pin Assignments

SECTION 13 – PERIPHERALS AND I/O INTERFACES

This section describes a sampling of various peripheral and I/O interface options that are available with the Varian 620/L computer.

The circuits of the Varian 620/L peripheral controllers are contained on 7.75-by-12-inch (19.7 x 30.3 cm) circuit cards that can be installed in any peripheral controller slots in the Varian 620/L mainframe or expansion chassis.

The Model Number listing in Section 6 indicates whether the controller occupies the space of one card slot (PC slot) or three card slots (U slot).

Interconnection between the controller and the peripheral device is via connector on the rear edge of the card.

The following list indicates the peripherals and I/O interfaces described in this section.

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Teletypes

The controller for the first teletype in a Varian 620/L system has an assigned slot in the mainframe chassis and connection between the computer and the TTY is via a connector on the back of the mainframe chassis (see Sections 15 and 16).

Additional TTY's require the addition of an optional TTY controller (Model 620/L-6, -7, -8) connected to the computer I/O bus.

The additional TTY's also require a TTY buffer board. Up to 8 TTY's can be included in a single computer system.

The factory-modified Teletype unit that is controlled by the TTY controller can be a model 33 ASR, 35 ASR, or 35 KSR. The ASR models include paper tape reader and punch facilities; the KSR model uses only keyboard-entered instructions and data.

Specifications of the optional TTY controller are given in Figure 13-1.

Organization	Contains input and output registers, timing control circuitry for simultaneous two-way transmission, and CPU/TTY interface logic
Peripheral Device	Factory-modified Teletype Model 33 ASR, 35 ASR, or 35 KSR, including cable
Speed	Operation controlled by TTY speed: 10 characters per second (100 milliseconds per character) at either random or sustained rate
Operation Modes	Input: From keyboard or paper tape reader Output: To TTY printer or paper tape punch
Device Address	TC 001
Sense Responses	Ready to read; ready to write
Memory Access Control	By CPU indirectly (requires TTY buffer board 01A0688-000) or by BIC
Types of Interrupt	Write ready and read ready interrupts available to PIM
Logic Levels	Postive Logic True: +2.4 to +5.5V dc False: 0.0 to +0.5V dc
Size	One 7.75-by-12-inch (19.7 x 30.3 cm) etched-circuit card
Interconnection	Interfaces with CPU, I/O bus, or BIC and TTY via mainframe backplane connector
Operational Environment	10 to 45 degrees C, 10 to 90 percent relative humidity without condensation

Figure 13-1. Teletype Controller Specifications

Mnemonic	Octal	Function	
A. External Control			
EXC 101	100101	Connect Write Register to BIC	
EXC 201	100201	Connect Read Register to BIC	
EXC 401	100401	Initialize	
B. Transfer			
OAR 01	103101	Transfer A Register to Write Register	
OBR 01	103201	Transfer B Register to Write Register	
OME 01	103001	Transfer Memory Register to Write Register	
IAR 01	102101	Transfer Read Register to A Register	
IBR 01	102201	Transfer Read Register to B Register	
IME 01	102001	Transfer Read Register to Memory Register	
CIA 01	102501	Transfer Read Register to Cleared A Register	
CIB 01	102601	Transfer Read Register to Cleared B Register	
C. Sense			
SEN 101	101101	Write Register Ready	
SEN 201	101201	Read Register Ready	
D. Teletype Command Codes			
Function	Symbol	Code	Typed As
Print Enable	SOM	201	Control and A
Print Suppress	EOT	204	Control and D
Reader On	XON	221	Control and Q
Punch On	TAPE	222	Control and R
Reader Off	XOFF	223	Control and S
Punch Off	TAPE OFF	224	Control and T

Figure 13-2. Teletype Instruction Codes

High-Speed Paper Tape Equipment

The Model 620-55A high-speed paper tape system is composed of a controller card, a paper tape perforator, and a paper tape reader. A paper tape spooler is also available for use with the reader.

The controller card contains a data register which buffers the data words being transferred, a decoder section which interprets instructions received from the computer, a timing and control section which synchronizes operation of the peripheral equipment with the computer and necessary interface hardware.

The paper tape controller can transfer data from the tape reader to the computer; it can also transfer data to the tape perforator from the computer, or it can be used to reproduce paper tapes. The controller can transfer data into the computer in a continuous read mode, which places the tape reader in continuous slew until a stop command is received, or it can operate in a step read mode, requiring a new instruction from the computer for each transmitted data word.

Computer control of the paper tape system is accomplished through the I/O bus. The controller can also be operated under direction of the BIC.

Each controller is capable of operating one perforator and one reader on a time-shared basis.

Organization	Consists of a timing and control section, an instruction decoder, and an eight-bit data buffer register
Control Capability	One tape reader and one tape perforator, operated on a time-shared basis
I/O Capability	Five external control, eight transfer, and one sense instructions
Logic Levels	Positive Logic True: +2.5 to +5.0V dc False: 0.0 to 0.5V dc
Operational Modes:	
Continuous Read	300 characters per second
Step Read	One to 300 characters per second
Punch	One to 75 characters per second
Size	One 7.75-by-12-inch (19.7 x 30.3 cm) etched-circuit card
Interconnection	Interfaces with the computer and BIC via a 122-terminal connector; interfaces with tape punch and reader via two 44-terminal connectors
Input Power	+5V dc at 540 mA
Operational Environment	10 to 45 degrees C, 10 to 90 percent relative humidity without condensation

Figure 13-3. High-Speed Paper Tape Controller Specifications (Model 620-55A)

high-speed paper tape

Mnemonic	Octal	Function
A. External Control		
EXC 037	100037	Connect Punch to BIC
EXC 437	100437	Stop Reader
EXC 537	100537	Start Reader
EXC 637	100637	Punch Buffer
EXC 737	100737	Read One Character
B. Transfer		
OAR 37	103137	Load Buffer from A Register
OBR 37	103237	Load Buffer from B Register
OME 37	103037	Load Buffer from Memory
INA 37	102137	Read Buffer into A Register
INB 37	102237	Read Buffer into B Register
IME 37	102037	Read Buffer into Memory
CIA 37	102537	Read Buffer into Cleared A Register
CIB 37	102637	Read Buffer into Cleared B Register
C. Sense		
SEN 537	101537	Sense Buffer Ready

Figure 13-4. High-Speed Paper Tape I/O Instruction Codes

Seven-Track Magnetic Tape Equipment

The seven-track magnetic tape system consists of up to four magnetic tape transports and a magnetic tape controller (Model 620-31A, B, C). The system can read and record a magnetic tape that is IBM 2400-compatible for seven-track systems.

The magnetic tape controller provides a buffered interface between the Varian 620/L I/O bus and a seven-track magnetic tape transport. The controller accommodates up to four transports of the Peripheral Equipment Corporation 6000 series. However, only one tape transport can be selected for use at any one time.

The tape controller comprises two circuit cards and contains all read/write data registers and timing and control logic required to control one tape transport.

Computer control of the magnetic tape system is accomplished through the I/O bus. The controller can also be operated under direction of the BIC.

When more than one tape transport is used with the controller, the transports are connected to the controller in party-line configuration. However, only one transport may be operated at a time. Transport selection is program-controllable.

Organization	Consists of instruction decode and storage sections, sense, read/write data control and write motion control, read motion control, read/write data storage and error checking sections, clock, and drivers and receivers.
I/O Capability	Eight external control, eight transfer, eight sense, and four transport select instructions
Control Capability	Four tape transports any one of which may be selected for connection to the controller. System reset automatically selects transport 1
Data Word	Buffering provided for two 16-bit words, each word containing up to three bytes
Error Checking	LRC and CRC characters are generated during read. Error correction is not provided.
Logic Levels	Positive Logic True: +2.5 to +5.0V dc False: 0.0 to +0.5V dc
Size	Two 7.75-by-12-inch (19.7 x 30.3 cm) wired-socket circuit cards
Interconnection	Each card interfaces with the computer and BIC option via a 122-terminal connector. Each card interfaces with the tape transport via two 44-terminal connectors.

Figure 13-5. Seven-Track Controller Specification

Mnemonic	Octal	Function
A. External Control		
EXC 010	100010	Read One Record Binary
EXC 110	100110	Read One Record BCD
EXC 210	100210	Write One Record Binary
EXC 310	100310	Write One Record BCD
EXC 410	100410	Write File Mark
EXC 510	100510	Forward One Record
EXC 610	100610	Backspace One Record
EXC 710	100710	Rewind
B. Transfer		
ØAR 10	103110	Load Buffer from A Register
ØBR 10	103210	Load Buffer from B Register
ØME 10	103010	Load Buffer from Memory
INA 10	102110	Read Buffer into A Register
INB 10	102210	Read Buffer into B Register
IME 10	102010	Read Buffer into Memory
CIA 10	102510	Read Buffer into Cleared A Register
CIB 10	102610	Read Buffer into Cleared B Register
C. Sense		
SEN 010	101010	Sense Parity Error
SEN 110	101110	Sense Buffer Ready
SEN 210	101210	Sense MTU Ready
SEN 310	101310	Sense File Mark
SEN 410	101410	Sense High Density
SEN 510	101510	Sense End of Tape
SEN 610	101610	Sense Beginning of Tape
SEN 710	101710	Sense Rewinding

Figure 13-6. Seven-Track Magnetic Tape Unit Instruction Codes

Nine-Track Magnetic Tape Equipment

The nine-track magnetic tape system consists of up to four Peripheral Equipment Corporation Series 6000 tape transports and one magnetic tape controller (MTC), Model 620-30, for processing IBM 2400-compatible tapes.

The MTC provides a buffered interface between the Varian 620/L I/O bus and the tape transport. The MTC accommodates up to four tape transports, but only one of these is in use at any given time.

The MTC is on two wire-wrapped socket cards which can be installed in an expansion chassis. It contains all read/write registers and logic circuitry for the tape transport control.

Computer control of the magnetic tape system is accomplished through the I/O bus. The controller can also be operated under direction of the BIC.

If the system contains more than one tape transport, the transports are connected to the MTC in party-line configuration. The program controls the selection of the one transport that can operate at any given time.

Organization	Consists of a clock, drivers, receivers, and the following logic sections: instruction decoding, instruction storage, sense, read/write motion control, read/write data control, read/write data storage, and error checking.
I/O Capability	Six external control, eight transfer, eight sense, and four transport select instructions
Control Capability	Can select one of up to four tape transports at any given time. Resetting the system automatically selects tape transport 1.
Data Word	Buffering is provided for two 16-bit words, each containing two 8-bit bytes.
Error Checking	During writing, cyclic redundancy check (CRC) characters and longitudinal redundancy check (LRC) characters are written for each tape record. During reading, these characters are regenerated and compared with those read. The LRC includes a parity check. Error correction is not provided.
Logic Levels	Positive Logic True: +2.5 to +5.0V dc False: 0.0 to +0.5V dc
Size	Two 7.75-by-12-inch (19.7 x 30.3 cm) wired-socket circuit cards
Interconnection	Each card interfaces with the computer and BIC via a 122-terminal connector. Each card interfaces with tape transport via two 44-terminal connectors.
Input Power	+5V dc at 3 amperes nominal
Operational Environment	10 to 45 degrees C, 10 to 90 percent relative humidity without condensation

Figure 13-7. Nine-Track Magnetic Tape Controller Specification

Mnemonic	Octal	Functional Description
A. External Control		
EXC 010	100010	Read One Record Binary
EXC 0110	100110	Read One Record BCD
EXC 0210	100210	Write One Record Binary
EXC 0310	100310	Write One Record BCD
EXC 0410	100410	Write File Mark
EXC 0510	100510	Forward One Record
EXC 0610	100610	Backspace One Record
EXC 0710	100710	Rewind
B. Transfer		
OME 010	103010	Output Memory to Magnetic Tape Buffer
OAR 0110	103110	Output A Reg to Magnetic Tape Buffer
OBR 0210	103210	Output B Reg to Magnetic Tape Buffer
IME 010	102010	Input Magnetic Tape Buffer to Memory
INA 0110	102110	Input Magnetic Tape Buffer to A Register
INB 0210	102210	Input Magnetic Tape Buffer to B Register
CIA 0510	102510	Input Magnetic Tape Buffer to A Register Cleared
CIB 0610	102610	Input Magnetic Tape Buffer to B Register Cleared
C. Sense		
SEN 010	101010	Sense Tape Error
SEN 0110	101110	Sense Buffer Ready
SEN 0210	101210	Sense Tape Unit Ready
SEN 0310	101310	Sense File Mark
SEN 0410	101410	Sense Odd Length Record/Sense High Density
SEN 0510	101510	Sense End of Tape
SEN 0610	101610	Sense Beginning of Tape
SEN 0710	101710	Sense Rewinding
D. Transport Select		
EXCB 0110	104110	Select Tape Drive No. 1
EXCB 0210	104210	Select Tape Drive No. 2
EXCB 0310	104310	Select Tape Drive No. 3
EXCB 0410	104410	Select Tape Drive No. 4

Figure 13-8. 9-Track Magnetic Tape Unit Instruction Codes

Disc Memories

The disc memory options consist of Models 620-38A, B and C and 620-39 rotating memories. Models 620-38A, B and C are fixed head per track, rack mountable disc units. Model 620-39 is a high data capacity moving head disc, also rack mountable.

The disc memory options offer bulk storage for data and library software routines. Data can be stored and retrieved at maximum data transfer rates of up to 80K words per second.

Disc Memory Unit

- Organization One fixed head per track, 16, 32, or 64 tracks;
1920 16-bit words or 1728 18-bit words per track
- Disc Rotation Speed 1775 RPM (60 Hz primary power)
1480 RPM (50 Hz primary power)
- Data Transfer Rate72K words/second (60 Hz primary power)
60K words/second (50 Hz primary power)
- Average Access Time 17 ms (60 Hz); 20 ms (50 Hz)
- Recoverable Error Rate Less than one in 10^{10}
- Nonrecoverable Error Rate Defined as a Disc Failure
- Write/Read Recovery Time Less than $10\mu\text{s}$
- DC Power Disc power supply is an integral part of disc unit
- Dimensions 10.5" high, 19" wide, 19" deep.
(26.9 cm x 48.7 cm x 48.7 cm)
- Weight 50 pounds (22.7 kg)
- Rack Space Requires 10-1/2" in a 19" RETMA rack
- Operating Environment 5° to 45°C, 20% to 90% relative
humidity (no condensation)
- Vibration 1.0 G, 20 to 100 Hz

Disc Power Requirements:

Device	117 VAC, 60 Hz Current Requirements (Amps)		230 VAC, 50 Hz Current Requirements (Amps)	
	Surge	Normal	Surge	Normal
Motor	8.0	3.0	4.0	2.0
DC Supply	—	0.5	—	0.25
Total	8.0	3.5	4.0	2.25

Figure 13-9. Disc Memory Specifications, Models 620-38 A, B, C (1 of 2)

Controller	
Control Capability	One disc unit
Operational Modes	Read and Write under BIC control
Construction	Logic mounted on one 7-3/4" by 12-11/16" wire-wrap board (19.8 cm by 33 cm)
Power Required	+5 Vdc @ 10 Watts nominal (supplied by 620/i power supply)
Operating Environment	5° to 45° C, 10% to 90% relative humidity (no condensation)
Interface Cable	10 feet long (3.07 meters); connects from controller card edge to disc unit

Figure 13-9. Disc Memory Specifications, Models 620-38 A, B, C (2 of 2)

Type	Single-disc, cartridge-type disc storage unit
Cartridge Type	IBM 2315 or VDM-approved equivalent
File Protection	Front Panel Switch Selection
Track Spacing	0.010 inches
Transfer Rate	42,000 16-bit words/sec 38,000 18-bit words/sec
Capacity (per Cartridge)	585,000 16-bit words; 520,000 18-bit words
Rotation Speed	1500 rpm
Track Access Time:	
Maximum	477 milliseconds
Minimum	2.35 milliseconds
Settle Time	20 milliseconds

Figure 13-10. Disc Memory Specifications, Model 620-39 (1 of 2)

disc memories

Mean Time Between Failures (MTBF)	Greater than 1700 hours
Power Requirements	Supplied by disc power supply
Dimensions	19" wide, 17-1/2" high, 28-1/2" deep (48.6 x 44.9 x 73.1 cm)
Weight	Approximately 95 pounds (43.2 kg)
Operating Environment	19° to 32°C; 20 to 80% relative humidity (no condensation)
Disc Power Supply	
Capability	Provides all dc and ac power required by two disc drive units
Input Power Requirements	115VAC 60 Hz, or 230VAC 50 Hz
Dimensions	8-3/4" high, 19" wide, 23.6" deep (22.4 x 48.7 x 60.5 cm)
Operating Environment	19° to 32°C; 20 to 80% relative humidity (no condensation)
Disc Controller	
Control Capability	Provides control of two disc units
Construction	One wire-wrap circuit board; 7-3/4" by 12-11/16" (19.8 cm x 31.2 cm approx.)
Mounting	Requires three card slots in a 620/i-01 Expansion Chassis
Operating Power	+5Vdc @ 1.5A
Operating Environment	5° to 45° C, 0% to 90% relative humidity (no condensation)

Figure 13-10. Disc Memory Specifications, Model 620-39 (2 of 2)

Mnemonic	Machine Code	Description
External Control (Mode Selection)		
EXC 014	100014	Select Read Mode and connect controller to BIC
EXC 114	100114	Select Write Mode and connect controller to BIC
Sense (Status Indicators)		
SEN 014	101014	Disc Failure
SEN 114	101114	Disc ready to execute a mode select instruction
SEN 214	101214	Disc is busy with block transfer operation
SEN 314	101314	Illegal address selected
SEN 414	101414	Read parity error detected
SEN 514	101514	Track timing error
SEN 614	101614	Data transfer timing error
Transfer		
OME 014	103014	Output Memory as Starting Sector Disc Address
OAR 114	103114	Output A Register as Starting Sector Disc Address
OBR 214	103214	Output B Register as Starting Sector Disc Address

Figure 13-11. Disc I/O Instruction Codes, Models 620-38 A, B and C

Mnemonic	Machine Code	Description
External Control		
EXC 014	100014	Select Read Mode and Connect Controller to BIC
EXC 114	100114	Select Write Mode and Connect Controller to BIC
EXC 214	100214	Select Disc A For Move
EXC 314	100314	Select Disc B For Move
EXC 414	100414	Select Disc A For Data
EXC 514	100514	Select Disc B For Data
EXC 614	100614	Enable Interrupt
EXC 714	100714	Initialize Discs A & B
Transfer		
OME 14	103014	Output Memory as Starting Disc Sector Address or Move Information
OAR 14	103114	Output A Register as Starting Disc Sector Address or Move Information
OBR 14	103214	Output B Register as Starting Disc Sector Address or Move Information
Sense		
SEN 014	101014	Disc or Controller Failure
SEN 114	101114	File is Protected
SEN 214	101214	Disc is Busy
SEN 314	101314	Disc A Head at Track 0 (Home Position)
SEN 414	101414	Disc B Head at Track 0 (Home Position)
SEN 514	101514	Move Completed (Disc A or B)
SEN 614	101614	Read Parity Error/Write Overwrite
SEN 714	101714	Position Error

Figure 13-12. Disc I/O Instruction Codes, Model 620-39

Drum Memories

The drum memory system (Models 620-44 through -49) consists of a drum controller circuit card, a drum memory unit, and a dc power supply.

The drum memory system is field-expandable to accommodate increased system storage requirements. The smaller of the two drums is expandable in increments of 16 tracks up to a maximum of 128 tracks. The larger model is expandable in increments of 64 tracks up to a maximum of 512 tracks. Each track has 1,920 words (16 bits of storage). This provides a maximum storage capacity of 983,040 16-bit words in a 512 data track system. For a 128 data track system, the storage is 245,760 sixteen-bit words. A computer word stored on the drum unit consists of 16 data bits and one parity bit.

The controller circuit card contains all data registers and timing and control logic required to control one drum memory unit. The drum memory unit contains a single rotating drum, mechanical drive assemblies,

and read/write control logic. The dc power supply provides required operating voltages.

Control of the drum memory system by the Varian 620/L computer is accomplished under direction of the BIC. The BIC is a prerequisite of the drum memory system. Data transfer between the drum controller and drum memory unit is accomplished via the drum cable.

The drum controller performs the following functions:

- a. Controls bit serial data transfer between the controller and drum memory unit.
- b. Monitors and detects parity errors during read-from-drum operations.
- c. Controls mode of operation and provides all interface control between the computer and the drum memory unit.

Organization	Consists of a timing and control section, buffer register, shift register, address register/counter, location counter, comparator, and interface drivers and receivers.
Control Capability	One drum memory unit with up to 983,040 17-bit words (16 data bits plus odd parity).
I/O Capability	Two external control, three transfer, and seven sense instructions
Logic Levels	Positive Logic True: +2.5 to +5.0V dc False: 0.0 to +0.5V dc
Operational Modes	Read block transfer; write block transfer
Word Transfer Rate:	
60-Hz Primary Power	106,000 sixteen-bit words per second
50-Hz Primary Power	88,500 sixteen-bit words per second
Priority Assignment	BIC-dependent
Size	One 7.75-by-12-inch (19.7 x 30.3 cm) wired-socket circuit board
Interconnection	Interfaces with the computer and BIC via a 122-terminal connector. Interfaces with drum unit via two 44-terminal connectors.
Input Power	+5V dc at 2 amperes
Operational Environment	5 to 45 degrees C, 10 to 90 percent relative humidity without condensation

Figure 13-13. Drum Memory Controller Specifications

Line Printer Equipment

The Model 620-77 buffered line printer represents an operational, self-contained subsystem consisting of a high-speed line printer and an interface controller.

This option offers high performance and printing quality to meet user requirements in a wide range of on-line applications. The line printer can also be used for off-line activities by incorporating the required interface control logic.

Significant features and characteristics of the line printer are:

- a. Segmented buffered line storage of up to a 132 six-bit character capacity
- b. Programmed line space control using standard TTY paper tape format.
- c. 245 to 1100 line-per-minute printing speeds providing 63 graphic and one blank (ASCII) character codes.
- d. High reliability and printout quality as a result of friction-free, one-piece hammer construction.

Printer	
Character Data:	
Format	Standard ASCII
Codes	63 printable in one blank
Characters Per Line	Up to 132
Horizontal Spacing	Ten characters per inch
Vertical Spacing	Six characters per inch
Paper:	
Dimensions	Standard fanfold, edge-punched 4 to 19 inches (8.1 to 48.1 cm) wide with 22 inches (55.7 cm) between folds
Type	Single copy, 15-pound bond minimum-weight multicopy, up to six parts, 12-pound bond with shot carbon
Ribbon:	
Dimensions	Vertically fed roll type 14 inches (33.4 cm) wide, 20 yards (18m) long
Cabinet:	
Dimensions	46 inches high, 48.5 inches wide, 25 inches deep
Weight	Approximately 575 lbs.
Dynamic Characteristics:	
Printing Speed	245 lines per minute, 132 columns 290 lines per minute, 120 columns 356 lines per minute, 96 columns 460 lines per minute, 72 columns 650 lines per minute, 48 columns 1,110 lines per minute, 24 columns
Drum Rotation	1760 rpm
Primary Voltage	110 to 130V ac
Range	Single phase 60 Hz
Power Requirements	500 watts
Equipment:	
Operating Temperature	50 to 110°F
Relative Humidity	30 to 90 percent without condensation
Controller	
Organization	Consists of timing and control-select/deselect logic, word buffer, drivers, and receivers
Control Capability	One printer, six-bit data words

Figure 13-14. Line Printer Specifications (1 of 2)

Output Capability	Two external control, three transfer, and two sense instructions
Logic Levels:	
I/O and B Cables	Negative Logic True: 0.0 to 0.5V dc False: +2.5 to +3.7V dc
Internal	Positive Logic True: +2.5 to +5.0V dc False: 0.0 to 0.5V dc
Size	One 7.75-by-12-inch (19.7 x 30.3 cm) wired-socket circuit card
Interconnection	Interfaces with the computer via a 122-terminal connector; interfaces with line printer via two 44-terminal connectors
Input Power	+5V dc at 500 mA
Operational Environment	10 to 45 degrees C, 10 to 90 percent relative humidity without condensation

Figure 13-14. Line Printer Specifications (2 of 2)

Mnemonic	Octal	Functional Description
A. Sense		
SEN 0136	101136	Sense bottom of form
SEN 0236	101236	Sense printer not busy
SEN 0436	101436	Sense printer mechanically ready
B. Transfer		
OME 036	103036	Transfer memory to printer buffer
OAR 036	103136	Transfer A register to printer buffer
OBR 036	103236	Transfer B register to printer buffer

Figure 13-15. Line Printer System Controller Instructions

Oscilloscope Display System

The Model 620/L-73 oscilloscope display system provides visual display of the computer output. The system includes a Tektronix model 602 oscilloscope with a 5-inch (8.7 cm) rectangular cathode ray tube (CRT), a controller, reference power supply, and interconnecting cables.

The oscilloscope controller converts digital data to analog values which drive the horizontal and vertical deflection plates of the oscilloscope. The oscilloscope is specially designed for X-Y presentation. One of the D/A converters in the controller drives the oscilloscope X axis; the other, the Y axis. The Z channel input turns the CRT beam on and off.

The display system is directly under program control. The display is programmed by outputting data to one of the two A/D converters. Portions of the display can be inhibited by the program.

Controller	
Organization	Contains decoding logic, two D/A converters, Z axis control circuitry, and voltage regulator
I/O Capability	Four external control and six transfer instructions
Size	One 7.75-by-12-inch (19.7 x 30.3 cm) wirewrapped-circuit board
Interconnection	Interraces with the computer via backplane wiring panel; interfaces with the power supply via the backplane connector; X, Y, and Z axis signals route to the oscilloscope via three cables that card-edge-connect to J1
Input Power	+22V dc at 650 mA; -22V dc at 350 mA
Operational Environment	0 to 50 degrees C, 0 to 90 percent relative humidity without condensation
D/A Converters	
Type	12-bit; bipolar output
Accuracy	Better than 0.1 percent
Output	Single-ended, ± 10 volts full scale at 10 mA, short circuit
Settling Time	10 microseconds maximum
Conversion Time	100 Hz
Oscilloscope	
Type	Portable monitor unit with self-contained power supply; 5-inch (8.7 cm) rectangular CRT
Inputs	X, Y, and Z axis signals
Size	6 inches (15.2 cm) high, 8.5 inches (21.5 cm) wide, 17.5 inches (44.3 cm) deep
Input Power	90 to 136V ac or 180 to 240V ac, 50 or 60 Hz
Operational Environment	0 to 50 degrees C, 0 to 90 percent relative humidity without condensation

Figure 13-16. Oscilloscope Display System Specifications

oscilloscope display

Mnemonic	Octal	Functional Description
External Control		
EXC 056	100056	Initialize X-axis
EXC 057	100057	Initialize Y-axis
EXC 256	100256	Turn On CRT
EXC 356	100356	Turn Off CRT
Transfer		
OAR 056	103156	Transfer A Register to X-axis
OBR 056	103256	Transfer B Register to X-axis
OME 056	103056	Output Memory to X-axis
OAR 057	103157	Transfer A Register to Y-axis
OBR 057	103257	Transfer B Register to Y-axis
OME 057	103057	Output Memory to Y-axis

Figure 13-17. Oscilloscope Display Control Instructions

Punched Card Equipment

Punched Card Reader

The Model 620-22, -25 card reader system (CRS) is a peripheral option that reads data from 80-column (51-column optional) punched cards and transfers the data to a Varian 620/L computer. The CRS consists of a Soroban Model ERD (620-22) or a Bridge Data Products Model 8000 (620-25) card reader and a card reader controller.

The controller is constructed with 28 integrated circuit chips and discrete component assemblies mounted on a standard wired-socket card. The controller can be mounted in any universal card slot in the mainframe or expansion chassis.

The card reader reads the information from punched cards and provides the data to the controller. The card reader controller provides a nonbuffered interface between the card reader and the CPU. It also provides the timing and logic circuits to effect the transfers. The controller can transfer data to the CPU under direct program control or under supervision of a BIC.

Card Punch

The Model 620-26 card punch controller controls data transfer from the computer to the card punch. The controller permits punch operation under CPU control and, optionally, BIC control.

The data buffer register in the controller stores the 12-bit data words from the CPU. The control section synchronizes and controls punch operation. A data present strobe to the punch indicates that correct data are on the data lines.

Under program control, the controller senses the punch (ready or not busy) and transfers data to it. Under BIC control, the controller requests data and the BIC controls the transfer from the specified memory addresses. Transfer continues until terminated by the BIC.

punched card

Organization	Contains input receivers and output drivers for I/O bus and BIC interface operations and sequence control logic to transfer data from the card reader to the computer
Capability	Soroban Model ERD (620-22) or Bridge Data Products Model 8000 (620-25)
Operating Speed	With Model 8000: 300 cards per minute With ERD: 900 cards per minute
Character Length	12 bits, LSB D100, MSB D111
Feed Type	Both models read standard 80-column cards (51 optional) on a per-column basis (end feed)
Transfer Rate	Maximum rate between the 620/L and the controller: 1,050 characters per second for the 620-25 and 2,500 characters per second for the 620-22.
Logic Levels	Positive Logic True: +2.4 to +5.5V dc False: 0.0 to +0.5V dc
Size	One 7.75-by-12-inch (19.7 x 30.3 cm) wired-socket circuit card
Interconnection	Interfaces with the computer and BIC via a 122-terminal connector; interfaces with the card reader via two 44-terminal connectors
Input Power	+5V dc at 280 mA
Operational Environment	5 to 45 degrees C, 0 to 90 percent relative humidity without condensation

Figure 13-18. Card-Reader Controller Specifications

Organization	Contains the punch output data buffer, line drivers/receivers for I/O and punch cabling, and a control section
Priority Assignment	BIC-dependent
Timing:	
Data Present Strobe	Typically 15 microseconds
Card Punch Ready	False for approximately 12 microseconds while data buffer stores data
Character Length	12 bits
Feed Type	Punches standard 80-column cards (51 optional) on a per-column basis
Transfer Rate	260 characters per second
Logic Levels	Positive Logic True: +2.4 to +5.5V dc False: 0.0 to +0.5V dc
Input Power	-5V dc at 485 mA
Size	One 7.75-by-12-inch (19.7 x 30.3 cm) wired-socket board
Operational Environment	0 to 50 degrees C, 0 to 90 percent relative humidity without condensation

Figure 13-19. Card Punch Controller Specification

Mnemonic	Octal	Function
A. External Control		
EXC 230	100230	Read One Card
EXC 630	100630	Step Read One Character
B. Transfer		
INA 30	102130	Transfer to A Register
INB 30	102230	Transfer to B Register
IME 30	102030	Transfer to Memory
CIA 30	102530	Transfer to A Register Cleared
CIB 30	102630	Transfer to B Register Cleared
C. Sense		
SEN 130	101130	Sense Character Ready
*SEN 230	101230	Sense Reader Not Busy
SEN 630	101630	Sense Reader Ready

Figure 13-20. Card Reader Instruction Codes

Digital Plotter

The Model 620-72 digital plotter system consists of a Calcomp 565 digital plotter and plotter controller card. The plotter produces high-quality, ink-on-paper graphic presentations of computer output.

The plotter controller provides a fully buffered interface to permit operation of the plotter under program control or under the direction of BIC.

The plotter uses digital commands from the computer to produce the plot or drawing on a 12-inch wide roll of paper. These commands actuate step motors to produce incremental movement of the pen with respect to the paper. One step motor controls movement in two directions along the X axis, and a separate motor controls movement on the Y axis. X-axis movement is accomplished by rotating the paper drum in either the +X or -X direction. The pen is moved to the left or right to effect movement on the Y axis. Composite commands can be given to move the pen on two axes simultaneously. This results in commands to move the plotter pen in any of eight directions. Model 565 operates at up to 300 increments per second, with three optional increment sizes: 0.005 inches, 0.010 inches, and 0.1 millimeters. The increment size is specified when ordering.

Plotter	
General	Digital commands actuate step motors to produce plot
Increment Sizes (selected when ordering)	0.005 inch (0.01 cm); 0.010 inch (0.03 cm); 0.1 mm
Speed	300 increments per second (maximum)
Plot Dimensions:	
X Axis	11 inches (27.8 cm)
Y Axis	120 feet (36.4m)
Paper	12 inches wide by 120 feet long edge-punched roll; available in a wide variety of patterns printed on various stocks
Pen	Liquid ink or ballpoint pen
Power Requirements	105 to 125V ac, single phase, 50/60 Hz, 1.5A (maximum)
Size	98 inches (248 cm) high, 18 inches (45.5 cm) wide, and 14.7 inches (35.2 cm) deep
Operational Environment	0 to 45 degrees C, 0 to 96 percent relative humidity without condensation
Controller	
Organization	Contains interface circuitry, control and timing logic, and six-bit command buffer
Size	One 7.75-by-12-inch (19.7 x 30.3 cm) etched-circuit card
Input Power	+5V dc at 380 mA; -5V dc at 42 mA; -12V dc at 15 mA
Operational Environment	0 to 45 degrees C, 0 to 90 percent relative humidity without condensation

Figure 13-21. Digital Plotter Specifications

Mnemonic	Octal	Functional Description
A. External Control		
EXC 032	100032	BIC to DPC Enable
B. Transfer		
OME 032	103032	Transfer Memory to Buffer
OAR 032	103132	Transfer A Register to Buffer
OBR 032	103232	Transfer B Register to Buffer
C. Sense		
SEN 0132	101132	Sense Buffer Ready

Figure 13-22. Digital Plotter Controller Instructions

Buffered I/O Controller

The Model 620-80 buffered I/O controller provides a self-contained, programmable hardware interface for general-purpose data-handling.

The input and output buffer registers provide parallel word data communications between the computer I/O bus and an external device. In addition to data handling, the output buffer register can be programmed to output discrete control bits to an external device.

The buffered I/O controller uses a customer-fabricated U cable, up to 20 feet (6m) long, for communication with external devices.

Organization	Contains operation and function decoding logic, input and output buffer registers, eight sense input gates and eight variable-pulsewidth control gates, and interface drivers and receivers
Capability	Provides buffered data transmission to/from external devices and the 620/L
Sensing Line Input Current Load	Nominally 7 mA source at 0 volt
Buffered Output Register Current Load	Nominally 36 mA source at 0 volt
Control Pulse Output Current Drive	Up to 65 mA sink at 0 volt
Logic Levels	Positive Logic True: +2.5 to +5.5V dc False: 0.0 to 0.5V dc
Size	One 7.75-by-12-inch (19.7 x 30.3 cm) wired-socket card
Interconnection	Interfaces with the computer via a 122-terminal connector; interfaces with external devices via two 44-terminal connectors
Input Power	+5V dc at 1.8 amperes
Operational Environment	+5 to +45 degrees C, 0 to 90 percent relative humidity without condensation

Figure 13-23. Buffered I/O Controller Specifications

Mnemonic	Octal	Functional Description
A. External Control		
EXC 0X6Z*	100X6Z	Output control pulse on line selected by X from controller addressed by Z.
B. Sense		
SEN 0X6Z	101X6Z	Test state of line selected by X from controller addressed by Z.
C. Input Data		
IME 06Z	10206Z	Read input buffer of controller addressed by Z into memory.
INA 016Z	10216Z	Read input buffer of controller addressed by Z into B register.
INB 026Z	10226Z	Read input buffer of controller addressed by Z into B register.
CIA 056Z	10256Z	Clear A register and read controller input buffer addressed by Z.
CIB 066Z	10266Z	Clear B register and read controller input buffer addressed by Z.
D. Output Data		
OME 06Z	10306Z	Load output buffer of controller addressed by Z from memory.
OAR 016Z	10316Z	Load output buffer of controller addressed by Z from A register.
OBR 026Z	10326Z	Load output buffer of controller addressed by Z from B register.
*6Z = Device address (60-67). Determined on individual system basis by wiring on backplane of peripheral expansion chassis.		
* X = Discrete control/sense line (0-7).		

Figure 13-24. Buffered I/O Controller Instructions

Relay I/O Module

The Model 620/L-83 relay I/O option provides a general-purpose, relay-buffered data link between special peripherals and the 620/L. The option has the capability of 16 relay-buffered inputs (620-83-2), 16 mercury-wetted relay contact outputs (620-83-1), or combined input/output (620-83-3). The relay input and output options are each packaged on one 7.75-by-12-inch (19.7 x 30.3 cm) socket board. Printed circuit etch is used for the relay portion of the board.

In the Model 620-83-2, input relay contacts are activated by voltages from the user's equipment through the 12V dc input relay coil (10 volts at 6.5 mA minimum). Series resistors for coil input voltages greater than 12 volts can be installed. An energized input relay coil closes a contact that is gated into a flip-flop. This 16-bit flip-flop register can be accessed by the Varian 620/L with one of five data input commands. The flip-flop register can be cleared with an external control command or by system reset. The flip-flops remain set after an initial relay input until they are cleared.

The Model 620-83-1 relay-output option allows isolated parallel data transfer of a 16-bit word from the 620/L via mercury-wetted relay contacts to the user's equipment. A 16-bit word is clocked into a flip-flop register by any of three data transfer out commands. The register drives 16 discrete circuits that, in turn, drive the 12-volt relay coils closing the contacts.

The relays can be cleared by an external control instruction, transferring all-zeros data out, or by system reset. The relay contacts remain closed until the flip-flops are cleared.

relay I/O

I/O Capability	Two external control, one sense, and eight data transfer instructions
Relay Type:	
Output	Mercury-wetted reed
Input	Dry reed
Contact Rating:	
Output	50 volt-amperes resistive 3 amperes or 400 volts maximum
Input	12 volt-amperes resistive 1/2 ampere or 200 volts maximum
Contact Resistance:	
Output	0.05 ohm average
Input	0.2 ohm average
Capacitance:	
Output	1 pF plus 0.01 μ F external
Input	Less than 1 pF
Operating Time:	
Output	2 milliseconds average
Input	1 millisecond average including bounce
Release Time:	
Output	2 millisecond average
Input	1 millisecond average
Coil Power Consumption:	
Output	500 mW average
Input	100 mW average
Drive Requirement:	
Output	3 TTL load (through an amplifier)
Input	10 volts at 6.5 mA minimum
Life at Rated Load:	
Output	25 x 10 ⁶ operations
Input	100 x 10 ⁶ operations
Size	One 7.75-by-12-inch (19.7 x 30.3 cm) socket board
Operational Environment	0 to 50 degrees C, 0 to 90 percent relative humidity without condensation

Figure 13-25. Relay I/O Module Specifications

Mnemonic	Octal	Functional Description
A. External Control		
EXC 0DA	1000DA	Clear All Outputs. Causes all 16 output contacts to open.
EXC 1DA	1001DA	Clear All Inputs. Returns all input bits that are not being set by contact closure to zero.
B. Sense		
SEN 0DA	1010DA	Sense Contact Closed. This command is available as an option. A specified contact closure will cause a jump to the jump address to occur.
C. Transfer In		
INA 0DA	1020DA	Input to A register. Input relay buffered input data on module to A register.
CIA 0DA	1020DA	Clear and Input to A register. Input relay buffered input data on module to A register cleared.
INB 0DA	1020DA	Input to B register. Input relay buffered input data on module to B register.
CIB 0DA	1020DA	Clear and Input to B register. Input relay buffered input data on module to B register cleared.
IME 0DA, ADDR	1020DA	Input to Memory. Input relay buffered input data on module to memory.

Figure 13-26. Relay I/O Module Control Instructions

Digital I/O Controller

The Model 620-81 digital I/O controller (DIOC) provides a programmed link between an external device and the computer. There are eight separate control and sensing lines to permit the user to initialize, implement iterative control sequences, synchronize otherwise asynchronous external devices, and monitor the operational state of an external device.

The DIOC operates entirely under program control. The function code defines one of eight individual control or sensing lines. The DIOC responds to an EXC command by placing a pulse on the selected output control line. Similarly, it responds to a SEN command by testing the operational state of an external device via the true or false level applied to the selected sense-response line.

The DIOC uses a customer-fabricated U cable, up to 20 feet (6m) long, for communication to external devices.

Organization	Contains address and function decode logic, interface drivers and receivers, eight nonbuffered control pulse output gates, and eight nonbuffered sense response input gates
Controller Circuitry	Eight control pulse gates and eight sense line gates
Expansion Capability	Standard plug-in expansion of up to 64 control and sense lines
Control Pulse Output Current Drive	48 mA sink at 0 volt
Sense Response Input Current Load	6.5 mA source at 0 volt
Control Pulsewidth	200 nanoseconds
Control Pulse	100 nanoseconds maximum
Transition Time	5 nanoseconds minimum
Logic Levels	Positive Logic True: +2.5 to +5.5V dc False: 0.0 to +0.5V dc
Size	One 7.75-by-12-inch (19.7 x 30.3 cm) etched-circuit card
Interconnection	Interfaces with the computer via a 122-terminal connector; interfaces with external devices via two 44-terminal connectors
Input Power	+5V dc at 250 mA
Operational Environment	+10 to +45 degrees C, 0 to 90 percent relative humidity without condensation

Figure 13-27. Digital I/O Controller Specifications

Mnemonic	Octal	Functional Description
A. External Control		
EXC	100XZZ*	Select device address of ZZ and initiate a control pulse on line X.
B. Sense		
SEN	101XZZ	Select device address of ZZ and test logical state of sense response line X.

*ZZ = Device address 60₈ to 67₈

* X = Control or sense line 0 through 7

Figure 13-28. Digital I/O Controller Instructions

Analog Input Modules

The Model 620-850 (single ended) and Model 620-851 (differential) are low-cost, general purpose analog-input modules designed for use on the Varian 620/I computer. The modules are completely self-contained and are plug-in compatible with the Varian 620/L computer mainframe or expansion frame. The modules provides the following significant features:

- Analog-to-digital converter
- Sample and hold amplifier
- Programmable timer
- I/O and BIC interface
- Multiplexer
- Wired for Priority Interrupt Module (PIM) option

Each module includes an analog-to-digital converter with 13 bit resolution and 55 KHZ throughput rate, sample and hold amplifier, programmable timer and multiplexer with 16 differential or 32 single-ended channels expandable to 256 differential or 512 single-ended channels.

The analog-to-digital converter provides a digital output, corresponding to an analog voltage input. The analog-to-digital conversion can be initiated by the computer, by the programmable timer or by an external pulse.

The programmable timer provides an internal and external control capability. Under internal control, the timer sets the timing interval through a data word which it receives from the computer. The timer decrements the data word at 1 microsecond per count until the zero state is reached. The timer then emits a 100 ns pulse, restores the

original data word and again initiates the cycle.

Under external control, the timer initiates the timing cycle upon receipt of an external signal. As in internal control, the timer decrements the data word until the zero state is reached. Then, the timer will stop and wait for an external signal before the next cycle is initiated. During the wait period, a new timing interval can be sent by the computer.

The multiplexer can operate in either of two modes:

- Scan mode
- Program mode

The Program Mode allows the multiplexer address to occur at variable intervals determined by the computer. The selected channel is read and the data can be converted to its digital representation.

The end-of-conversion signal can generate an interrupt via the optional Priority Interrupt Module (PIM), which can start a program to select the next channel address from a "channel" table.

With the Buffer Interlace Controller option, instead of generating an interrupt, the end-of-conversion signal initiates a trap-out sequence via a BIC connected to the multiplexer.

In the Scan Mode, channel addressing is selected sequentially. Each scan starts automatically with the first channel and a channel advance signal, increments the multiplexer to the next higher channel. At the end of a scan cycle, the multiplexer is set to the first channel and an end-of-scan interrupt can be monitored by the computer.

analog input

Resolution	13 Binary bit
Analog Input (Full Scale)	± 10 volts
Conversion Accuracy	$\pm .012\%$ of 20 volts Full scale $\pm 1/2$ LSB
Conversion Time (13 bit)	14 μ seconds, maximum
Throughput Rate	55 KHz, maximum
Temperature Coefficient	$\pm 100 \mu\text{V}/^\circ\text{C}$, maximum including sample and hold
Warm-up Time	Essentially zero
Output Format	2's complement or offset Binary
External Start	1K ohms to +5 VDC. Lower to start. Must raise and relower to restart.
Power	+15 VDC, $\pm .1\%$, 75 ma -15 VDC, $\pm 1\%$, 75 ma -20 VDC, $\pm 2\%$, 2 ma +5 VDC, $\pm 5\%$, .75 amps.
Environment	
Operating Temperature	0 $^\circ\text{C}$ to 50 $^\circ\text{C}$
Storage Temperature	-55 $^\circ\text{C}$ to 85 $^\circ\text{C}$
Sample and Hold	
Gain and Accuracy	
Voltage Gain	+1
Accuracy	$\pm .01\%$
Gain Temp. Coeff.	$\pm 10 \text{ PPM}/^\circ\text{C}$
Track Mode	
Full Power Response (20V peak to peak one wave)	150 KHz
Slew Rate	10v/ μ s
Settling Time to ± 1 mV	3 μ seconds

Figure 13-29. Analog Input Module Specifications (1 of 3)

Input Characteristics

Signal Range	$\pm 10\text{V}$
Maximum Rating (without damage)	$\pm 30\text{V}$
Input Impedance	10K ohms
Common Mode Rejection	-80 db, 0 to 60 Hz
Offset Voltage	$\pm 1\text{ mV}$, maximum
vs Temperature	$\pm 50\ \mu\text{V}/^\circ\text{C}$

Output Characteristics

Signal Range	$\pm 10\text{V}$
Noise, RMS, Wide Band (Hold Mode)	1 mV peak to peak
Decay Rate in Hold Mode	$\pm 10\text{mV/second}$
Feedthrough 20V step (Hold Mode)	-80 db

Switching Characteristics

Aperture time	100 NS, maximum
Offset pedestal	$\pm 10\text{ mV}$, maximum
Acquisition Time	3 $\mu\text{seconds}$

Programmable Timer

Clock Frequency	1.0 MHz $\pm 0.1\%$
Clock Drift	$\pm 100\text{ PPM}$ over 0°C to 50°C
Clock Stability	$\pm 100\text{ PPM}$ in 3 years $\pm 10\text{ PPM}$ per week at 25°C
Resolution	16 Binary Bits (Computer E - Bus $2^0 - 2^{15}$)
Programmed PRF	1 MHz to 15.26 Hz
Pulse Output	100 Nz, $I_{\text{sink}} \leq 100\text{ ma}$ $C_L \leq 1000\text{ pf}$

Figure 13-29. Analog Input Module Specifications (2 of 3)

Multiplexer	
Number of Channels	16 differential or 32 single-ended. Address signals available for external expansion to a total of 256 differential or 512 single-ended channels.
Input Voltage (Full Scale)	$\pm 10V$
Over Voltage Limits	$\pm 15V$ (without damage)
Over Voltage Recovery	13 μ seconds
Input Impedance	100 Meg ohms
Input Impedance (off)	10 Meg ohms
Crosstalk	-80 db, 0 to 1 KHz
Settling Time	13 μ seconds
Source Impedance for Rated Performance	1K, maximum
Operating Voltages	$\pm 15V, -20V, +5V$
Environment	
Operating Ambient	0 $^{\circ}$ C to 50 $^{\circ}$ C
Storage	-55 $^{\circ}$ C to 85 $^{\circ}$ C

Figure 13-29. Analog Input Module Specifications (3 of 3)

Analog Output Modules

Introduction

The analog output modules, Models 620-870 through 620-875, are low-cost, general purpose, digital-to-analog converter configurations designed as an optional feature for the Varian 620/L computer. The modules are completely self-contained on standard VDM printed circuit cards that plug-in the computer I/O slots in the mainframe or expansion frame. The family of modules offers a wide range of digital-to-analog converter configurations providing the following significant features:

- Multi digital-to-analog converter configurations with up to 14 bit resolution
- I/O and BIC interface
- Eight external control lines
- Eight sense lines
- Expandable up to 64 digital-to-analog converter configurations

An analog output module consists of one standard VDM printed circuit card, containing a digital-to-analog converter configuration, an I/O and BIC interface, eight external control (EXC) lines, and eight sense (SEN) lines. A system can be expanded to eight digital-to-analog converter configurations per device address and up to eight device addresses are available. Hence, a system can be expandable to 32 modules providing a maximum of 64 digital-to-analog converter configurations. The available digital-to-analog converter configurations are the following:

Model No.	Configuration
620-870	Single 10 Bit

620-871	Single 12 Bit
620-872	Single 14 Bit
620-870A	Dual, two 10 Bit
620-871A	Dual, two 12 Bit
620-872A	Dual, two 14 Bit
620-873	Mix, single 10 Bit and single 12 Bit
620-874	Mix, single 10 Bit and single 14 Bit
620-875	Mix, single 12 Bit and single 14 Bit

All digital-to-analog converter configurations can be initialized to zero volts output through the computer's system reset switch. An extended external control selects anyone of up to eight digital-to-analog converter configurations at a specific address. After the selection, the computer outputs data words to the digital-to-analog converter configuration without reselecting for each output word. A digital-to-analog converter configuration remains selected until another is selected or the system is re-initialized. Each digital-to-analog converter configuration has a storage register which holds data until update or System Reset.

A selected digital-to-analog converter configuration can be operated in conjunction with the Buffered Interlace Controller (BIC). In this direct transfer mode, a voltage waveform is obtained from the analog equivalent of a data set resident in computer memory storage. When a system contains more than one BIC, the desired configuration is enabled via an external control prior to selecting the BIC transfer.

Inputs			
Resolution	10 bit	12 bit	14 bit
Coding	Two's complement or offset binary. Input comes from computer registers or core memory.		
Outputs			
Voltage	± 10 volts full scale		
Current	± 5 ma max.	± 10 ma max.	± 10 ma max.
Loading			
Restive	500 ohms	1K ohms	1K ohms
Capacitive	2000 pf at specified settling time. Any value can be tolerated without amplifier oscillation.		
Short Circuit Protection	Output may be shorted to ground indefinitely with no damage to the module.		
Dynamic Characteristics			
Output Slew Rate	0.5 volts/μsec.	6 volts/μsec.	6 volts/μsec.
Noise	Less than ± 1/2 LSB peak maximum, due to activity on computer I/O bus.		
Settling Time	10 μsec. to stated accuracy		
Adjustments	FS, zero	FS, zero MSB	FS, zero 3 MSB
Accuracy	± 0.05%	± 0.012%	± 0.003%
Power Requirements	+5 VDC ± 5% 500 ma +15 VDC ± 0.1% 50 ma -15 VDC ± 0.1% 50 ma		
Digital Control Outputs			
Number	Eight		
Type	Open collector transistor. TI SN 75451 P. Dual Peripheral Driver. Sinks current when true.		

Figure 13-30. Analog Output Module Specifications (1 of 2)

Each output will sink 300 ma and stand-off +30 volts. Outputs are controlled by flip-flops which are set and reset by computer instructions.

Digital Sense Inputs

Number	Eight
Type	TTL logic levels. Ground true.

Open circuit inputs are held to +5 volt supply through 5.6K ohm resistors.

Physical Characteristics

Dimension	One printed circuit board with size 7-3/4" x 12" x 0.5". Plug-in compatible with standard 620 series hardware.
Connectors	One 122-terminal card-edge connector (mates with female connector on backplane.) Two 44-terminal card-edge connectors (mates with female connector on external device cable.)

Environment

Warm-Up Time	Essentially zero
Temperature Coefficient	
Temperature Range	
Operating	0°C to 50°C
Storage	-55°C to 85°C

*NOTE: Specifications apply to 10 bit, 12 bit, and 14 bit unless otherwise stated.

Figure 13-30. Analog Output Module Specifications (2 of 2)

Analog Power Supply Module

The Power Supply Module Model 620-88, is a low-cost, general purpose analog power supply. This module is an optional feature of the VDM 620 series computers, completely self-contained and designed to provide all the power requirements of the A/D Interface Products.

Electrical Characteristics				
Input Voltage	115/230 VAC \pm 10% 47 Hz to 63 Hz			
Input Current	1.6 Amps RMS F.L.			
Output Voltages, Currents				
Standard	+5 VDC, 0.1% 5 amp. +15 VDC, 0.1% 1 amp. -15 VDC, \pm 3% 1 amp.			
Optional	\pm 20 VDC, \pm 3% 250 ma. +24 VDC, \pm 3% 500 ma.			
Output Performance				
Voltages	\pm 15V	\pm 20V	+5V	+24V
Load Regulation (N.L. to F.L.)	0.1%	0.1%	0.5%	1%
Line Regulation (Nominal Volt. \pm 10%)	0.1%	0.15%	0.1%	1%
Temperature Coefficient	\pm 0.015%	\pm 0.025%	\pm 0.015%	\pm 0.025%
Ripple and Noise (N.L. to F.L.)	5 Millivolts P - P maximum			50 Mv max.
Transient Response (50% load change)	25 μ sec	25 μ sec	10 μ sec	50 μ sec

Figure 13-31. Analog Power Supply Module Specifications (1 of 2)

Short Circuit Protection	Stands any combination of outputs shorted to ground or to each other indefinitely.			
Overvoltage Protection	+5.0V only. Crowbar fires at $+6.8V \pm .4V$			
Remote Sensing	+5V, +15V, -15V (tracks +15V)			
Operating Temperature	0° to 50° C without forced air cooling			
Current Limits				
Voltage	+5V	$\pm 15V$	$\pm 20V$	+24
i minimum	5.4A	1.3A	.26A	.51A
i short	1.1A	.15A	.35A	.6A
Mechanical Characteristics				
Mounting	Rack mount on front or rear cabinet rails.			
Dimensions	5-1/4" x 19" x 6"			

Figure 13-31. Analog Power Supply Module Specifications

Dataset Controllers

Dataset controllers interface with the computer and modems that are compatible with standard datasets. These controllers can operate in half- or full-duplex mode. They detect and establish input synchronization and switch to word mode for data transfers.

Data are transferred one of three ways:

- a. The controller can be connected to the BIC for operations requiring minimum program intervention. BIC can be connected for half-duplex operation to input or output data. In full-duplex operation, I/O functions can be connected to the BIC and data flow can be controlled by the program.
- b. Full- or half-duplex operation can be completely controlled by the program.
- c. Inputting data to the PIM provides interrupt-controlled transfers.
- d. Receive/Transmit. The controller simultaneously transfers data in both directions.

Organization	Contains controller logic, timing circuits, and I/O drivers/receivers
I/O Capability	Eight external control, two transfer, and six sense instructions
Operational Modes	Full- or half-duplex
Transfer Rate	2,000 to 2,400 bits per second, fixed rate
Priority Assignment	Under program, interrupt, or BIC control
Logic Levels	Positive Logic True: +2.5 to +5.0V dc False: 0.0 to 0.5V dc
Input Power	+5V dc at 2.5 amperes
Size	One 7.75-by-12-inch (19.7 x 30.3 cm) etched-circuit card
Operational Environment	0 to 50 degrees C, 0 to 90 percent relative humidity without condensation

Figure 13-32. Dataset Controller Specifications (Model 620-65)

Mnemonic	Octal	Functional Description
A. External Control		
EXC 071	100071	Go to Search
EXC 0171	100171	Connect Write Buffer to BIC
EXC 0271	100271	Connect Read Buffer to BIC
EXC 0471	100471	Turn on Request to Send
EXC 0671	100671	Go to Character Format
B. Transfers		
IME 071	102071	Transfer Read Buffer to 8 LSB of Memory
INA 071	102171	Transfer Read Buffer to 8 LSB of A Reg.
INB 071	102271	Transfer Read Buffer to 8 LSB of B Reg.
CIA 071	102571	Transfer Read Buffer to 8 LSB of A Reg. cleared
CIB 071	102671	Transfer Read Buffer to 8 LSB of B Reg. cleared
OME 071	103071	Transfer Memory 8 LSB to Write Buffer
OAR 071	103171	Transfer A Register 8 LSB to Write Buffer
OBR 071	103271	Transfer B Register 8 LSB to Write Buffer
C. Sense		
SEN 0171	101171	Write Buffer Empty
SEN 0271	101271	Read Buffer Full
SEN 0371	101371	Carrier On
SEN 0471	101471	Clear to Send
Notes:		
1. All commands listed are used for 201A3 Dataset operation.		
2. EXC 571 is not necessary for 201B1 (true) full-duplex operation.		
3. SEN 371 and SEN 471 will always be ON if Request to Send is left on at both ends when using 201B1. Carrier On also comes ON when outputting using a 201A3 dataset.		
4. 201A3 = Half-Duplex – 2 wire. 201B1 = Full-Duplex – 4 wire.		

Figure 13-33. Dataset Controllers Instructions (Model 620-65)

Organization	Contains necessary timing circuitry, registers (in and out) for a complete character, modem control register and EIA drivers and receivers.		
Modes of Operation	Full or half duplex.		
Message Format	Asynchronous.		
*Speed of Operation	Standard speeds: 110, bits per second, 134.89, or 150 BPS. Other speeds (up to 300 BPS) available on request.		
*Character Format	9, 10 or 11 bit character, 1 start, 7 or 8 data and 1 or 2 stop bits.		
Typical Peripheral Devices and Characteristics	Device	Speed in BPS	Character Format
	<p>*Teletypc, Model 33 or 35 110 11 Baud</p> <p>Teletype, Model 37 150 10 Baud</p> <p>IBM 1050 or Mosler Selectriever 134.89 9 Baud</p> <p>Usage of other peripheral devices with similar speeds and character formats is possible on request.</p>		
Operations Environment	Operating Temperature = 0° to 45°C.		
	Operating Relative Humidity = 0 to 90%		
*The 620i-66 is wired normally to operate a Model 33 or 35 teletype.			

Figure 13-34. Dataset Controller Specifications (Model 620-66)

Mnemonic	Octal	Functional Description
A. External Control		
EXC 0471	100471	Initialize
EXC 0271	100271	Select Load MCR
B. Transfers		
IME 071	102071	Transfer Read Buffer to Memory
INA 071	102171	Transfer Read Buffer to A Register
INB 071	102271	Transfer Read Buffer to B Register
CIA 071	102571	Transfer Read Buffer to A Register cleared
CIB 071	102671	Transfer Read Buffer to B Register cleared
OME 071	103071	Transfer Memory to Write or MCR Buffer
OAR 071	103171	Transfer A Register to Write or MCR Buffer
OBR 071	103271	Transfer B Register to Write or MCR Buffer Write or MCR
C. Sense		
SEN 0171	101171	Output Buffer Ready
SEN 0271	101271	Input Buffer Ready
SEN 0371	101371	Call Connect
SEN 0471	101471	Call Disconnect
SEN 0571	101571	Carrier On
Notes:		
1. All commands listed are used for 103A2 Dataset operation.		
2. Request to Send and Clear to Send could be substituted for SEN 371 and SEN 471 commands if desired.		
3. 103A = Dialup; 013F = Private Line.		
4. Device address listed is 71; any other device address may be used according to system requirements.		

Figure 13-35. Dataset Controllers Instructions (Model 620-66)

Organization	Contains controller logic, timing circuits, and I/O drivers/receivers to interface with Bell 202 type or equivalent
Modes of Operation	Full or half duplex
Message Format	Asynchronous
Speed of Operation	up to 2000 baud
Character Format	9, 10 or 11 bit character
Priority Assignment	Under program, interrupt or BIC control
Operational Environment	Operating Temperature = 0° to 50°C Operating Relative Humidity = 0 to 90%

Figure 13-36. Dataset Controller Specifications (Model 620-67)

Mnemonic	Octal	Functional Description
A. External Control		
EXC 0	10005X	Initialize
EXC 1	10015X	Connecto BIC to Output
EXC 2	10025X	Set Data Terminal Ready
EXC 3	10035X	Reset Data Terminal Ready
EXC 4	10045X	Set Request to Send
EXC 5	10055X	Reset Request to Send
EXC 6	10065X	Receive Enable
EXC 7	10075X	Receive Disable
EXC B0	10405X	Set Reverse Channel Transmit
EXC B1	10415X	Reset Reverse Channel Transmit
B. Transfers		
OAR	10315X	XFER A Reg. to Controller (transmit)
OBR	10325X	XFER B Reg. to Controller (transmit)
OME	10305X	XFER Memory to Controller (transmit)
INA	10215X	XFER Receive/Controller Data to A Reg
INB	10225X	XFER Receive/Controller Data to B Reg
IME	10205X	XFER Receive/Controller Data to Memory
CIA	10255X	SFER Receive/Controller to Data to cleared A Reg
CIB	10265X	XFER Receive/Controller Data to cleared B Reg
C. Sense		
SEN 0	10105X	Reverse Channel On
SEN 1	10115X	Ring Indicator
SEN 2	10125X	Data Set Ready
SEN 3	10135X	Carrier On
SEN 4	10145X	Clear to Send
SEN 5	10155X	Even Parity
SEN 6	10165X	Transmit Data Ready
SEN 7	10175X	Receive Data Ready

Figure 13-37. Dataset Controller Instructions (Model 620-67)

Automatic Calling Unit Controller

The Model 620-62 Controller is a special-purpose option designed to interface the 620/L computer with the Western Electric Model 801 Automatic Calling Unit (ACU). The ACU and controller permit the 620/L to automatically place a call to any telephone number in the network and then switch the line to a data set for fully automatic transmission of data. Under control of the 620/L and controller, the ACU performs all functions normally performed by an attendant in originating a data call.

The telephone number to be called is stored in the 620/L and presented to the ACU via the controller, bit-parallel, in 4-bit binary digits. The controller contains all control logic and interface required for operation of the ACU under interrupt and sense control.

Organization	Contains a 4-bit output buffer, output interface, and command decoding and interface logic.
Construction	Logic consists of integrated circuits mounted on standard I/O controller board
Device Address	16 (Hexadecimal)
Input	Bit-parallel, buffered by receivers/drivers on I/O tray
Output	Bit-parallel, output interface meets RS-232 specifications
Input Power	+5 Vdc @ 180 mA, -12 Vdc @ 9 mA, +12 Vdc @ 48 mA
Environmental	0° to 50°C; 0-90% relative humidity (no condensation)

Figure 13-38. Automatic Calling Unit Controller Specifications

Mnemonic	Octal	Functional Description
Device Address = 7X		
EXC 0	10007X	Initialize
EXC 1	10017X	Enable CRQ
EXC 2	10027X	Disable CRQ
EXC 3	10037X	Not Used
EXC 4	10047X	Reset DPR – Not normally required for most operating
SEN 1	10117X	Sense PWI modes
SEN 0	10107X	Sense DLO
SEN 2	10127X	Sense ACR
SEN 3	10137X	Sense COS
SEN 4	10147X	Sense PND
OAR	10317X	XFER "A" Reg. to Controller
OBR	10327X	XFER "B" Reg. to Controller
OME	10307X	XFER Memory to Controller

Figure 13-39. Automatic Calling Unit Instructions

Data Communications Controller

The Model 620/L-60 data communications controller system (DCC-1) provides a data communications link between the Varian 620/L computer and remote teletype terminals.

Using telephone lines as the communications media, bidirectional transmission of binary serial data is accomplished by means of dataset modems and 33/35 ASR TTY terminals. The dataset modems must be located within 50 feet (15m) of their associated interface units.

The DCC-1 system offers an economical and efficient means of providing on-line computer services to many remote users. Some typical applications include: on-line program debugging, on-line computation and execution, information storage and retrieval data, inquiry services, computer aid for 'hands-on' use in classroom instruction, and scientific hybrid simulation. In addition, these remote terminals can also be used in an off-line mode for general-purpose utility program routines.

The overall DCC-1 system consists of the power supply (620-95-5), dataset, TTY coupler, 33/35 ASR TTY, a line controller card, and a multiplexer card.

The multiplexer circuit board (DM171) is used to select and control the operation of all the enabled data channels. The line controller circuit board (DM135) provides the logic for four data communication channels.

Organization:	
Line Controller	Contains address gates, clock selection logic, and standard driver/receiver stages
Multiplexer	Contains sense and control function logic, address decode clock and logic circuits, interrupt decode enable logic, and clock timing circuits
Capability:	
Line Controller	Selects address and generates the control logic necessary to synchronize and communicate with dataset modems; each line controller provides four bidirectional data communications channels; and can be expanded to 16 data communications channels
Multiplexer	Provides interface between the computer I/O bus and data communications channels; decodes the address and function data, output function commands, channel address codes, and interrupt command signals
Logic Levels	Positive Logic True: +2.5 to +5.5V dc False: 0.0 to +0.5V dc
Size:	
Line Controller	One 7.75-by-12-inch (19.7 x 30.3 cm) wired-circuit card (contains logic for four data channels); system can be expanded to incorporate 12 additional data channels
Multiplexer	One 7.75-by-12-inch (19.7 x 30.3 cm) wired-circuit card
Interconnection	Interfaces with the computer via a 122-terminal connector; interfaces with external devices via two 44-terminal connectors
Input Power:	
Line Controller	+5V dc at 300 mA
Multiplexer	+5V dc at 600 mA
Operational Environment	0 to 45 degrees C, 0 to 90 percent relative humidity without condensation

Figure 13-40. Data Communication Controller Specification

The controller functions are:

- a. Receive. The controller receives data from the modem and transfers it to the computer.
- b. Transmit. The controller receives data from the computer and outputs it to the modem.

Varian 620/DC Data Communication System

The Varian 620/DC Data Communication System is a computer-controlled, time-multiplexed system that can serve either as a data concentrator, linking a number of low-speed lines to one or more high-speed lines, or as a communications preprocessor, organizing data for direct entry into a large computer.

The design of the Varian 620/DC system represents an optimum balance of hardware and software elements. It is adaptable, without hardware modifications, to virtually every type of communication device now available. The system can also be adapted to various input/output combinations of hardware and software principally through the software interface. As the communication network changes and expands, the Varian 620/DC system can be altered to meet the new requirements by simply revising the computer program.

Both versatility and efficiency are achieved by a functional division of the three major components that comprise the Varian 620/DC system, as illustrated in Figure 1.

The Line Control Modules (LCM) act as an interface between the IC logic levels within the system and the signal levels of the modems that connect to the communication lines. The LCM are the only elements that are specific to the type of terminal or modem connected to the system.

The Varian 620-68 Communications Controller (CC) contains a solid-state IC memory to store separate control information for up to 64 data communication lines. The high-speed IC memory is also used with an 85-bit working (W) register to assemble and disassemble data characters and thus act as a buffer between the serial-bit stream

transmitted by the communication lines and the parallel-bit transfers processed by the computer.

The Varian 620 computer core memory serves as a data reservoir between low-speed and high-speed data communication lines, accepting and transmitting complete character and message blocks at rates compatible with each line.

Since the communications controller and line control modules relieve the computer of many housekeeping functions, such as character assembly and disassembly, synchronization, and parity checking, the computer can be used to perform a variety of data processing functions, such as format changes and recordkeeping.

The unique control information stored in the controller's IC memory for each data communication line makes it possible to process a variety of data signals in a single communication network.

Table 1 summarizes typical loading of a 620/DC system by a variety of data communication devices operating at different data rates.

Versatile Interfacing

The Varian 620/DC can interface with many types of data communication devices. Varian's design philosophy is that selection of the data terminals, modems, and common-carrier lines are the prerogative of the user and the system should be easily adapted in the field.

Rather than dictating the parameters of the communication network, the Varian 620/DC system is sufficiently flexible to adapt itself to user requirements with respect to other network characteristics, such as: data rate, synchronous or asynchro-

data communications

nous transmission, and type of modem (full duplex, half duplex, or simplex).

Data Rate

The data rate is a function of both the data source and the quality of the transmission line.

For example, the standard 33 ASR Teletype unit is limited to approximately 110 bits per second by the mechanical inertia of the keyboard elements. Dial-up telephone lines are limited by the worst-quality line segment that might be encountered between source and destinations; they are rarely used, therefore, at high data rates. By contrast, a private data communication line, with special conditioning at source and destination, can accommodate transmissions at rates up to thousands of bits per second.

The signal transmissions can be synchronous or asynchronous, full-duplex, half duplex, or simplex, with discrete bit rates from 45 to 1200 baud for asynchronous transmission and 45 to 4800 baud for synchronous transmission. Each character in the data stream can consist of five, six, seven, or eight bits, with an odd- or even-parity test generated by the controller circuitry. The data terminals or modems can be integrated-circuit, discrete-circuit, or relay-type devices.

Asynchronous Transmission

Up to four asynchronous data rates are established in the Varian 620/DC system using hardwire jumpers. The rate for an individual channel is determined by the control information for that channel. A switch from one of the four rates to another can be accomplished at any time by software, and, if there is a major change in the processing requirements, the four rates established by the hardwired connections

can be changed in less than 5 minutes. For a 64 line system, the maximum asynchronous data rate that can be established for the system is 1200 bits per second, however for systems with fewer lines, the rate can be considerably higher.

Synchronous Transmission

Synchronous signals can range up to 4800 bits per second. Characters are transmitted in a continuous stream, without an interval between characters or any start and stop bits. More information can be carried compared to asynchronous transmission at the same bit rate, but the interfacing equipment is generally more complex.

Each message block starts with a series of unique sync characters. When the receiving equipment acknowledges that it has detected the sync code, a continuous stream of data characters is transmitted. The receiving equipment must divide the stream into eight-bit segments to derive meaningful information.

To receive a synchronous signal, the Varian 620/DC system first loads an appropriate sync character in the IC memory. When the sync character is detected, the system is in sync and proceeds to accept eight-bit segments of incoming data. In the transmission mode, the sync word is repeated until a sync acknowledgement is received from the receiving device. A continuous stream of eight-bit characters is then transmitted.

Type of Modem

Each type of modem or terminal device generates a signal that is characteristic of its logical and electrical design. It is the function of the Varian 620/DC line control module to convert these individual signal levels into standard IC logic levels for processing by the Varian computer and its associated equipment.

Modems	Speed (BPS)	Half Duplex	Full Duplex	Sync/Async
103A/B	110	.06%	.12%	A
103F	300	.18	.36	A
201A	2000	1.25	2.50	S
201B	2400	1.80	3.60	S
202C	1200	.72	1.44	A
X202E	600	.36	.72	A

Figure 13-41. Typical Varian 620/DC System Loading for Common Bell System Modems

Three basic types of LCM are available. With relatively minor variations, these three types can process information to and from most data communication devices now in use.

- Devices designed with RS-232-compatible components are interfaced using the Varian 620-68-1 and Varian 620-68-2 line control modules. These LCM provide interface to four data channels.
- Modems and terminals assembled from discrete or hybrid components require a different type of signal translation, and this is provided by the Varian 620-68-3 line control module. Model 620-68-3A provides eight data channels and 620-68-3B contains circuitry for four channels.
- Relay-type terminals, such as the widely used teletype units, can be interfaced by the Varian 620-68-4 LCM which provides eight channels.

Line Configuration	
Capacity	Four channels (minimum) to 64 channels (maximum) for each 620-68 communications controller
Expansion	Plug-in expandable in four-channel increments to the maximum line capacity. (Relay line control modules are added in eight-channel increments).

Figure 13-42. Varian 620/DC System Specifications (1 of 2)

Line Dynamics	
Transmission Type	Half duplex, full-duplex or simplex selected for any line channel under software control.
Transmission Mode	Synchronous speeds from 45 to 4800 baud. Only eight-bit (or multiples of eight) character code format is acceptable. Asynchronous speeds from 45 to 1200 baud. Four user-selectable speeds for any channel under program control (values determined by connector wiring). One start bit and either one or two stop bits. Variable size character codes using five, six, seven, or eight bits per character.
Line Program Features	
Parity	Checked on incoming and generated for outgoing data lines under software control. Odd or even parity is program selectable.
Priority	Under software control, any line (or lines) can be designated as high priority.
Line Interface	
Design Structure	Line control module is plug-in compatible with Western Electric Modems 103, 201, 202, or commercial equivalents; other modules are compatible with asynchronous two-wire systems, asynchronous relay systems, and synchronous, ground-isolated systems.
Interconnection	Modem cables up to 50 feet.
General Characteristics	
Primary Power	115 VAC \pm 10 percent, 60 \pm 2Hz, single phase, up to 25 amperes.
Installation	Mounts in a standard 19-inch RETMA cabinet. No special air conditioning, subflooring, special wiring, or site preparation is required.
Operating Environment	
Temperature	0 to 50 degrees C.
Relative Humidity	0 to 90 percent (without condensation).

Figure 13-42. Varian 620/DC System Specifications (2 of 2)

Mnemonic	Octal	Functional Description
EXC 170	100170	Interface Request (CPU Priority)
EXC 270	100270	Line Reset
EXC 370	100370	Read W Register
EXC 470	100470	System Reset (completely clears CC)
EXC 570	100570	Clear Interface
EXC 670	100670	Enable CC Interrupts
EXC 770	100770	Disable CC Interrupts
EXC 071	100071	Inhibit Output Interrupts until Input Occurs (Echo)
EXC 171	100171	Inhibit Output Interrupts
EXC 271	100271	Output Line Break
EXC 371	100371	Output all Marks Character (pad character)
EXC 471	100471	Call Character Disassembly Buffer (output character buffer)
EXC 571	100571	Call Sequence Controller
EXC 671	100671	Call Character Assembly Buffer (input character buffer)
EXC 771	100771	Call Line Identification Field
SEN 070	101070	Sense Interface Available
SEN 170	101170	Sense Data Ready
OAR 70	103170	Normal Output from A Register to CC
OBR 70	103270	Normal Output from B Register to CC
OME 70	103070	Normal Output from Memory to CC
OAR 71	103171	Mirror Image Output from A Register to CC
OBR 71	103271	Mirror Image Output from B Register to CC
OME 71	103071	Mirror Image Output from Memory to CC
INA 70	102170	Normal Input from the CC to the A Register
INB 70	102270	Normal Input from the CC to the B Register
IME 70	102070	Normal Input from the CC to the Memory
INA 71	102171	Mirror Image Input from the CC to the A Register
INB 71	102271	Mirror Image Input from the CC to Memory

Figure 13-43. Varian 620/DC Instruction List (1 of 2)

Mnemonic	Octal	Functional Description
CIA 70	102570	Clear & Input Normally to the A Register
CIB 70	102670	Clear & Input Normally to the B Register
CIA 71	102571	Clear & Input Mirror Image to the A Register
CIB 71	102671	Clear & Input Mirror Image to the B Register

Figure 13-42. Varian 620/DC Instruction List (2 of 2)

SECTION 14 – SYSTEM OPERATION

The "operator's console" of the Varian 620/L consists of the front panel of the mainframe enclosure and the teletype that is included in most system configurations. These two elements provide all the controls and displays and printed outputs needed to program, operate, and maintain the computer.

Normal Operation

Very little preparation of the Varian 620/L is required before running an object program. Assuming that the system, including peripherals, is properly installed and connected to a source of ac power, perform the following steps:

1. Turn the power ON with the keyswitch provided on the front panel (Figure 14-1).
2. Load the Bootstrap Loader routine (Figure 14-2), using the switches and controls on the front panel.
3. From the teletype punched-tape reader or the high-speed paper tape reader (depending on the Bootstrap Loader routine used), enter the Binary Load/Dump program (Section 22).
4. Check that the P register is set to the load starting address 0X7600, then load the binary object program, using the same I/O device as in step 3 (see Section 22 for load-and-halt and load-and-execute options).
5. Press the RUN switch on the control panel.

Front Panel Controls

The front-panel controls for the Varian 620/L are illustrated in Figure 14-1 and summarized in the following paragraphs.

Power On/Off

A three-position key switch is used to turn the computer power supplies on and off and to disable the front-panel controls with the computer in any operating mode. The key may be removed in any position.

Register Select Switches

Five alternate-action switches are used to select one of five registers (X, B, A, U or P) for display. Only one register may be selected at a time. Selection of two or more registers at the same time disables the selection logic and the display becomes blank.

Data Entry Switches

Data entry into the selected operational register is accomplished in the step mode (computer halted) by 16 momentary-contact switches. During the run mode, these switches are inhibited to prevent accidental alteration of the register contents.

Register Display

The contents of the selected operational register is displayed by an in-line array of 16 lights. Register bits are numbered from right to left with the sign bit appearing on the far left side of the display. Lights are grouped in an octal arrangement.

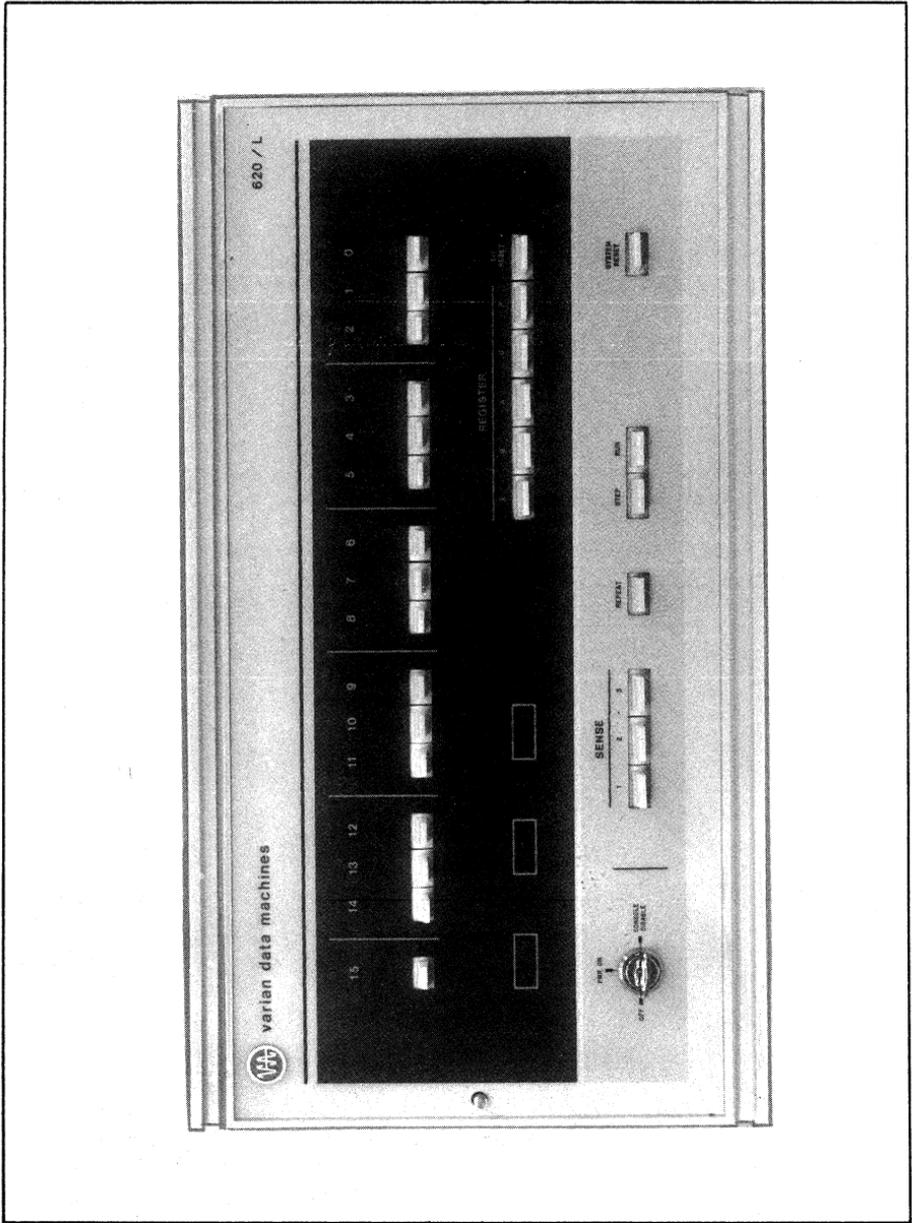


Figure 14-1. Varian 620/L Front Panel Controls

RESET Switch

The RESET switch causes the selected register to be cleared. This switch is disabled when the computer is in the run mode.

Status Display

Three indicators are provided to indicate the status of the machine. OVFL indicator lights when the overflow flip-flop is set. STEP indicator lights when the computer is in the step mode. RUN indicator lights when the computer is in the run mode.

STEP Switch

The STEP switch is a momentary-contact switch that causes the instruction in the instruction register to be executed if the computer is in the step mode. If the computer is in the run mode, pressing the STEP switch causes the computer to halt at the completion of the instruction being executed.

RUN Switch

The RUN switch causes the program to run at the location specified by the program counter after first executing the instruction in the instruction register.

SYSTEM RESET Switch

The SYSTEM RESET switch is a system-clear control that forces the computer to the halt mode and initializes control flip-flops in the processor. In addition, all peripheral devices are initialized by SYSTEM RESET. This control is normally used as an initialize control, but is useful to halt I/O operations.

REPEAT Switch

The REPEAT switch is a toggle switch that permits manual repeat of an instruction in instruction register. Pressing STEP switch executes instruction and advances program counter; however, contents of the instruction register are left unchanged. The REPEAT switch is activated only when the STEP light is on (operation halted).

SENSE Switches 1, 2, 3

Toggle switches that permit manual program control whenever sense-switch-jump, jump-and-mark, or execute instructions (JSS1, JSS2, JSS3, JS1M, JS2M, JS3M, XS1, XS2, XS3) are performed. The indicated jump and execute operations are performed only if the corresponding sense switch is on. The sense switches allow the operator to dynamically alter a program sequence in either the run or step mode.

Manual Operation

Under normal conditions, the Varian 620/L is manually operated only for the following purposes:

1. To load the Bootstrap Loader.
2. To checkout and debug a program.
3. To troubleshoot the system operation.

Loading the Bootstrap Loader

Two Bootstrap Load routines are available, one for subsequent loading of programs via the teletype, the other for loading programs via the high-speed reader. Both are given in Figure 14-2.

The appropriate bootstrap routine is entered into memory by following the procedure outlined below, using the front-panel controls:

Location	High-Speed Reader*	Teletype*	Symbolic Code
7756	102637	102601	READ, CIB, RDR
7757	004011	004011	, ASLB, NBIT-7
7760	004041	004041	, LRLB, 1
7761	004446	004446	, LLRL, 6
7762	001020	001020	, JBZ, SEL
7763	0X7772	0X7772	
7764	055000	055000	, STA, 0, 1
7765	001010	001010	, JAZ, LHLT + 1
7766	07000	07000	
7767	005144	005144	, IXR,
7770	005101	005101	ENTR, INCR, 1
7771	100537	102601	SEL, SEL, RDON
7772	101537	101201	, SEN, IBFR, READ
7773	007756	007756	
7774	001000	001000	, JMP, *-2
7775	007772	007772	

*I/O Source for Subsequent Program Inputs

Figure 14-2. Varian 620/L Bootstrap Load Routines

- a. Enable repeat.
 - b. Enter STA with the address mode relative to P, into the U register (054000).
 - c. Set P register to X7756.
 - d. Enter a bootstrap instruction from the proper column of Figure 14-2 into the A, B or X register.
 - e. Press STEP.
 - f. Reset the A, B or X register.
 - g. Repeat steps d, e and f for each bootstrap instruction.
4. Set A register = B register = zero, instruction counter = 7770, X = 7600, press SYSTEM RESET.

Manual Program and Data Entry

To load words into memory (either instructions or data), set the desired word in the A, B or X register. Set the appropriate store-type instruction (STA, STB, STX) with the desired operand address in the instruction (U) register; then press the STEP switch to execute the store operation.

To display the contents of any memory cell in the A, B or X register; set the appropriate load-type instruction (LDA, LDB, LDX) with the proper memory address in the instruction register; then press the STEP switch to load the selected word into the register.

Manual Program Execution

To manually execute a program stored in memory, set the starting address of the program in the program counter. When the

STEP switch is pressed, the instruction contained in the instruction register is executed, and the instruction of the selected address is transferred to the instruction register.

Repeated operation of the STEP switch will then step through the program one instruction at a time. All operations such as multi-level indirect addressing will be performed for each instruction as the STEP switch is operated. Note that I/O instructions involving an asynchronous device that transfers data in a block (such as a magnetic tape unit or teletype) generally cannot be operated in the step mode.

Instruction Repeat

In the step mode, the instruction register contains the next instruction to be executed when STEP is pressed. The program counter contains the location of the next instruction to be transferred to the instruction register after the current instruction is executed.

In some cases, it is desirable to manually execute an instruction several times. When REPEAT switch is on, instruction register loading (when STEP is pressed) is inhibited even though the instruction counter is advanced each time.

This mode is particularly useful for loading words into sequential memory locations, or for displaying the contents of sequential memory locations.

To load a group of sequential memory locations, set the appropriate store-type instruction (STA, STB, STX) in the instruction register with the relative address mode in the M field and the base address in the A field. Repeated operation of the STEP switch will store the contents of the A, B or X register into sequential memory locations. The word loaded on each step may be

manual operation

changed by entering the desired value into the operational register for each step.

To display the contents of a group of sequential memory locations, set the appropriate load-type instruction (LDA, LDB, LDX) in the instruction register, in the

relative address mode, with the base address in the P register and the A field of the U register = 0. The contents of the sequential locations will be displayed in the selected operational register with each operation of the STEP switch.

SECTION 15 – PHYSICAL CONFIGURATION

One of the outstanding features of the Varian 620/L is its compact design. New packaging concepts and a new, high-density memory module allow a fully expanded, 32K computer to be contained in just 21 inches of vertical rack space.

The Varian 620/L has also been designed for convenient maintenance and troubleshooting. All circuitry, other than the front-panel controls and the power supply, is mounted on individual circuit cards that plug into the mainframe chassis, or in the case of an expanded system, into one or more expansion chassis.

Circuit Cards

Varian 620/L computer systems are assembled from a total of 18 different types of circuit cards, plus a variety of I/O controller cards such as those described in Section 13.

The cards are of uniform dimension and, except for the control-panel card, are all inserted into the mainframe and expansion chassis through the rear. The cards plug into a backplane wiring board located directly behind the front panel.

A complete listing of the CPU, memory, mainframe-option and I/O expansion cards is shown in Figure 15-1.

Computer Chassis

Varian 620/L systems are packaged in two basic types of chassis: mainframe and expansion. The expansion type is further divided into three types: all-memory, memory-and-I/O, and all-I/O.

All systems also require a power supply packaged separately from mainframe chassis, but normally mounted within the same rack enclosure.

Space Requirements

The mainframe chassis, expansion chassis, and power supply are contained in individual cabinets suitable for either rack-mounted or table-top installation.

For rack-mounted installations the power supply is normally mounted in a hinged, swing-down chassis at the rear of the mainframe or expansion chassis. The power supply should be positioned to provide easy access to adjustment controls, test points, and circuit-breaker switch.

Both the mainframe and expansion chassis are 10.5 inches high, 13 inches deep, and 19 inches wide. The power supply is 6.0 inches high, 10.2 inches deep, and 17.75 inches wide.

Most systems also include a teletype for communication with the computer. The standard 33 ASR TTY unit with stand is approximately 33 inches high, 19 inches deep, and 22 inches wide.

All expansion memory is contained within a single expansion chassis, which must be located directly above or below the mainframe. An expansion chassis containing only peripheral controllers does not, however, have to be located directly adjacent to the mainframe. I/O expansion cables are available in various lengths up to 20 feet. The dc-power cable connecting the power supply

Card No.	Function
DM108	CPU Register
DM109	CPU Control #1
DM110	CPU Control #2
DM111	CPU Control #3
DM112	CPU Control #4
DM113	TTY Controller
DM121	DMA and Interrupt Trap
DM122	Multiply/Divide and Extended Address
DM123-3	Power Fail Restart/Real Time Clock
DM123-4	Power Fail Restart
DM176	Real Time Clock
DM178	Memory Protect
DM184	I/O Buffer Card
DM286	Memory Timing Control (MTC)
DM287	Memory Driver/Sink Switch (DSS)
DM288	Memory Sense Inhibit (SI) *
DM295	Control Panel
DM301	Memory Buffer

*Memory stack is mounted on SI Card.

Figure 15-1. Standard Varian 620/L Circuit Cards

to the mainframe chassis (or expansion chassis) is 6 feet in length.

Mainframe

The mainframe chassis (Figure 15-2) contains the basic computer hardware consisting of the CPU, memory, and the control panel. Mainframe memory size can be either 8,192 words (8K) or 4,096 words (4K). The mainframe can also accommodate all mainframe options and various peripheral controllers.

A fan is located underneath the left portion of the mainframe (when viewed from front) to provide cooling for the electronic components. All wiring for the circuit cards is contained on a wiring plane located behind the control panel.

The molded-plastic control panel contains all the necessary controls and indicators to operate the computer. The printed-circuit DM295 display card is mounted behind the panel. This card holds the lamps and switches, and associated circuits. The lamps can be replaced without soldering. As illustrated in Figure 15-3, the display card connects to the CPU via two flat cables that connect to J27 and J28 on the mainframe backplane.

The control panel is hinged to the front of the mainframe. The panel is unlatched by a pushbutton fastener on the left side. The control panel can then be opened to expose the backplane wiring.

A connector panel, described in detail in Section 16, is located at the rear of the chassis below the circuit card slots.

The mainframe chassis contains a total of 26 card slots to accommodate circuit cards and circuit-card connectors for expansion cables. The card-slot assignments are listed in Figure 15-5 and illustrated in Figure 15-4,

Except for the memory stack card, the cards are 7-3/4-by-12-inch cards each containing a 122-pin connector for mounting into the mainframe-backplane connectors.

The cards are installed through the rear of the mainframe with the component side on the left (except for the sense inhibit card for which the component side is on the right).

Card slot 18 is normally not wired; however it can be used for special options (such as memory protection) or peripheral controllers that require an additional slot.

The connectors at both ends of the memory expansion cable (Section 16) consist of printed-circuit cards. One circuit-card connector plugs into slot 1 of the mainframe, the other plugs into slot 2 of a memory expansion chassis.

The same type of cable is used for I/O expansion. The I/O expansion cable plugs into slot 26 of the mainframe and slot 13 of the right half (viewed from the front) of the expansion chassis.

Expansion Chassis

The expansion chassis (Figure 15-7) contains a front panel, a connector panel, and a total of 26 card slots for memory and/or peripheral controller cards.

Fans are installed in the bottom of the expansion chassis to provide cooling for the memory cards. One fan is installed for the first 8K memory, and an additional fan if the chassis is to contain 16K or 24K of memory. No fans are provided in an expansion chassis containing only peripheral controllers.

The card-slot numbers in the expansion chassis are divided into two sets of 13. When viewed from the rear, the numbers run 1

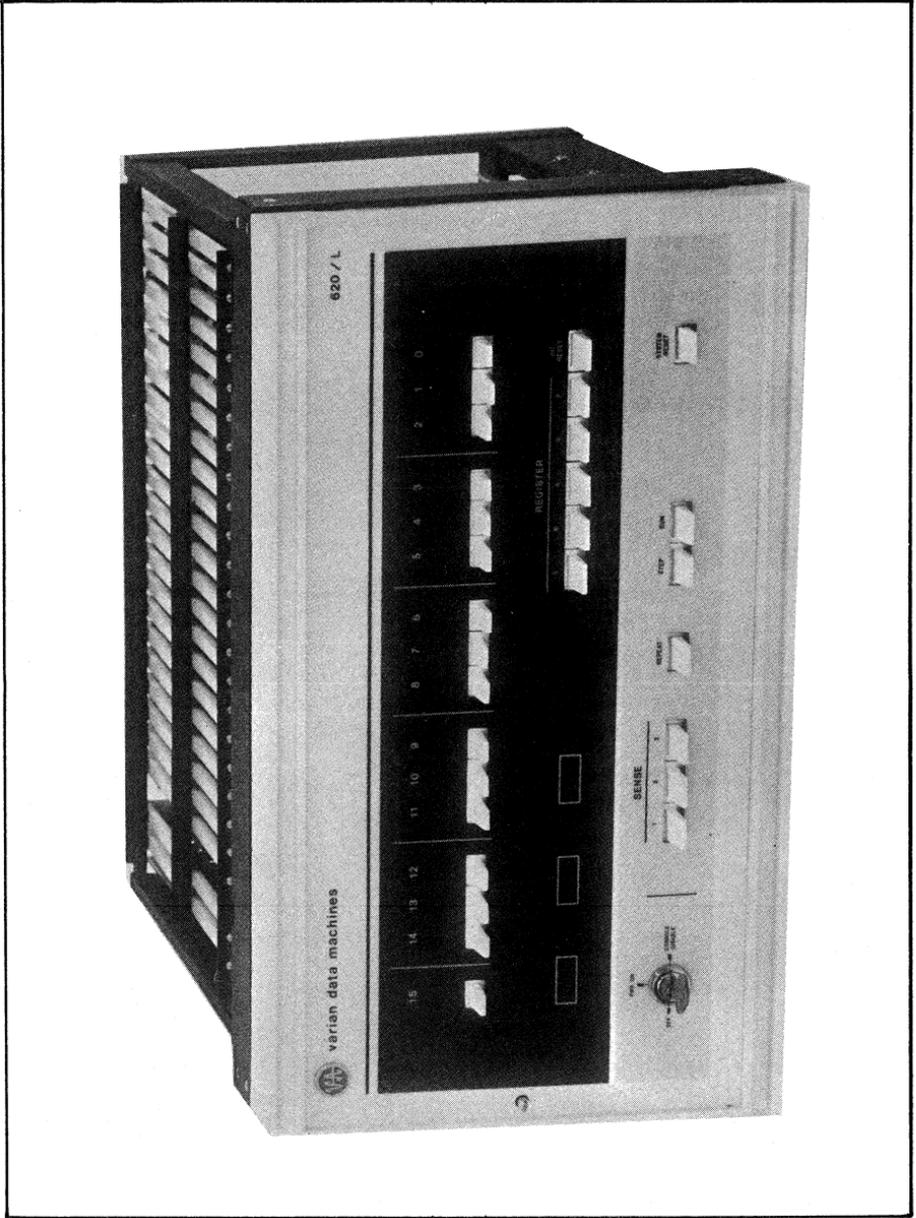


Figure 15-2. Mainframe Chassis

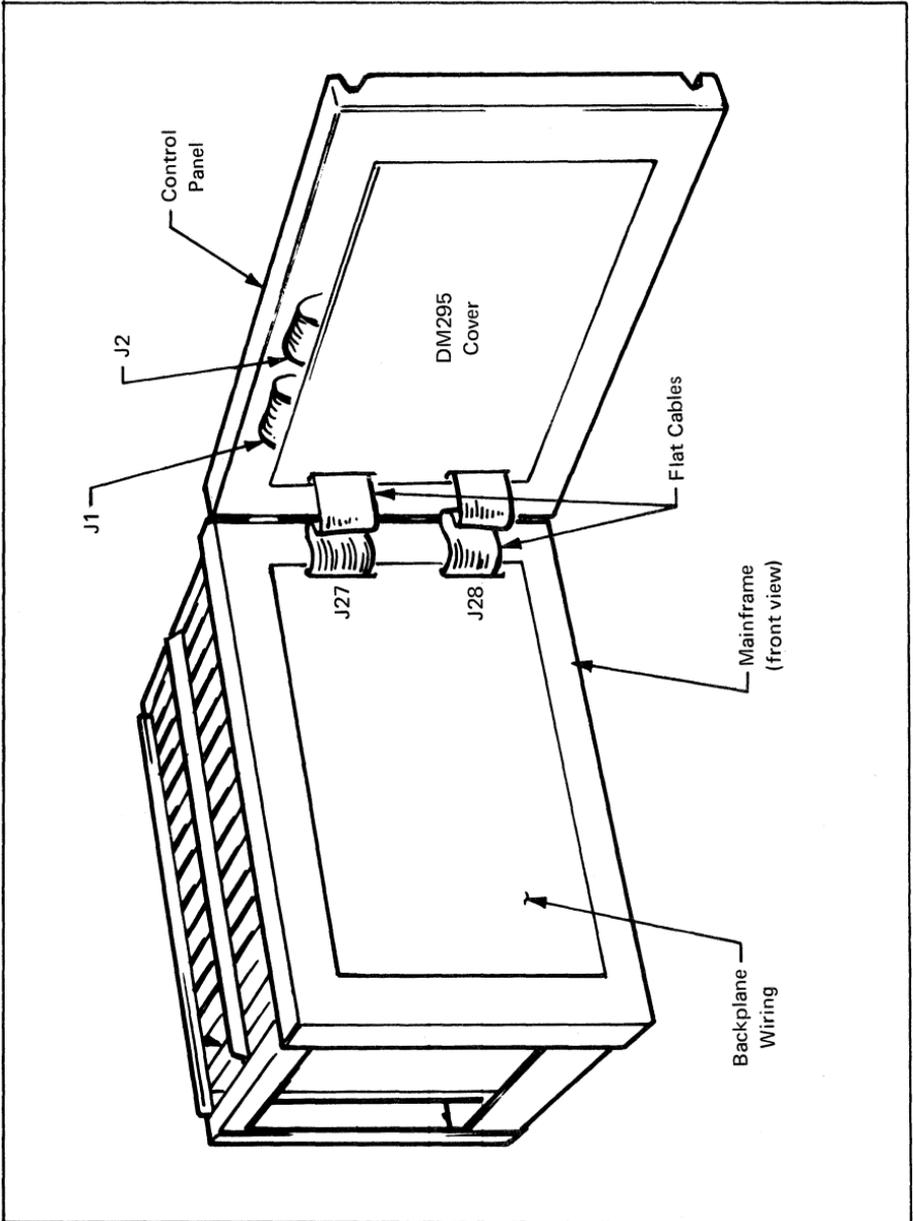


Figure 15-3. Control Panel in Open Position

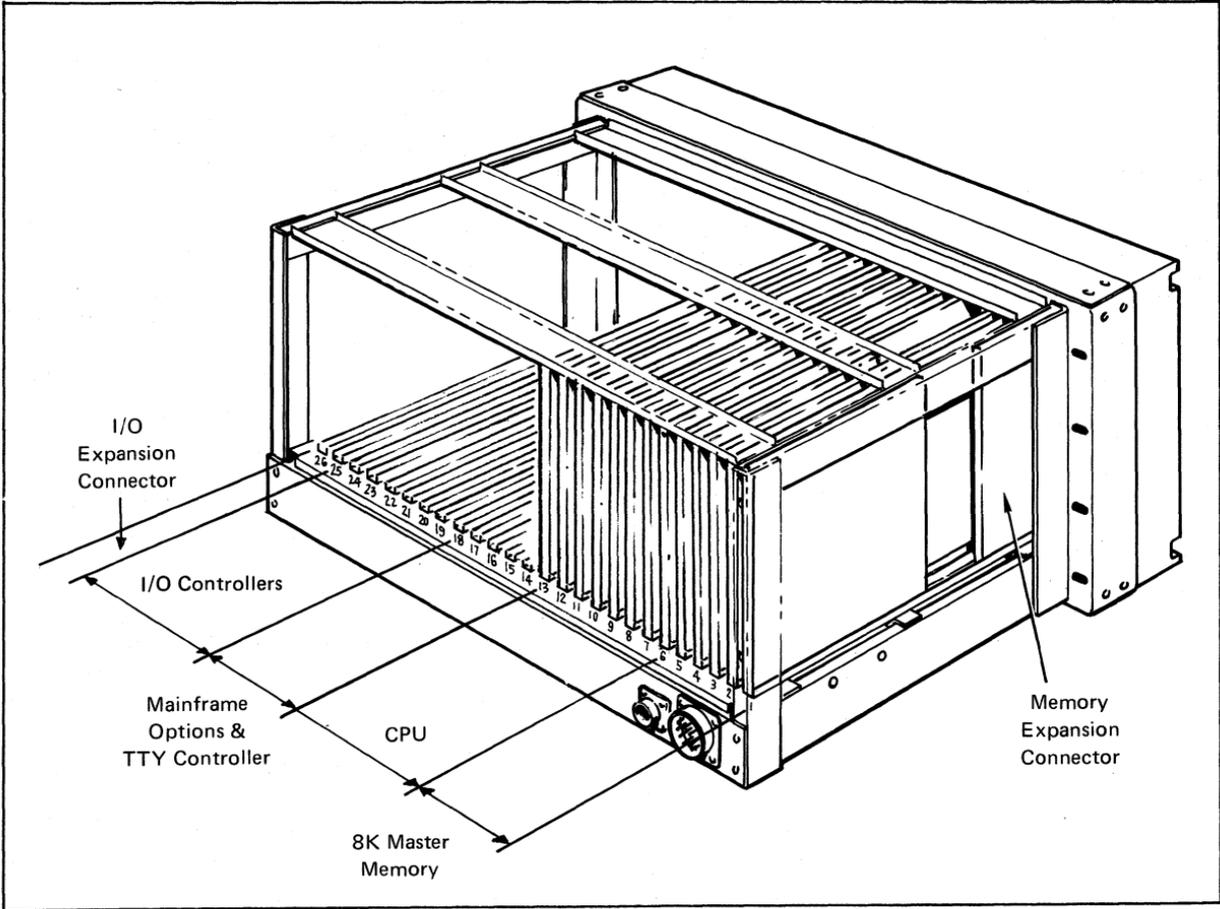


Figure 15-4. Mainframe Chassis Card Locations

Card Slot	Card No.	Card Name
1*		Memory expansion connector and memory stack.
2	DM288	Sense inhibit
3	DM287	Driver/sink switch
4*		Memory stack
5	DM288	Sense inhibit
6	DM286	Memory timing control
7	DM108	Register
8	DM108	Register
9	DM108	Register
10	DM109	Processor control 1
11	DM110	Processor control 2
12	DM111	Processor control 3
13	DM112	Processor control 4
14	DM122**	Multiply/divide and extended addressing
15	DM121	Direct memory access and interrupt
16	DM175 or DM123**	Automatic memory enable/disable, or optimal power failure restart and real-time clock.
17	DM113**	Teletype controller
18		Not wired
19-25		Peripheral controllers

Figure 15-5. Mainframe Card Slot Assignments (1 of 2)

physical configuration

26	I/O expansion connector
<p>* The memory stack card occupies this card-slot space but does not plug into the slot connector; it plugs into a right-angle connector mounted on the sense inhibit card.</p>	
<p>**Options</p>	

Figure 15-5. Mainframe Card Slot Assignments (2 of 2)

	Card Slot	Card Name		
Left-Half Memory Expansion 01A1101	1	Blank		
	2	Memory expansion connector		
	3	Memory buffer card		
	* 4	Memory stack card	1st	1st 8K
	5	Sense inhibit card	4K	
	6	Driver/sink switch card		
	* 7	Memory stack card	2nd	2nd 8K
	8	Sense inhibit card	4K	
	* 9	Memory stack card	3rd	2nd 8K
	10	Sense inhibit card	4K	
	11	Driver/sink switch card		
	*12	Memory stack card	4th	
13	Sense inhibit card	4K		
1	Blank			
Right-Half Memory Expansion 01A1102	* 2	Memory stack card	5th	3rd 8K
	3	Sense inhibit	4K	
	4	Driver/sink switch card		
	* 5	Memory stack card	6th	
	6	Sense inhibit card	4K	
<p>* The memory stack card occupies this card-slot space but does not plug into the slot connector; it plugs into a right-angle connector mounted on the sense inhibit card.</p>				

Figure 15-6. Memory Expansion Chassis Card Slot Assignments

through 13 from right to left. The circuit cards are installed in the expansion chassis in the same manner as in the mainframe.

The front panel is blank and mounted on hinges. To unlatch the front panel, press the pushbutton fastener on the left side. The panel can then be opened to expose the chassis wiring.

A connector panel similar to that of the mainframe is located at the rear of the chassis, below the card slots.

Card-slot assignments for an all-memory expansion chassis are given in Figure 15-6 and illustrated in Figure 15-8.

A combination memory-and-I/O expansion chassis is illustrated in Figure 15-9; an all-I/O expansion chassis in Figure 15-10.

I/O controller cards occupy either one or three card-slot positions. The Model Number listing in Section 6 defines the requirement for each type of controller card.

Memory Expansion

Memory expansion is accomplished with 8K or 4K slave memory modules (Section 9), installed in a memory expansion chassis.

An 8K slave module is the same as the 8K master module in the mainframe except that it has no DM286 (Memory Timing Control) circuit card. A 4K slave module is the same as an 8K slave module except it has only one DM 288 (Memory Sense Inhibit) card and one stack card. A memory buffer card (DM301) is required for a memory size larger than 8K.

Computer systems with memory sizes of 12K, 16K, 20K, or 24K require an expansion chassis that contains a left-half

memory-expansion backplane. Computer systems with memory sizes of 28K and 32K require the expansion chassis to also contain right-half memory-expansion backplane.

Figure 15-11 lists the hardware required in the mainframe and expansion chassis for the various memory sizes.

I/O Expansion

An expansion chassis equipped with a right-half I/O backplane can be used to provide 12 peripheral controller card slots. If additional space is required, the chassis can also be equipped with a left-half I/O backplane to provide an additional ten controller card slots. The last card slot must contain an I/O termination shoe (Part No. 44P0530), which consists of 150 ohm resistors connected to +3 volts.

Power Supply

One power supply provides power for the CPU, 32K of memory, and all the internal options. A second power supply is normally required when peripheral controller cards are added.

The power supplies are contained in individual chassis. They connect to a standard 115-volt, 60-Hertz power source. Also available, for European installations, are power supplies for use with 230-volt, 50-Hertz sources. Power regulation is not required under normal commercial power conditions. With maximum loads, the power supply draws approximately 15 amperes of ac line current.

The power supply is normally installed behind or near the mainframe or expansion chassis. A fan at one end of the power supply provides cooling for the electronic components.

The top panel of the power supply (Figure

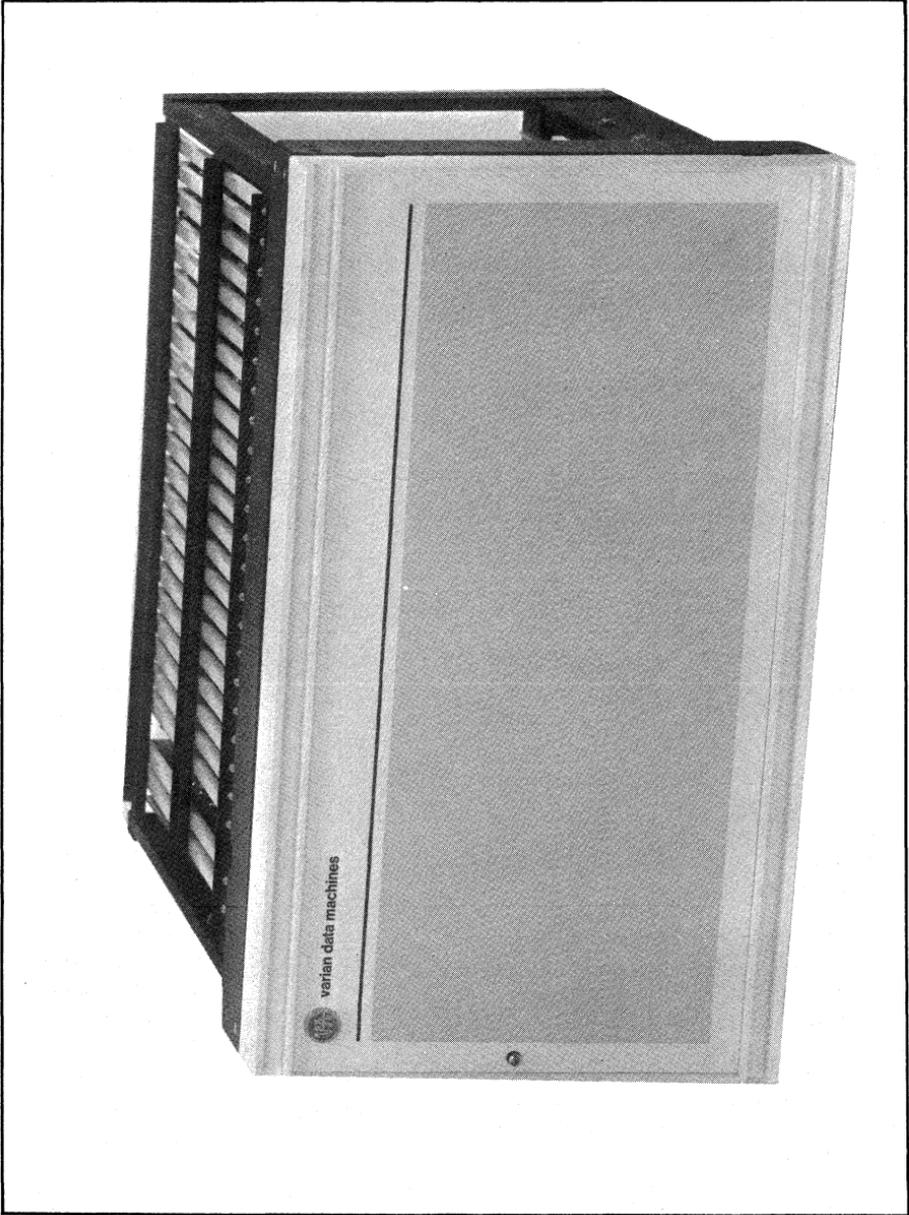


Figure 15-7. Expansion Chassis

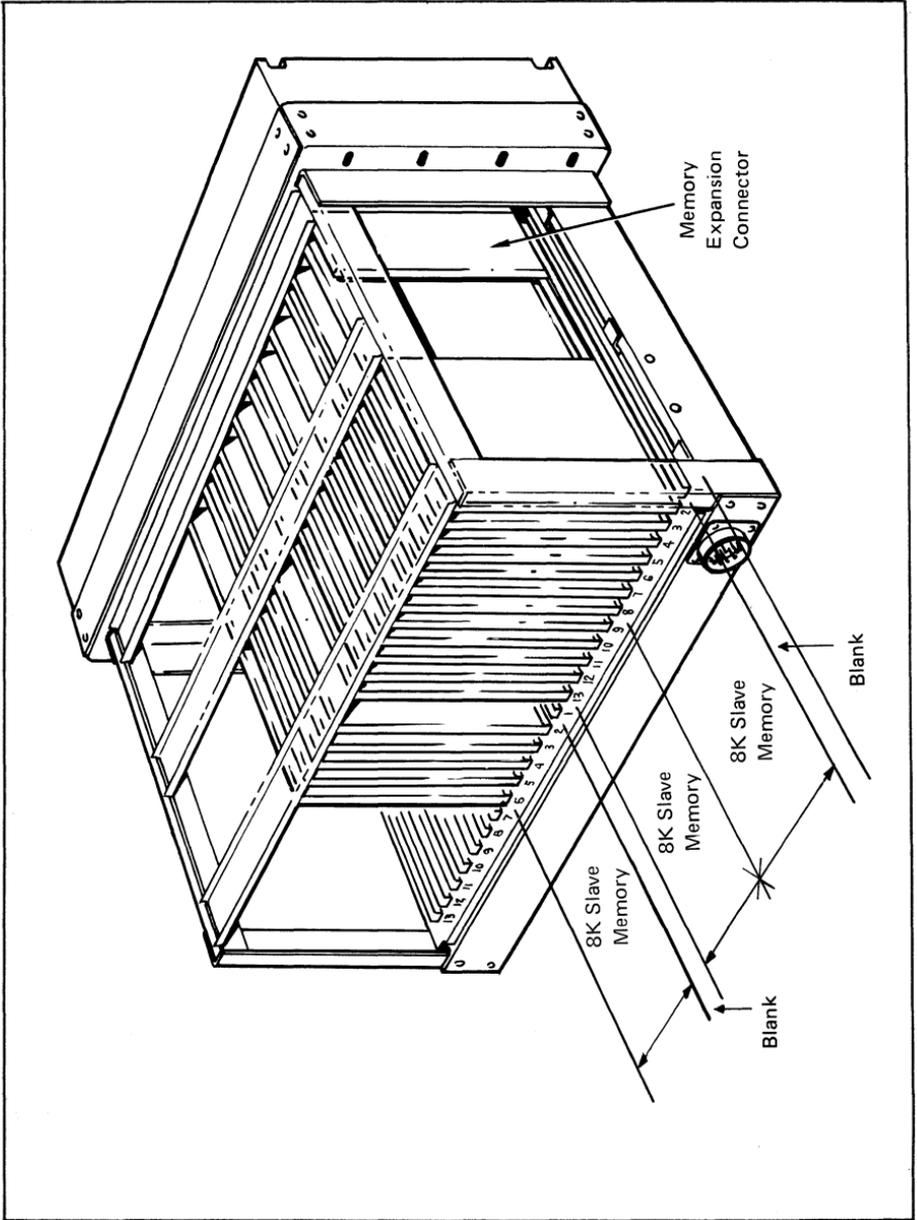


Figure 15-8. All-Memory Expansion Chassis Card Locations

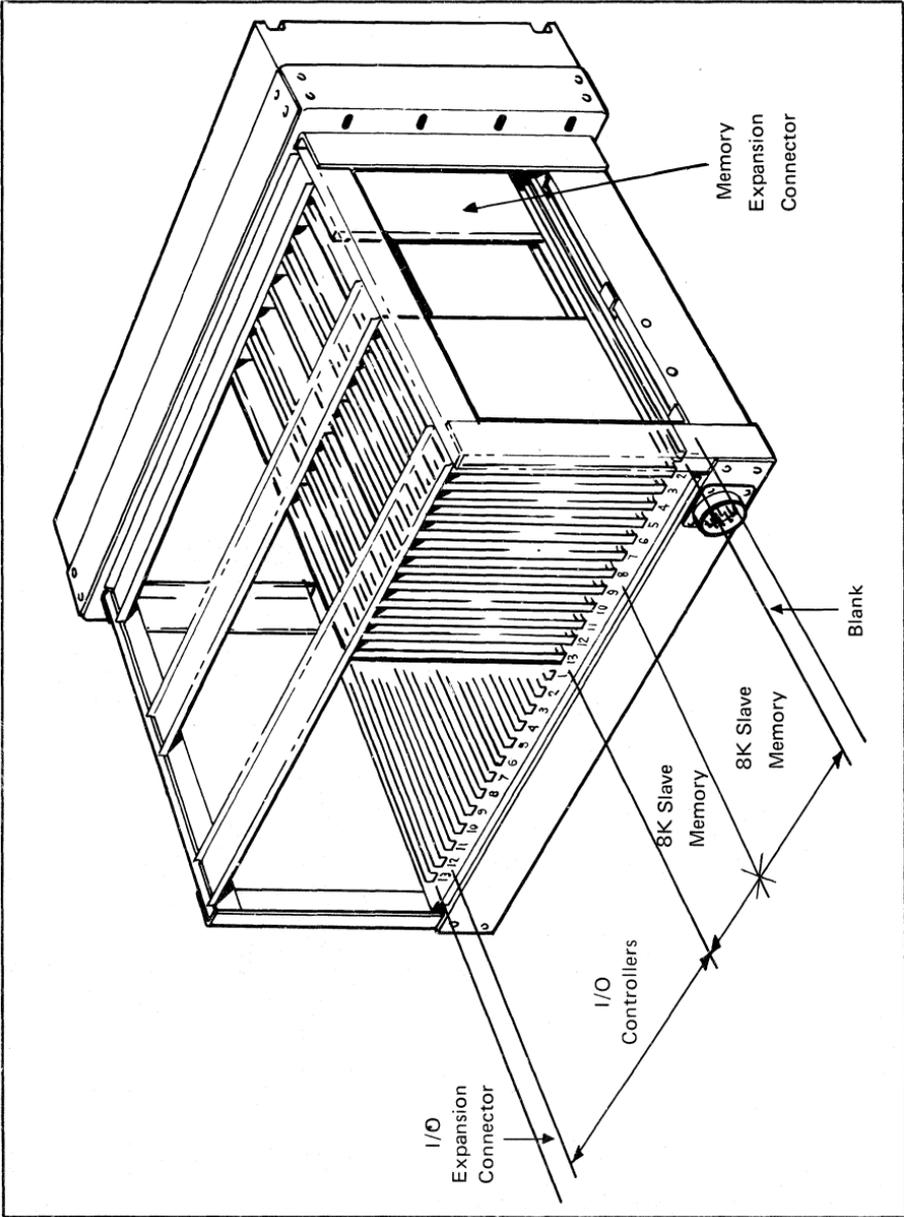


Figure 15-9. Memory-And-I/O Expansion Chassis Card Slot Assignments

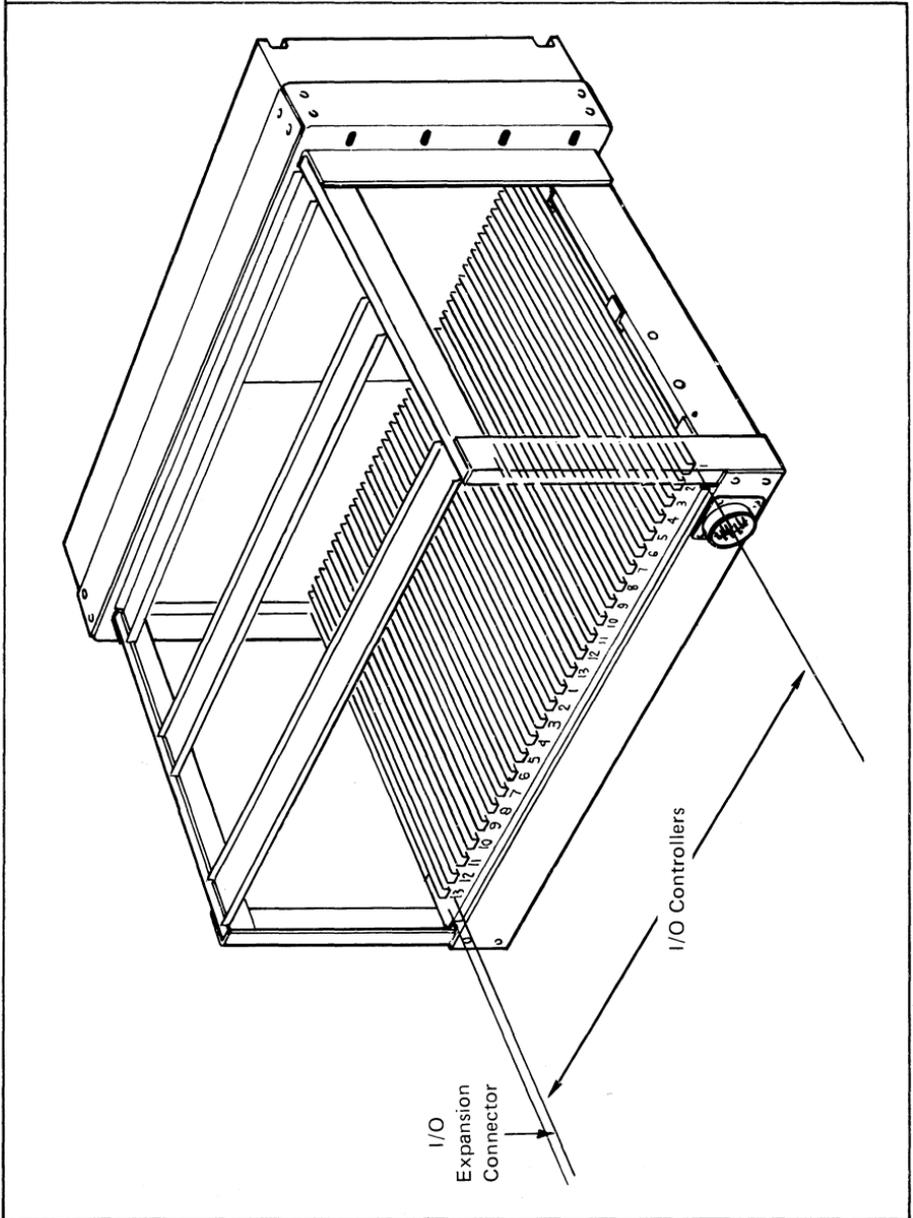


Figure 15-10. All-I/O Expansion Chassis Card Locations

physical configuration

	Mainframe				Expansion Chassis			
	4K	8K	12K	16K	20K	24K	28K	32K
*4K Data Module 01C1065	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Timing Card DM 286	1							
Driver/Sink Card DM 287	1		1		1		1	
Buffer Card DM 301			1					
L.H. Mem Exp 01A1101			1					
R.H. Mem Exp 01A1102							1	

* A 4K module consists of one sense inhibit card and one stack card.

Figure 15-11. Memory Expansion Hardware

15-12) contains test points and adjustment controls for the +5, -5, +12, -12 voltages.

The bottom panel of the power supply

contains a circuit-breaker switch, the ac power cord, and a terminal board that connects to the dc-power cable. Interconnections with the power supply are described in Section 16.

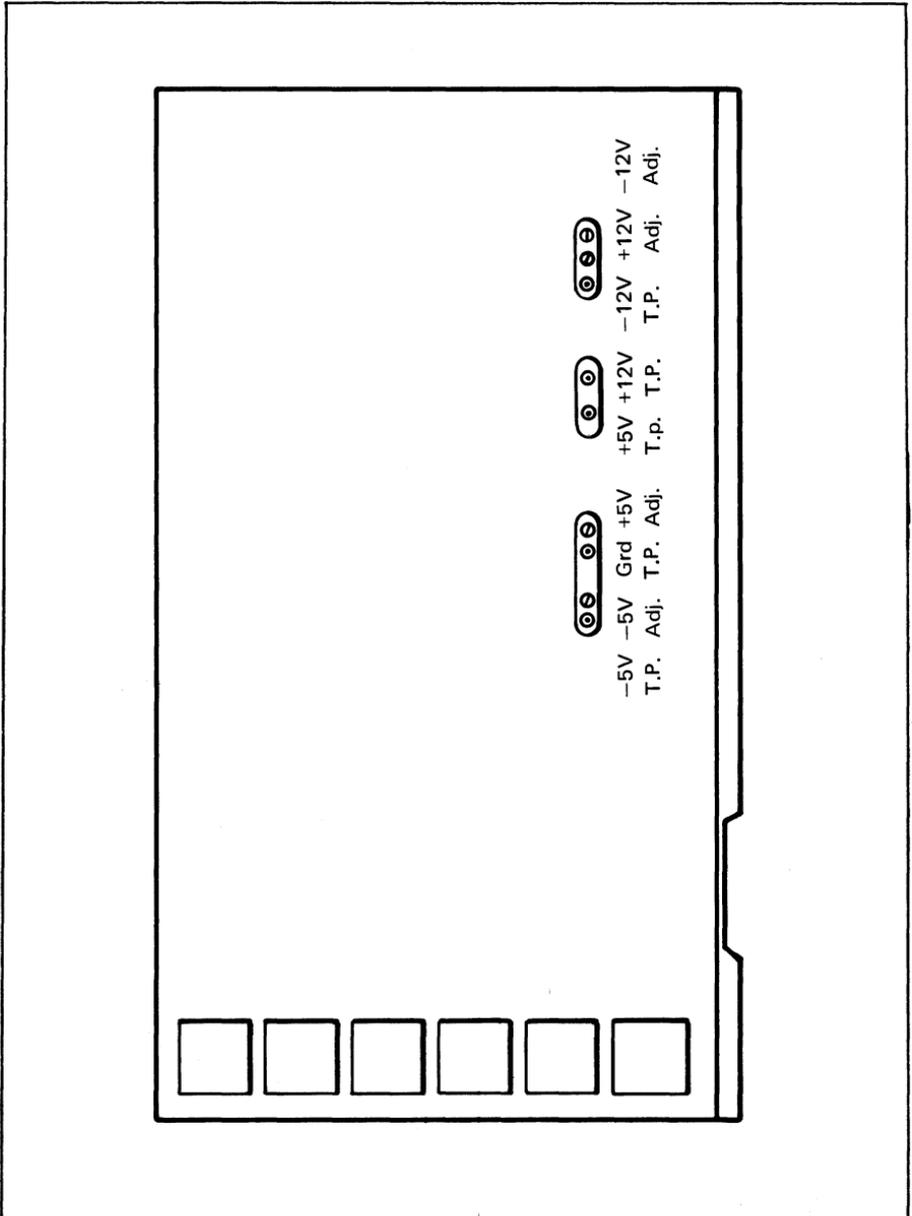


Figure 15-12. Power Supply Top Panel

SECTION 16 – SYSTEM INTERCONNECTIONS

Connector Panels

Three connector panels are used to distribute dc power and for special I/O applications.

Mainframe Connector Panel

The mainframe connector panel (Figure 16-1) is located at the rear of the mainframe chassis and contains the power connector J30 and the teletype connector J31.

An optional I/O feature consists of an internal I/O harness assembly (Part No. 53P0571) that is wired between slot 26 and an optional I/O connector, J32. This optional feature allows the user to connect his own equipment directly to the Varian 620/L I/O lines. Additional connectors can be added to the connector panel for special user requirements.

Expansion Connector Panel

The expansion connector panel (Figure 16-2) is located at the rear of the expansion chassis and contains the power connector J30 which routes power to the expansion memories and peripheral controllers.

An optional I/O feature consists of the internal I/O harness assembly described above and wired to the optional I/O connector J32. Additional connectors can also be added to the expansion connector panel for special user requirements.

Power Supply Connector Panel and Cable

The power-supply connector panel (Figure

16-3) is located on the lower side of the power supply and contains a 3-wire ac power cable, a circuit-breaker switch, and a terminal strip for interconnection with the dc-power cable.

The dc-power cable (Part No. 53P0569) is six feet long and connects to J30 on the mainframe or expansion connector panel. When one power supply provides power for both a mainframe and an expansion chassis, two power cables are connected to the terminal strip.

Terminal assignments for the power supply connector panel are given in Figure 16-4. Pin assignments for the J30 connector are given in Figure 16-5.

Illustrations of the dc-power cable interconnections are shown in Figures 16-6 and 16-8.

Memory Expansion Interconnection

As illustrated in Figure 16-6, a memory expansion chassis is connected to the mainframe chassis by a short, flat cable with 122-pin circuit-card connectors at both ends.

The cable (Part No. 53P0547) plugs into card slot 1 of the mainframe chassis and card slot 2 of the expansion chassis. Pin assignments for the memory-expansion cable are given in Figure 16-7.

Only one memory expansion chassis is required in each system, and it must be located directly above or below the mainframe.

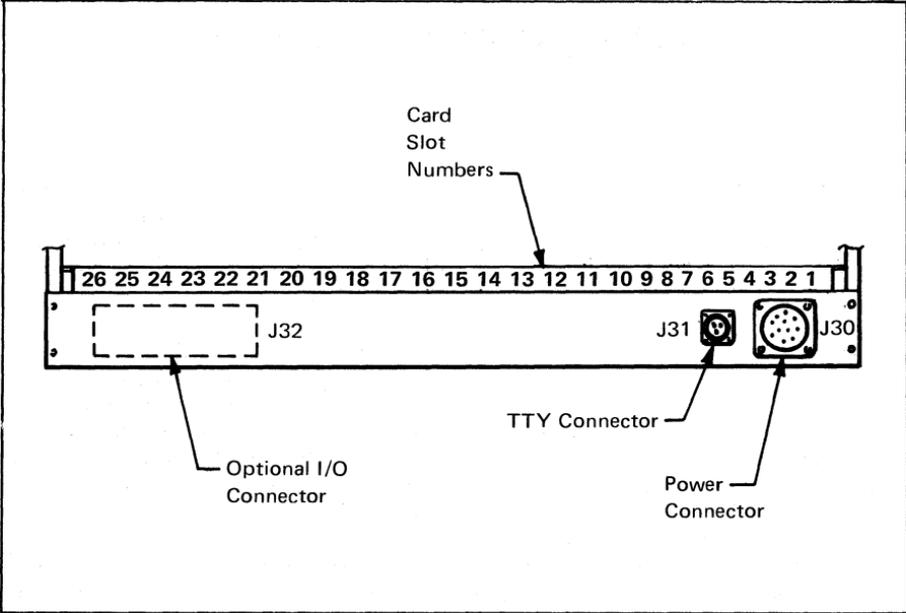


Figure 16-1. Mainframe Chassis Connector Panel

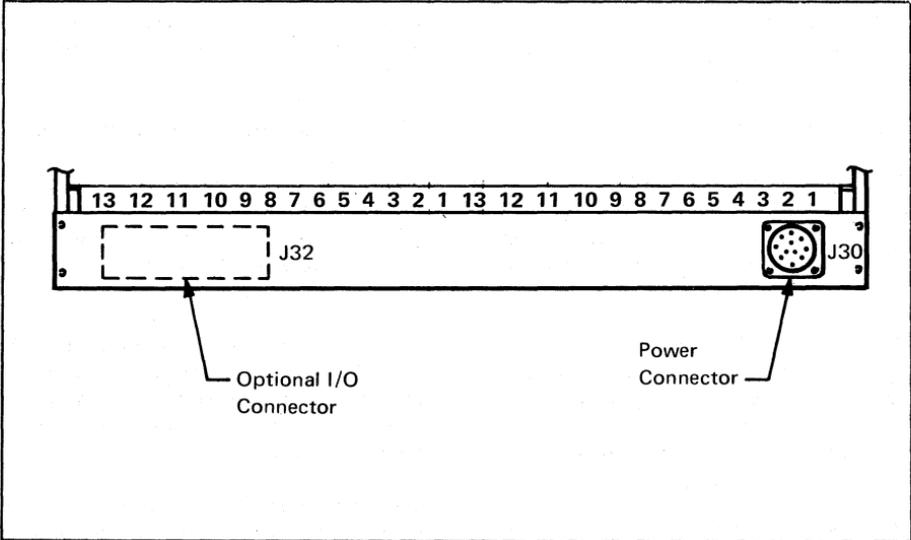


Figure 16-2. Expansion Chassis Connector Panel

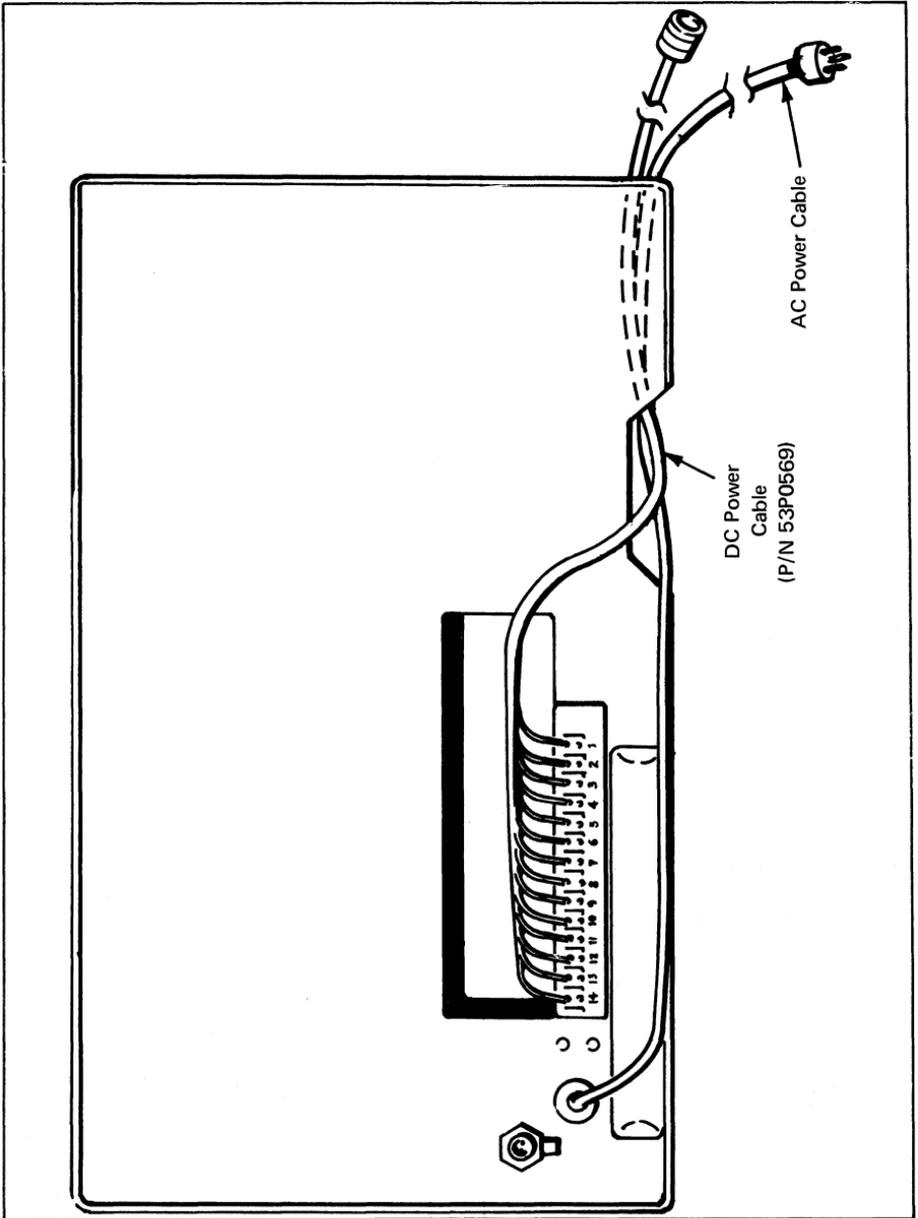


Figure 16-3. Power Supply Connector Panel

Terminal	Function
1	115V Fan
2	115V Fan
3	AC Return
4	AC Out
5	Relay Coil
6	Relay Ret
7	+12V
8	Common
9	Common
10	-12V
11	-
12	+5V
13	-5V
14	Data Guard

Figure 16-4. Power Supply Terminals

Pin	Signal
1	-
2	-
3	AC Out
4	Relay Return
5	115V Fan
6	115V Fan
7	Relay Coil
8	AC Return
9	-
10	Data Guard
11	-
12	+12V
13	-12V
14	+5V
15	-5V
16	Common
17	Common

Figure 16-5. DC Power Cable Pin Assignments

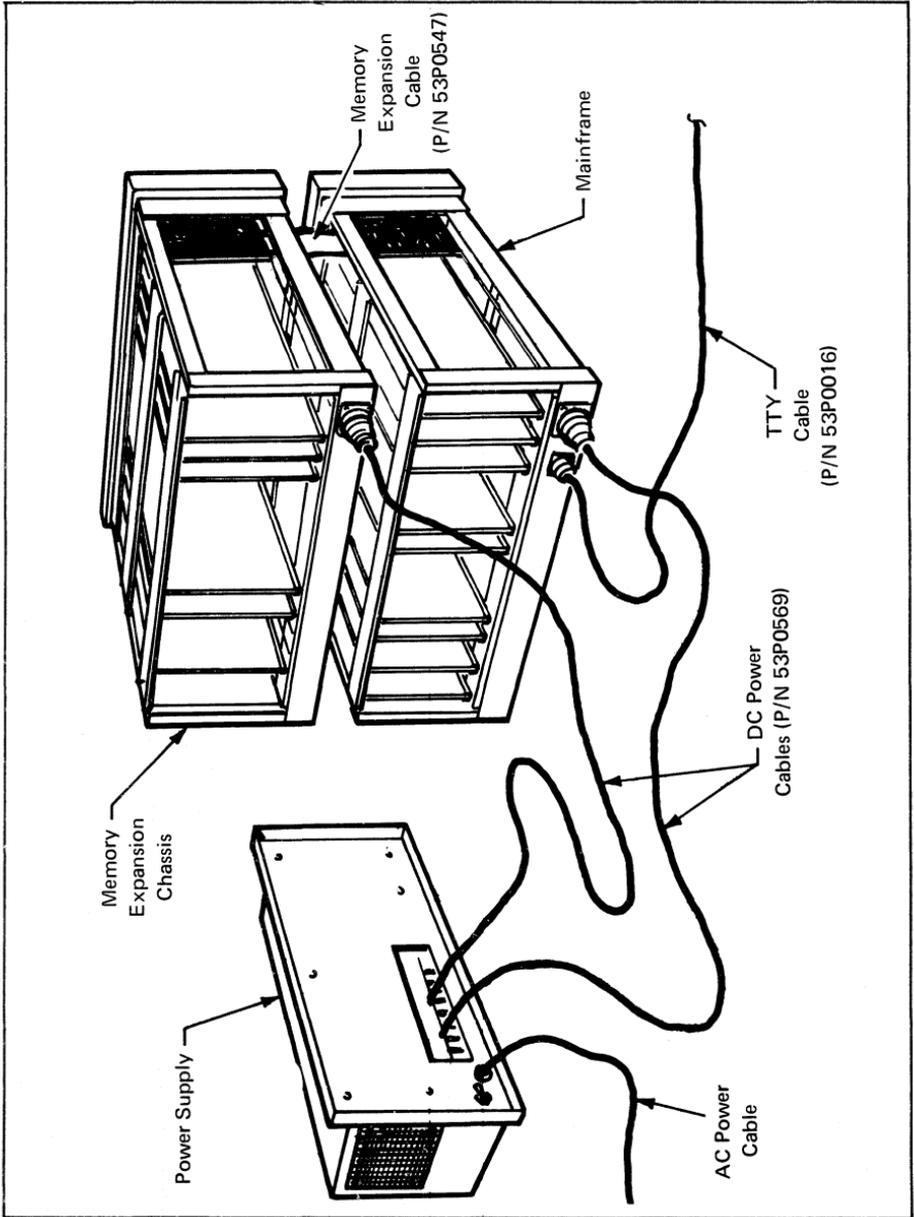


Figure 16-6. Memory Expansion Interconnections

system interconnections

Pin	Signal	Pin	Signal
1	GRD	22	L09X+
2	—	23	GRD
3	GRD	24	L10X+
4	L00X+	25	GRD
5	GRD	26	L11X+
6	L01X+	27	GRD
7	GRD	28	L12X+
8	L02X+	29	GRD
9	GRD	30	L13X+
10	L03X+	31	GRD
11	GRD	32	L14X+
12	L04X+	33	GRD
13	GRD	34	—
14	L05X+	35	GRD
15	GRD	36	W00X—
16	L06X+	37	GRD
17	GRD	38	W01X—
18	L07X+	39	GRD
19	GRD	40	W02X—
20	L08X+	41	GRD
21	GRD	42	W03X—

Figure 16-7. Memory Expansion Cable Pin Assignments (1 of 3)

Pin	Signal	Pin	Signal
43	GRD	64	SSL1-
44	W04X-	65	GRD
45	GRD	66	SSL2-
46	W05X-	67	GRD
47	GRD	68	SSL3-
48	W06X-	69	GRD
49	GRD	70	SSL4-
50	W07X-	71	GRD
51	GRD	72	W08X-
52	-	73	GRD
53	GRD	74	W09X-
54	-	75	GRD
55	GRD	76	W10X-
56	SASX-	77	GRD
57	GRD	78	W11X-
58	RXXX-	79	GRD
59	GRD	80	W12X-
60	WRTX+	81	GRD
61	GRD	82	W13X-
62	-	83	GRD
63	GRD	84	W14X-

Figure 16-7. Memory Expansion Cable Pin Assignments (2 of 3)

system interconnections

Pin	Signal	Pin	Signal
85	GRD	106	—
86	W15X—	107	GRD
87	GRD	108	—
88	MSCE+	109	GRD
89	GRD	110	INHE—1
90	MSPX+	111	GRD
91	GRD	112	INHE—0
92	WSTX—	113	GRD
93	GRD	114	—
94	RWTI—	115	GRD
95	GRD	116	—
96	FCYX+	117	GRD
97	GRD	118	—
98	TCRX—	119	GRD
99	GRD	120	—
100	RWT2—	121	GRD
101	GRD	122	GRD
102	—		
103	GRD		
104	RSTM—		
105	GRD		

Figure 16-7. Memory Expansion Cable Pin Assignments (3 of 3)

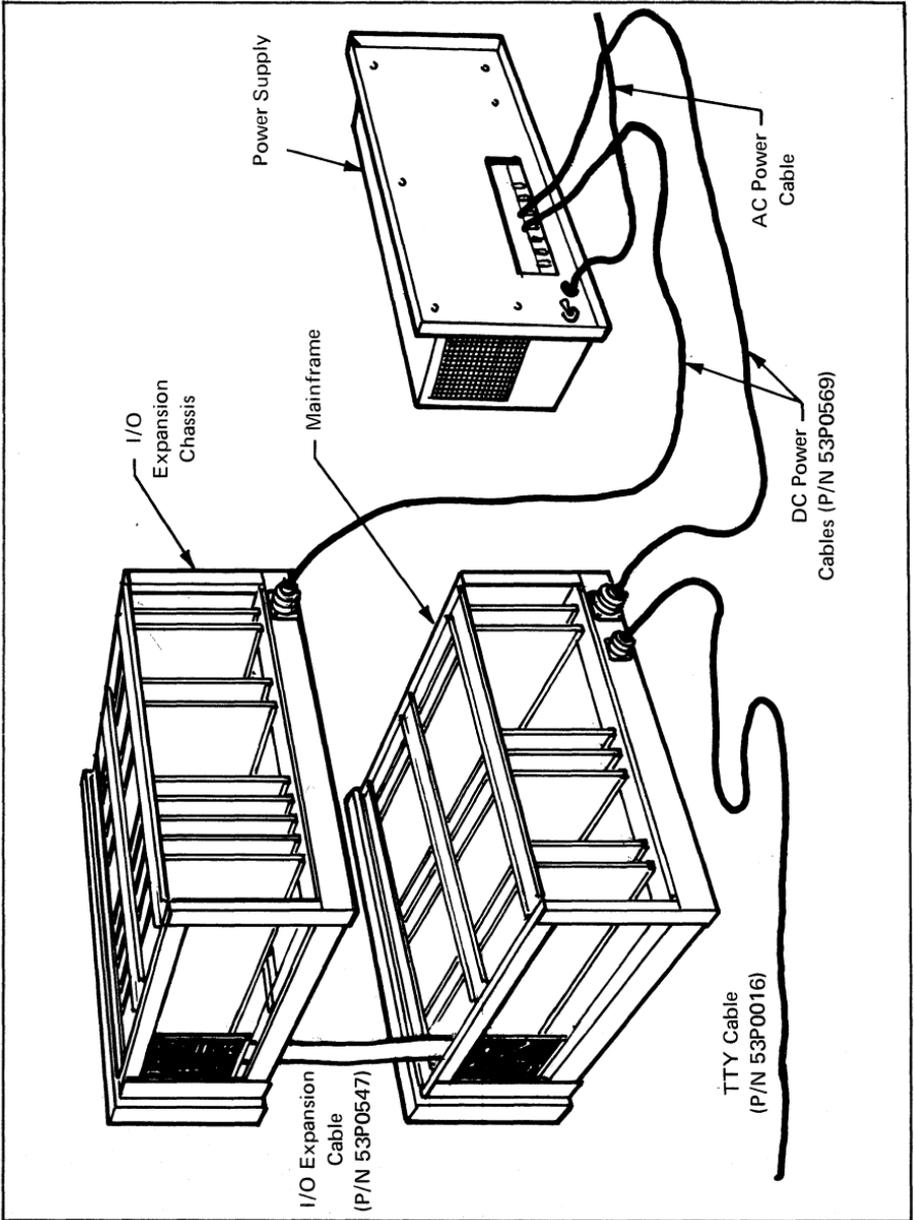


Figure 16-8. I/O Expansion Interconnections

Pin	Signal	Pin	Signal
1	GRD	21	EB15-I
2	EB00-I	22	RT05-
3	RT01-	23	-
4	EB01-I	24	RT06-
5	RT02-	25	-
6	EB02-I	26	RT07-
7	RT03-	27	FRYX-I
8	EB03-I	28	RT08-
9	RT04-	29	DRYX-I
10	EB04-I	30	RT09-
11	EB05-I	31	SERX-I
12	EB06-I	32	RT10-
13	EB07-I	33	TPIX-I
14	EB08-I	34	RT11-
15	EB09-I	35	TPOX-I
16	EB10-I	36	RT12-
17	EB11-I	37	-
18	EB12-I	38	RT13-
19	EB13-I	39	-
20	EB14-I	40	RT14-

Figure 16-9. I/O Expansion Cable Pin Assignments (1 of 2)

Pin	Signal	Pin	Signal
41	—	74	DAGS
42	—	75 — 99	—
43	SYRT—I	100	GRD
44	IUAX—I	101 — 115	—
45	IUCX—I	116	+3VDC
46	IURX—I	117 — 121	—
47	IUJX—I	122	GRD
48	GRD		
49	TRQX—B		
50	TROX—B		
51	RT15—		
52	BCDX—B		
53	RT16—		
54	CDCX—B		
55	RT17—		
56	DCEX—B		
57	RT18—		
58	TAKX—B		
59	RT19—		
60	DESX—B		
61 — 73	—		

Figure 16-9. I/O Expansion Cable Pin Assignments (2 of 2)

I/O Expansion Interconnection

As illustrated in Figure 16-8, an I/O expansion chassis is connected to the mainframe chassis by the same type of cable (Part No. 53P0547) used in memory expansion. However, the cable used for I/O expansion is available in various lengths up to 20 feet.

The I/O expansion cable plugs into card slot 26 of the mainframe and slot 13 (of a right-hand I/O backplane) of the expansion chassis. Pin assignments for the I/O expansion cable are given in Figure 16-9.

An I/O termination-shoe card (Part No. 44P0530) is installed in the last card slot of the I/O expansion chassis.

Teletype Interconnection

The teletype cable (Part No. 53P0016) is normally 20 feet long and connects from J31 on the rear of the mainframe chassis to the teletype unit.

For the Model ASR-33 TTY the cable connects to an S connector labeled 2 in the teletype unit. The S connector is located at the right rear, top row, second connector from the right. Pin assignments for the ASR-33 cable are given in Figure 16-10.

Figure 16-10. ASR-33 Teletype Cable Pin Assignments

J31 End	Teletype End (P2)	Controller Pin	Signal
1	9	113	Return
2	6	112	Receive
3	8	114	Send

For Models ASR-35 and KSR-35, the cable is wired directly to a power terminal block in the teletype unit. The terminal block is located at the right lower rear of the cabinet behind the teletype printing mechanism. Pin assignments for the ASR-35 and KSR-35 cables are given in Figure 16-11.

Figure 16-11. ASR-35 and KSR-35 Teletype Cable Pin Assignments

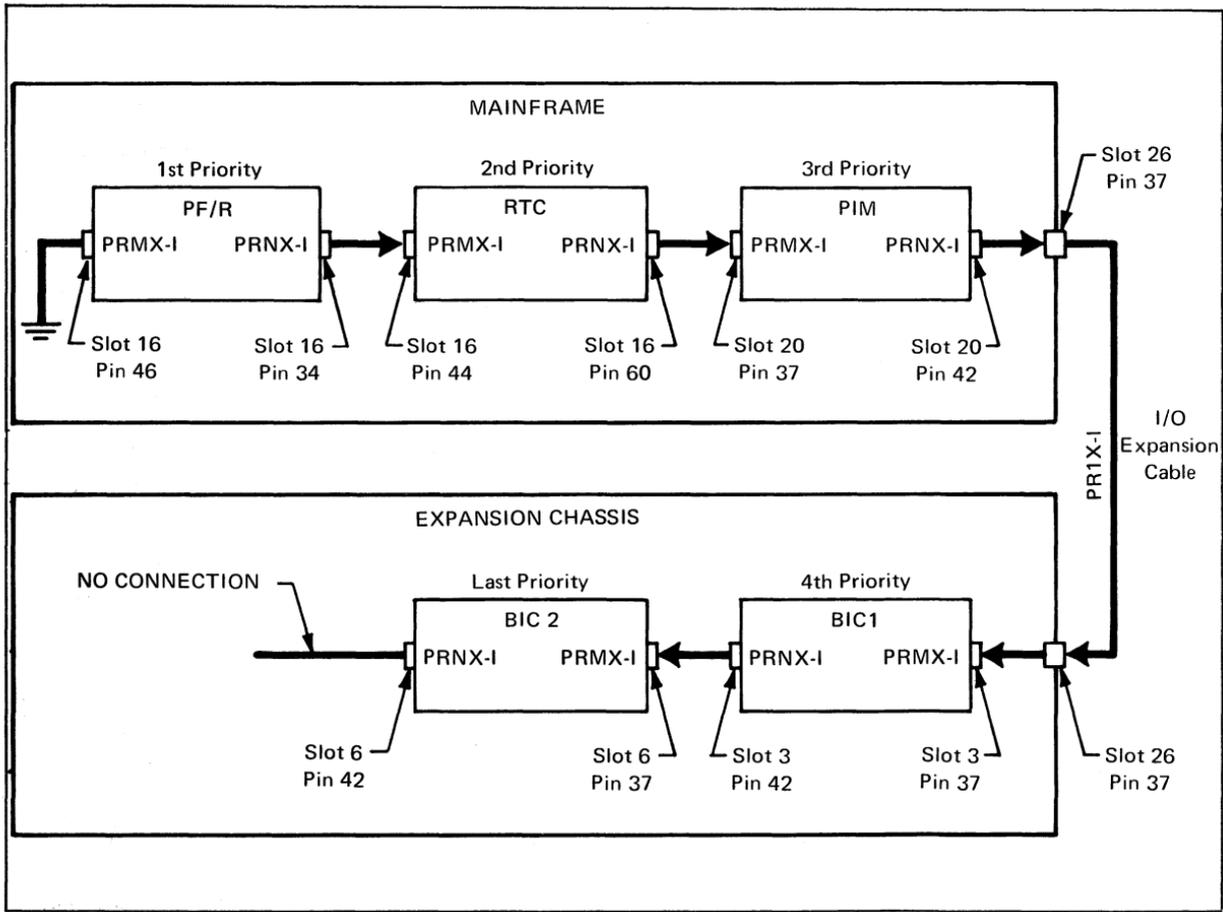
J31 End	Teletype TB End	Controller Pin	Signal
1	4	113	Return
2	5	112	Receive
3	7	114	Send

System Interrupt Interconnections

The priority of system interrupts is established by connecting various computer options in a priority chain. Options that can be included in the priority chain are: power failure/restart (PF/R), memory protection (MP), real-time clock (RTC), priority interrupt module (PIM), and buffer interlace controller (BIC). Standard peripheral controllers do not, in themselves, generate interrupt requests; this function is performed through interaction with the PIM (see Section 12).

The priority assignments are normally wired at the factory before the equipment is delivered. A description is presented in this section, however, for the user who wishes to augment or change his system. The interrupt priority assignment is unique for each computer system and specific information concerning each system is included as part of the installation instructions delivered with the equipment.

Figure 16-12. Typical Interrupt Priority Connections



system interconnections

system interconnections

Interconnection of options located in the same chassis is accomplished by connecting the priority-out signal (PRNX-I) of the first priority option to the priority-in signal (PRMX-1) of the next lower priority option. This process continues until all subsequent priorities within the chassis are assigned. The priority-in signal of the first-priority option is connected to ground.

To establish a priority chain for options in separate chassis, four priority lines are available in the I/O expansion cable and are wired into the computer as required. The designation and cable pin assignments of the priority lines are listed as follows:

Signal	I/O Cable Pin
PR1X-I	37
PR2X-I	39
PR3X-I	41
PR4X-I	42

Figure 16-12 illustrates typical interrupt priority connections for a computer system containing PF/R, RTC, and PIM in the mainframe and two BIC's in an expansion chassis. For additional details on these interconnections, see Sections 11 and 12.

PIM Interconnections

Interconnections between a Priority Interrupt Module and peripheral controllers is accomplished in two ways.

Controllers in the same chassis as the PIM are interconnected through the backplane wiring.

Controllers in another chassis are interconnected by an Interrupt Cable, Model 620-92-9, which terminates at connector J1 or J2 on the edge of the PIM card (see Section 12 for pin assignments).

SECTION 17 – MAINTENANCE

Integrated-circuit design reduces the occurrence of malfunctions in Varian 620/L systems. When problems do occur, however, diagnostic programs and troubleshooting procedures can pinpoint the fault and quickly return the computer to service.

The power failure/restart (PF/R) option provides an orderly shutdown in case of power failure or turn-off and restarts the program when power is restored.

To prevent accidental setting of control panel controls during computer operation, all switches can be disabled with the power switch.

Routine Maintenance

In general, the Varian 620/L system requires no routine maintenance other than a periodic check of timing waveforms in the memory. If necessary, adjustments should be performed in accordance with procedures outlined in the instruction manual for the memory.

Cooling fans in the memory, the power supplies, and the equipment interfaces manufactured by Varian Data Machines, are permanently lubricated and need no routine attention. Routine maintenance procedures for attached electro-mechanical devices are contained in the manufacturer's instruction manuals furnished with the equipment.

Diagnostic Programs

Diagnostic programs (see Section 26) locate malfunctions in a system (troubleshooting) or aid in locating mistakes in a computer

program (debugging). These programs are used off-line when the computer is not performing data transfers or control functions.

The diagnostic programs, which are on punched paper tape, exercise the computer and associated peripheral devices with sequences of instructions. The results of these sequences are checked against the proper responses. If an instruction or other operation is improperly executed, the program ends the sequence and causes the printing of information indicating which instruction or operation failed. One can then repeat, continue, or halt the diagnostic routine until the fault is isolated and corrected.

The diagnostic programs can be used in either preventive or corrective mode.

Preventive Mode

The diagnostic programs, when used in preventive mode, determine whether a malfunction exists and, in most cases, isolate the error. In preventive mode, the diagnostic program tape is loaded into memory, and the teletype (TTY) keyboard is used to initiate tests or a sequence of tests. A TTY driver program, which is included on the diagnostic tape, interprets the TTY keyboard input and calls each of the designated test programs the number of times specified in the sequence. If an error occurs, an error indication is printed by the TTY unit.

Corrective Mode

The diagnostic programs are used in correc-

tive mode when a malfunction is known to exist but the exact nature of the trouble has not been determined. In corrective mode, a specific diagnostic program can be loaded and run independently of any other program. Each test within a program is initiated manually from the computer control panel. Error indications are printed automatically by the TTY unit.

Troubleshooting

The time required to correct system malfunctions will depend upon the efficiency of the procedures used. Although various specified techniques may be suggested, there is no real substitute for an ordered, logical analysis of the problem and isolation of the cause to the level of a replaceable component. Such an analysis can be based only upon knowledge of the equipment design. The discussion of troubleshooting procedures first describes general techniques and then specific procedures recommended for the Varian 620/L.

The condition of the machine can be determined by observing the diagnostic list-outs and the display indicators on the console. The displays should be observed while executing the system in the STEP mode. These simple procedures generally reveal the faulty functional area. Continued operation, using REPEAT where applicable, and oscilloscope use will help locate the faulty circuit board or other replaceable element. When the faulty element is isolated, it may be replaced and the machine returned to operation. The faulty component on the circuit board or other element may be located and replaced off-line.

The general instructions for troubleshooting are as follows (see Figure 17-1):

- a. Analyze the problem
- b. Look for obvious solutions first
- c. Isolate problem to a functional area

- d. Analyze fault within the problem area
- e. Correct the fault
- f. Restore conditions for normal operation

Analyzing the Problem

Take time to thoroughly analyze the problem. For example, if the ADD instruction does not produce correct results, is the fault a function of the sign (plus or minus), of the carries, or of some other element? Are the operational registers being properly loaded? Use the displays for gathering the necessary data.

Seeking Obvious Solutions

Make sure that a malfunction has actually occurred. Relate problems to recent events such as cleaning or servicing. Look for improperly set controls or test equipment and accidental disconnections of plugs, etc. Consider miscellaneous temporary failures, such as mechanical jamming of peripheral equipments.

Isolating to a Functional Area

Isolate the fault to a functional area: that is, memory, control, arithmetic/logic, operational register, input/output, peripheral controller, or peripheral device. The process of isolating the malfunctioning area is generally a straightforward process of eliminating the functional areas which are operating properly, when the faulty area is not immediately obvious.

Analyzing the Area

When the fault has been isolated to a functional area, the rest of the system may be temporarily ignored. Use the logic and timing diagrams, and observe circuit waveforms to quickly isolate the problem to an individual replaceable element.

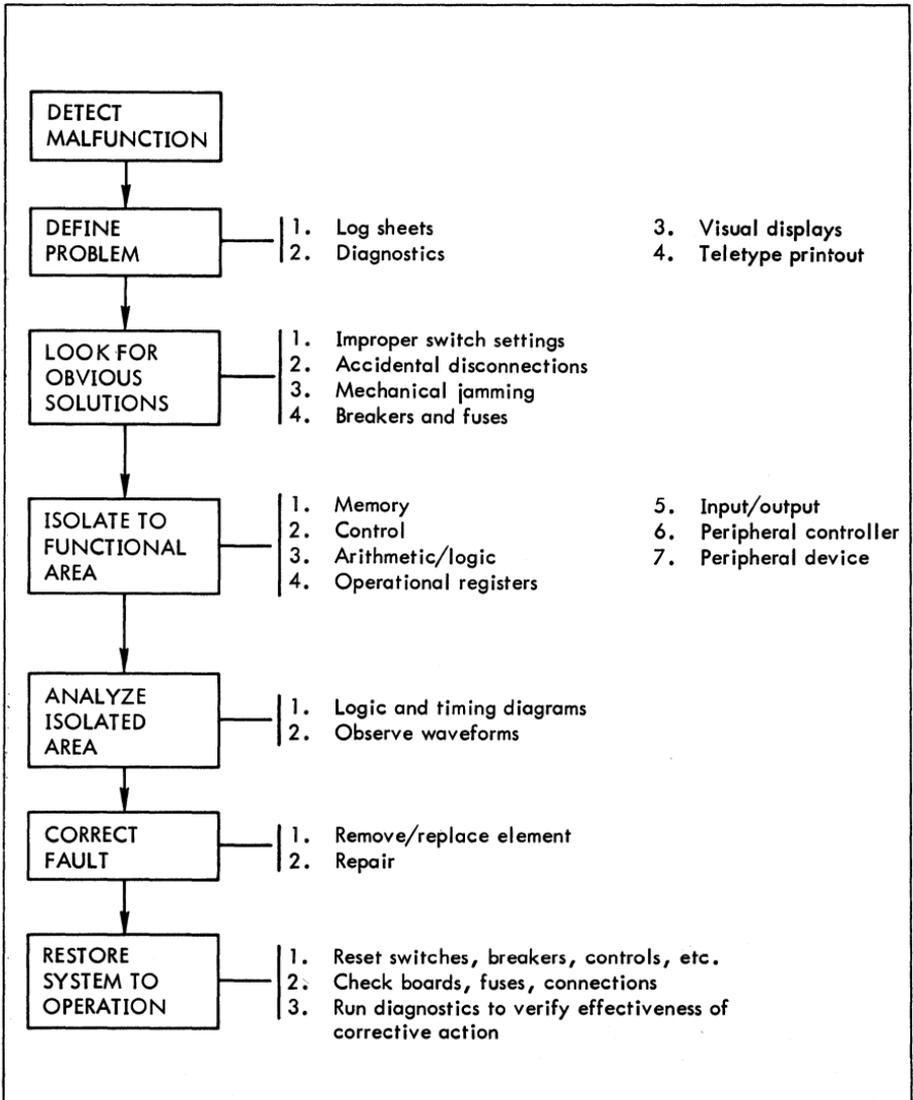


Figure 17-1. General Troubleshooting Steps

Correcting the Fault

Replace the faulty circuit board or other element. Attempt to analyze the cause of the failure before restoring power to prevent the possibility of the failure occurring again.

Restoring Normal Operation

When the system is again operating properly, make sure it is returned to normal operating conditions. If circuit boards have been unseated, be sure all are properly resealed in the connectors. Set all panel controls, close all circuit breakers, insure that fans are running, etc. Finally, verify proper operation by running the diagnostic tests.

Varian 620/L Troubleshooting Procedures

The checkout procedures outlined in the following paragraphs may be used when it has been determined that the computer is not operating properly. This is determined, typically, by various programmed maintenance routines. A typical computer failure (if in the central processor) will produce failures in a large percentage of routines. For this reason, determining a computer failure is quite simple. Memory failures of a single bit or word are quite rare and will generally require special test procedures which may result in clearing the section of memory involved.

The four major sections of the computer for troubleshooting purposes are as follows:

- a. Arithmetic and Register Section
- b. Control, Timing, and Decoding Section
- c. Memory Section
- d. I/O Section

The general characteristics of the failure will, in many cases, immediately indicate the failed section. If the failure is catastrophic and all instructions fail, the cause is

usually in the timing section. A failure in the Arithmetic or Register section will normally be evidenced by the failure to perform arithmetic operations or to increment the program counter correctly. Memory failures may be indicated by repeated occurrence of the halt instruction, or complete random sequencing of instructions. I/O failures are restricted to I/O instructions and are associated only with the logic of the I/O device. An I/O failure is easily recognized by noting failures in various I/O routines, but not strictly internal routines.

A general procedure for locating the basic problem area is outlined as follows:

- a. Set "1's" into all bit positions of the operational registers A, B, X, and P, and into all bit positions of the Instruction Register (U), by means of the switches on the control console. Then reset all registers to zero by pressing the RESET switch. This operation checks basic set and reset functions for all register flip-flop circuits in the computer. The operation does not, however, check gating into these registers from the internal busses.
- b. Set all "1's" into the Accumulator Register (A). Single-step STA to location 0, then single-step LDA from location 0 and check for agreement. Next implement an Increment Memory and Replace instruction. Finally, increment a location that is all "0's".
- c. Set Instruction Register to Increment A and put into Repeat Mode. Set A Register to all "1's" except low-order bit. Press STEP switch twice and note results. On the second step, A should go to "0". This provides a major check of the Arithmetic Unit.

Equipment	Description
Oscilloscope	Tektronix, type 547 (or equivalent) with dual-trace plug-in unit
Multimeter	Simpson 260 (or equivalent)
Card Extenders	a. Extender cards for cards in CPU tray b. Extender cards (DM115) for peripheral controllers
Extension Cable	Required for CPU and memory trays
Card Puller	Tichener 1731
Wire-Wrap Gun	Gardener-Denver 14R2 (or equivalent)
Soldering Iron	39-watt pencil type

Figure 17-2. Recommended Test Equipment

SECTION 18 – DATA AND INSTRUCTION FORMATS

There are two basic word formats used in the Varian 620/L: data and instruction.

The instruction word format is further divided into four types: single-word addressing, single-word non-addressing, double-word addressing and double-word non-addressing.

Data Word Formats

Data words may contain operands, operand addresses or indirect addresses, depending upon the instruction or addressing mode in process.

Data Words

The data word format is shown in Figure 18-1.

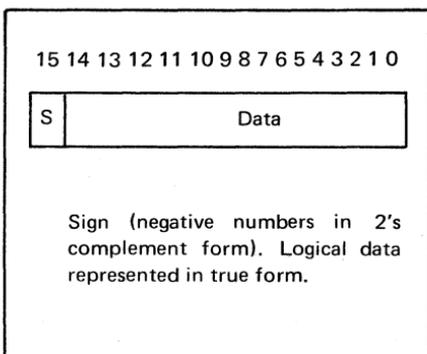


Figure 18-1. Data Word Format

Data bits occupy positions 0-14, with the sign in position 15. Negative numbers are represented in 2's complement form.

Indirect Addresses

When the data word is an indirect address, rather than an operand, it has the format shown in Figure 18-2.

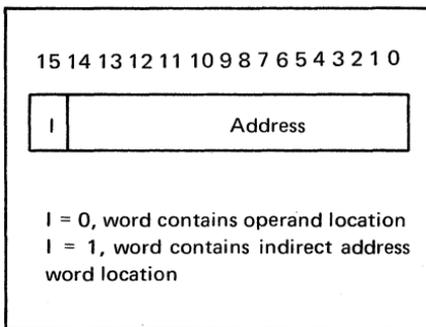


Figure 18-2. Indirect-Address Data Word Format

An indirect-address word is accessed by an instruction that is in the indirect address mode (see Section 19).

Bit 15 contains the I bit, which designates whether the memory location that is addressed by the indirect-address word contains the operand (I=0), or contains the location of yet another indirect address word (I=1).

Indirect addressing may be extended to any desired level. Each level of indirect addressing adds one cycle (1.8 microseconds) to the basic execution time of an instruction.

Instruction Word Formats

Instruction words may be either addressing or non-addressing, single-word or double-word.

The basic instruction word format is shown in Figure 18-3.

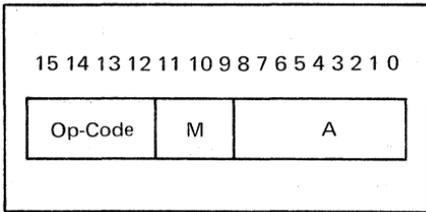


Figure 18-3. Instruction Word Format (Single-Word Instructions and First Word of Double-Word Instructions)

The format shown is applicable to all instruction words. For double-word instructions, the format shown applies to the first instruction word.

The instruction word is divided into three fields; op-code field, M field and A field. The function of the three fields vary according to the type of instruction, but may generally be defined as follows:

Op-code field	bits 12-15	Designates type of instruction (e.g., single-word addressing, I/O instructions or other).
M field	bits 9-11	Designates address mode or mode of operation
A field	bits 0-8	Contains a variety of information depending upon type of instruction

Single-Word Addressing Instructions

Instruction groups applicable to this type of instruction are the direct versions of:

- Load/Store
- Arithmetic
- Logical

These instruction groups are designated by octal number 01 through 07, and 11 through 17 in the op-code field. The M field contains one of the following addressing modes:

Direct	binary 0 X X
Relative mode	binary 1 0 0
Index (X)	binary 1 0 1
Index (B)	binary 1 1 0
Indirect	binary 1 1 1

For direct addressing, bits 9 and 10 of the M field are combined with the A field to form a direct address to any of 2048 locations.

Single-Word Non-Addressing Instructions

Instruction groups applicable to this type of instruction are:

- Shift
- Control
- Register Change
- Input/Output

The op-code field contains octal 00 except for the last type, Input/output, which is designated by octal 10. The M field designates the mode of operation, and the A field specifies the action to be performed by the computer such as:

- a. Number of shifts
- b. Kind of register change as well as source and destination registers
- c. Input/output

Double-Word Addressing Instructions

Instruction groups applicable to this type of instruction are:

- Jump
- Jump and Mark
- Execute

Extended Address Versions of:

- Load/Store
- Arithmetic
- Logic

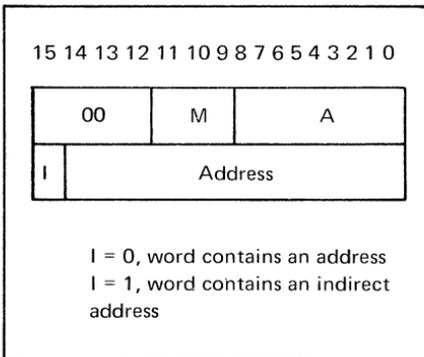


Figure 18-4. Double-Word Addressing Instruction Format (Except Extended Instructions)

The format for both the first and second words of two-word addressing instructions other than the optional extended-addressing instructions, is given in Figure 18-4. The op-code field contains octal 00; the M field an octal 1, 2, 3 or 6, designating the mode of instruction to be performed; and the A

field defines a set of nine logical states which condition execution of the instruction.

The second word contains address of either an instruction or operand, or the location of the instruction to be executed if the condition is met. Indirect addressing is permitted.

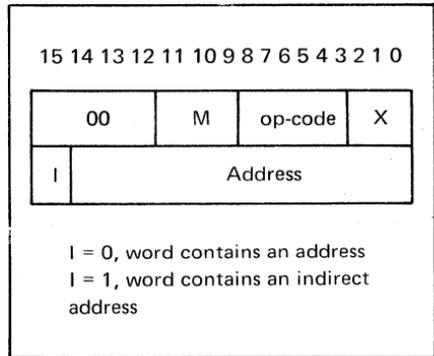


Figure 18-5. Extended Addressing Instruction Format

For the optional extended address type instructions, the A field is further divided into two sub-fields. Bits 0-2 form the X field, as shown in Figure 18-5, and are coded to indicate the address mode (see Section 19). Bits 3-8 contain any single-word operation instruction which, in a single word instruction, ordinarily appear in the op-code field.

Double-Word Non-Address Instructions

Instruction groups applicable to this type of instruction are the immediate-addressing versions of the following:

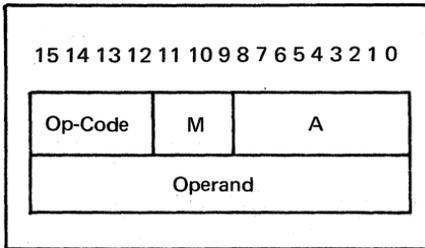
- Load/Store
- Arithmetic
- Logical

The format for these instructions is shown in Figure 18-6.

instruction-word formats

The op-code field contains octal 00 and the M field contains an octal 6. The A field contains the operation mode (octal 0) in bits 0-2, and bits 3-8 contain the equivalent of a single word operation instruction.

Since indirect addressing is not permitted, the second word always contains an operand.



**Figure 18-6. Double-Word
Non-Addressing (Immediate)
Instruction Format**

SECTION 19 – ADDRESSING MODES

The Varian 620/L features a number of addressing modes that can be used by the programmer to increase the efficiency of his program.

The addressing mode is a function of both the type of instruction and the coding within the instruction.

Three types of instructions are involved: single-word addressing, extended (optional), and immediate.

Figure 19-1 summarizes the relationship between the three instruction types and the six addressing modes.

Immediate instructions are limited to the immediate-addressing mode. Single-word addressing instructions may be used in all of

the addressing modes except immediate. Extended instructions can take advantage of all six addressing modes.

Address-mode codes for the single-word instruction and extended instructions are given in Figures 19-2 and 19-3. For additional details on the format of these instructions, see Section 18.

Immediate Addressing

Immediate Addressing with Immediate Instructions

Immediate instructions are nominally classified (Section 18) as double-word non-addressing instructions since the second word of the instruction is the operand itself. No further addressing of memory is required.

Addressing Mode	Instruction Type		
	Single-Word	Extended	Immediate
Immediate		X	X
Direct	X	X	
Indirect	X	X	
Indexed with X Register	X	X	
Indexed with B Register	X	X	
Relative to P Register	X	X	

Figure 19-1. Relationship Between Instruction Type and Addressing Mode

addressing modes

“Immediate addressing” is included in this discussion, however, because it is one of the options available to the programmer for accessing operands stored in memory.

The address of the operand is, in this case, the memory location containing the second word of the instruction. The CPU addresses this location when it fetches the immediate instruction for execution.

Since there is no separate addressing phase, no modification of the address is possible. Indexed, relative, and indirect addressing do not apply to immediate instructions.

Immediate Addressing with Extended Instructions

Extended-address instructions may be used in the immediate mode by inserting an octal 0, 1, 2, or 3 in the X field (See Figures 18-5 and 19-3) of the first word of the instruction.

With this code in effect, the CPU processes the second word of the instruction as an operand rather than as an address.

Direct Addressing

In direct addressing, the address of the operand is contained within the instruction itself.

Direct Addressing with Single-Word Instructions

Single-word addressing instructions operate in the direct mode whenever the most significant bit of the M field (see Figures 18-3 and 19-2) is a 0.

The remaining two bits of the M field are combined with the nine bits in the A field to form an 11-bit effective address. The address directs the CPU to an operand

stored in the first 2048 words (0000 thru 2047) of memory.

Direct Addressing with Extended Instructions

Extended-addressing instructions operate in the direct mode whenever an octal 7 is inserted in the X field and the most significant bit of the second word is 0.

The remaining 15 bits of the second word form the effective address of the operand. Any location in a full 32K of memory may be directly addressed.

Indirect Addressing

In indirect addressing, the address of the operand is stored in memory at a location specified by the instruction.

Indirect Addressing with Single-Word Instructions

Single-word addressing instructions operate in the indirect mode whenever an octal 7 is inserted in the M field.

The 9 bits of the A field direct the CPU to an address location in the first 512 words of memory. The word stored in that location is the address of the operand.

Indirect Addressing with Extended Instructions

Extended-addressing instructions operate in the indirect mode whenever an octal 7 is inserted in X field and the most significant bit of the second word is 1.

The remaining 15 bits of the second word direct the CPU to any address location in a full 32K of memory. The word stored in that location is the address of the operand.

Multi-Level Indirect Addressing

The word stored in the memory location specified by any indirect-addressing instruction may itself be an indirect address. The CPU is directed to this second memory location to determine the address of the operand.

Any number of indirect addressing levels is permitted. Each level adds one machine cycle (1.8 microseconds) to the time required for the execution of the instruction.

Indexed with X Register

The address contained within an instruction may be modified by adding it to the contents of the X register.

X-Register Indexing with Single-Word Instructions

Single-word addressing instructions may be indexed with the X register by inserting an octal 5 in the M field.

The contents of the A field are added to the contents of the X register to form the effective address of the operand.

X-Register Indexing with Extended Instructions

Extended-addressing instructions may be indexed with the X register by inserting an octal 5 in the X field of the first word of the instruction. The contents of the second word of the instruction are added to the contents of the X register to form the effective address of the operand.

Indexed with B Register

The address contained within an instruction may be modified by adding it to the contents of the B register.

B-Register Indexing with Single-Word Instructions

Single-word addressing instructions may be indexed with the B register by inserting an octal 6 in the M field.

The contents of the A field are added to the contents of the B register to form the effective address of the operand.

B-Register Indexing with Extended Instructions

Extended-addressing instructions may be indexed with the B register by inserting an octal 6 in the X field of the first word of the instruction.

The contents of the second word of the instruction are added to the contents of the B register to form the effective address of the operand.

Relative Addressing

In relative addressing, the address contained within an instruction is modified by adding it to the contents of the P register plus one.

Relative Addressing with Single-Word Instructions

Single-word addressing instructions operate in the relative mode whenever an octal 4 is inserted in the M field.

The contents of the A field are added to the contents of the P register plus one to form the effective address of the operand. This permits addressing locations up to 512 words in advance of the current program locations.

Relative Addressing with Extended Instructions

Extended-addressing instructions operate in

addressing modes

the relative mode whenever an octal 4 is inserted in the X field of the first word of the instruction.

The contents of the second word of the instruction are added to the contents of the P register plus one to form the effective address of the operand.

M Field (octal)	Addressing Mode	Operation
0-3	Direct	Two least significant bits of M field are combined with A field to form effective address.
4	Relative	A field is added to contents of P register plus one to form effective address.
5	Indexed with X register	A field is added to contents of X register to form effective address.
6	Indexed with B register	A field is added to contents of B register to form effective address.
7	Indirect	A field specifies location in which address of operand is stored.

Figure 19-2. Address Coding for Single-Word Instructions

X Field (octal)	Addressing Mode	Operation
0-3	Immediate	Second word of instruction contains the operand.
4	Relative	Second word of instruction is added to contents of P register plus one to form effective address.
5	Indexed with X register	Second word of instruction is added to contents of X register to form effective address.
6	Indexed with B register	Second word of instruction is added to contents of B register to form effective address.
7	Direct	If the most significant bit of the second word is 0, the remaining bits are the operand address.
7	Indirect	If the most significant bit of the second word is 1, the remaining bits identify the location of the operand address

Figure 19-3. Address Coding for Extended-Addressing Instructions

SECTION 20 — INSTRUCTION SET

The Varian 620/L central processor is capable of decoding and executing over 100 different instructions.

This extensive instruction repertoire allows the programmer to write programs that make efficient use of machine time and minimize the space required in memory for program storage.

The instructions can be divided into three functional groups:

- a. Instructions that involve an interaction between the central processor and memory.
- b. Instructions that relate to operations within the central processor itself.
- c. Instructions that control input-output operations.

The following pages describe the instructions in detail and are arranged in groups, according to function.

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The instruction descriptions are followed (page 20-45) by flow diagrams showing how the various types of instructions are processed. These are followed, in turn, by alphabetical and numerical listings of all Varian 620/L instructions.

NOTE: For an explanation of the M, A, X and I fields shown in the following descriptions, see Sections 18 and 19.

Load/Store Instructions

This group comprises the instructions for loading registers from memory or for storing the contents of registers in memory. Sub-groups of these instructions permit such loading or storing in normal, extended, or immediate addressing modes.

Within each load/store instruction, one octal group specifies the operation as follows:

001	Loads the A register
010	Loads the B register
011	Loads the X register
101	Stores the A register
110	Stores the B register
111	Stores the X register

This specification is in bits 12-14 of one-word, and bits 3-5 (of the first word) of two-word load/store instructions

load/store instructions

LDA **Load A Register**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

01	M	A
----	---	---

The contents of the effective memory location are placed in the A register.

Timing: 2 cycles
 Relative: Yes
 Indexing: Yes
 Indirect Addressing: Yes
 Registers Altered: A

LDB **Load B Register**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

02	M	A
----	---	---

The contents of the effective memory location are placed in the B register.

Timing: 2 cycles
 Relative: Yes
 Indexing: Yes
 Indirect Addressing: Yes
 Registers Altered: B

LDAI **Load A Register
Immediate**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	6	010
Operand		

The contents of the operand at location $n + 1$ are placed in the A register.

Timing: 2 cycles
 Indexing: No
 Indirect Addressing: No
 Registers Altered: A

LDBI **Load B Register
Immediate**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	6	020
Operand		

The contents of the operand at location $n + 1$ are placed in the B register.

Timing: 2 cycles
 Indexing: No
 Indirect Addressing: No
 Registers Altered: B

LDAE* **Load A Register
Extended**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	6	01	X
I	Operand Address		

The contents of the memory location, as addressed by the operand address at location $n + 1$, are placed in the A register.

Timing: 3 cycles
 Indexing: Yes
 Indirect Addressing: Yes
 Register Altered: A

LDBE* **Load B Register
Extended**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	6	02	X
I	Operand Address		

The contents of the memory location as addressed by the operand address at location $n + 1$ are placed in the B register.

Timing: 3 cycles
 Indexing: Yes
 Indirect Addressing: Yes
 Register Altered: B

*optional

LDX **Load X Register**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

03	M	A
----	---	---

The contents of the effective memory location are placed in the X register.

Timing: 2 cycles
 Relative: Yes
 Indexing: Yes
 Indirect Addressing: Yes
 Registers Altered: X

STA **Store A Register**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

05	M	A
----	---	---

The contents of the A register are placed in the effective memory location.

Timing: 2 cycles
 Relative: Yes
 Indexing: Yes
 Indirect Addressing: Yes
 Registers Altered: Memory

LDXI **Load X Register
Immediate**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	6	030
Operand		

The contents of the operand at location $n + 1$ are placed in the X register.

Timing: 2 cycles
 Indexing: No
 Indirect Addressing: No
 Registers Altered: X

STAI **Store A Register
Immediate**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	6	050
Operand		

The contents of the A register are placed in the operand at location $n + 1$.

Timing: 2 cycles
 Indexing: No
 Indirect Addressing: No
 Registers Altered: Operand

LDXE* **Load X Register
Extended**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	6	03	X
I	Operand Address		

The contents of the memory location as addressed by the operand address at location $n + 1$ are placed in the X register.

Timing: 3 cycles
 Indexing: Yes
 Indirect Addressing: Yes
 Register Altered: X

STAE* **Store A Register
Extended**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	6	05	X
I	Operand Address		

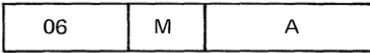
The contents of the A register are stored in the memory location as addressed by the operand address at location $n + 1$.

Timing: 3 cycles
 Indexing: Yes
 Indirect Addressing: Yes
 Register Altered: Memory *optional

load/store instructions

STB **Store B Register**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

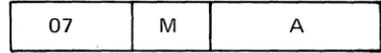


The contents of the B register are placed in the effective memory location.

- Timing: 2 cycles
- Relative: Yes
- Indexing: Yes
- Indirect Addressing: Yes
- Registers Altered: Memory

STX **Store X Register**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

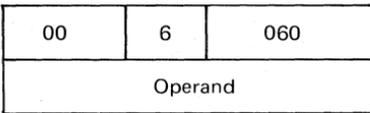


The contents of the X register are placed in the effective memory location.

- Timing: 2 cycles
- Relative: Yes
- Indexing: Yes
- Indirect Addressing: Yes
- Registers Altered: Memory

STBI **Store B Register
Immediate**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

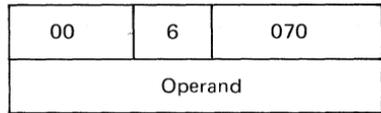


The contents of the B register are placed in the operand at location n + 1.

- Timing: 2 cycles
- Indexing: No
- Indirect Addressing: No
- Registers Altered: Operand

STXI **Store X Register
Immediate**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

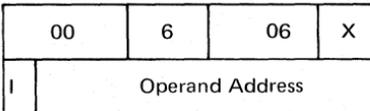


The contents of the index register are placed in the operand at location n + 1.

- Timing: 2 cycles
- Indexing: No
- Indirect Addressing: No
- Registers Altered: Operand

STBE* **Store B Register
Extended**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

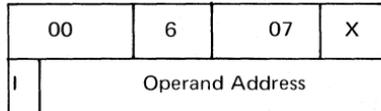


The contents of the B register are stored in the memory location as addressed by the operand address at location n + 1.

- Timing: 3 cycles
- Indexing: Yes
- Indirect Addressing: Yes
- Register Altered: Memory

STXE* **Store X Register
Extended**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0



The contents of the X register are stored in the memory location as addressed by the operand address at location n + 1.

- Timing: 3 cycles
- Indexing: Yes
- Indirect Addressing: Yes
- Register Altered: Memory *optional

Arithmetic Instructions

This group comprises the instructions for incrementation of the contents of a memory address; for performing the arithmetic functions of addition, subtraction, multiplication, and division; and the extended-and immediate-addressing counterparts of these instructions. Multiplication and division are optional.

In the one-word instructions, bits 12-15 specify the arithmetic function as follows:

0	100	Increment
1	010	Add
1	100	Subtract
1	110	Multiply
1	111	Divide

In the two-word instructions, the same configurations appear in bits 3-6 of the first word.

arithmetic instructions

INR Increment Memory and Replace

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

04	M	A
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The contents of the effective memory locations are incremented by one.

When the value of M is 077777 (maximum positive number) and INR is executed to memory, overflow (OF) is set and the value of M is 100000.

Timing: 3 cycles
 Relative: Yes
 Indexing: Yes
 Indirect Addressing: Yes
 Registers Altered: Memory, OF

INRI Increment and Replace Immediate

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	6	040
Operand		

The contents of the operand at location n + 1 are incremented by one. When the value

of M is 077777 (maximum positive number) and INRI is executed to memory, OF is set and the value of M is 100000.

Timing: 3 cycles
 Indexing: No
 Indirect Addressing: No
 Registers Altered: Operand, OF

INRE* Increment Memory and Replace Extended

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	6	04	X
I	Operand Address		

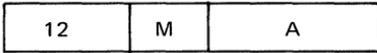
The contents of the memory location as addressed by the operand address at location n + 1 are incremented by one. When the value of M is 077777 (maximum positive number) and INRE is executed to memory, OF is set and the value of M is 100000.

Timing: 4 cycles
 Indexing: Yes
 Indirect Addressing: Yes
 Registers Altered: Memory, OF

*optional

ADD Add Memory to A Register

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0



The contents of the effective memory location are added to the contents of the A register and the sum is placed in the A register.

If the value of the A register is 077777 (maximum positive number) and any non-zero positive number (n) is added to it, OF is set and the sign (bit 15) is set to one. The contents of bits 0 to 14 will be n-1.

For example, adding 000002 to 077777 results in OF being set to one and the A register containing 100001 (octal).

Timing: 2 cycles
 Relative: Yes
 Indexing: Yes
 Indirect Addressing: Yes
 Registers Altered: A, OF

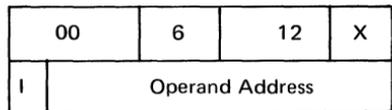
OF is set and the sign (bit 15) is set to one. The contents of bits 0 to 14 are n-1.

For example, adding 000002 to 077777 results in OF being set to one and the A register containing number 100001 (octal).

Timing: 2 cycles
 Indexing: No
 Indirect Addressing: No
 Registers Altered: A, OF

ADDE* Add Memory to A Register Extended

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0



The contents of the memory location as addressed by the operand address at location n + 1 are added to the contents of the A register and the sum is placed in the A register.

If the value of the A register is 077777 (maximum positive number) and any nonzero positive number (n) is added to it, OF is set and the sign (bit 15) is set to 1. The contents of bits 0-14 are n-1.

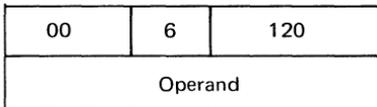
For example, adding 000002 to 077777 results in overflow being set to one and the A register containing 100001 (octal).

Timing: 3 cycles
 Indexing: Yes
 Indirect Addressing: Yes
 Registers Altered: A, OF *optional

Add to A Register Immediate

ADDI

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0



The contents of the A register are added to the contents of the operand at location n + 1. The sum is placed in the A register.

If the value of the A register is 077777 (maximum positive number) and any nonzero positive number (n) is added to it,

**Subtract Memory
From A Register**

SUB

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

14	M	A
----	---	---

The contents of the effective memory location are subtracted from the A register and the difference is placed in the A register.

If the value of the A register is 100000 (maximum negative number) and any non-zero positive number (n) is subtracted from it, OF is set and the sign (bit 15) is reset. The contents of bits 0 to 14 are the maximum positive number (077777) less n-1.

For example, subtracting +3 from 100000 results in OF being set and the A register containing 077775.

- Timing: 2 cycles
- Relative: Yes
- Indexing: Yes
- Indirect Addressing: Yes
- Registers Altered: A, OF

**Subtract from A
Register Immediate**

SUBI

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	6	140
Operand		

The contents of the operand at location n + 1 are subtracted from the contents of the A register. The difference is placed in the A register.

If the value of the A register is 100000 (maximum negative number) and any nonzero positive number (n) is subtracted

from it, OF is set and the sign (bit 15) is reset. The contents of bits 0 to 14 are the maximum positive number (077777) less n-1.

For example, subtracting +3 from 100000 results in OF being set and the A register containing 077775.

- Timing: 2 cycles
- Indexing: No
- Indirect Addressing: No
- Registers Altered: A, OF

**Subtract Memory from
A Register Extended**

SUBE*

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	6	14	X
I	Operand Address		

The contents of the memory location as addressed by the operand address at location n + 1 are subtracted from the contents of the A register and the difference is placed in the A register.

If the value of the A register is 100000 (maximum negative number) and any nonzero positive number (n) is subtracted from it, OF is set and the sign (bit 15) is reset. The contents of bits 0 to 14 are the maximum positive number (077777) less n-1.

For example, subtracting +3 from 100000 results in OF being set and the A register obtaining 077775.

- Timing: 3 cycles
- Indexing: Yes
- Indirect Addressing: Yes
- Registers Altered: A, OF

*optional

MUL*

Multiply

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

16	M	A
----	---	---

The contents of the B register are multiplied by the contents of the effective memory location. The original contents of the A register are added to the product. The product is placed in the A and B registers, with the most significant half of the product in the A register and the least significant half in the B register. The sign of the product is contained in the sign position of the A register. The sign position of the B register is reset to zero. If the contents of B register and memory contain the largest possible negative number, the result will be zero and OF indicator will be set.

The algorithm is in the form $(M). B + A \rightarrow A, B$

- Timing: 10 cycles
- Relative: Yes
- Indexing: Yes
- Indirect Addressing: Yes
- Registers Altered: A, B, OF

MULI*

Multiply Immediate

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	6	160
Operand		

The contents of the B register are multiplied by the contents of the operand at location n + 1 and the contents of the A register are added to the product. The result is placed in the A and B registers, with the most significant half of the product in the A register and the least significant half in the B register. The sign of the product is

contained in the sign position of the A register. The sign position of the B register is reset to zero. If the B register and memory contain the largest possible negative number, the result is zero and the OF indicator set.

The algorithm is in the form

$$(M). B + A \rightarrow A, B$$

- Timing: 8.5 cycles
- Indexing: No
- Indirect Addressing: No
- Registers Altered: A, B, OF

MULE*

Multiply Extended

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	6	16	X
I	Operand Address		

The contents of the B register are multiplied by the contents of the memory location as addressed by the operand address in location n + 1, and the contents of the A register are added to the product. The result is placed in the A and B registers with the most significant half of the product in the A register and the least significant half in the B register.

The sign of the product is contained in the sign position of the A register. The sign position of the B register is reset to zero. If the B register and memory contain the largest possible negative number, the result will be zero and the OF indicator set.

The algorithm is in the form

$$(M). B + A \rightarrow A, B$$

- Timing: 9.5 cycles
- Indexing: Yes
- Indirect Addressing: Yes
- Registers Altered: A, B, OF *optional

arithmetic instructions

DIV*

Divide

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

17	M	A
----	---	---

The contents of the A and B registers are divided by the contents of the effective memory location. The quotient is placed in the B register with the sign, and the remainder is placed in the A register with the sign of the dividend.

If $(A,B)/M < 1$ (divisor $>$ dividend, taken as a binary fraction), overflow will not occur. If overflow does occur, the OF indicator is set; this results in the quotient being invalid and unpredictable.

Timing: 10–14 cycles

Relative: Yes

Indexing: Yes

Indirect Addressing: Yes

Registers Altered: A, B, OF

If $(A,B)/M < 1$ (divisor $>$ dividend, taken as a binary fraction), overflow will not occur. If overflow does occur, the OF indicator is set; this results in the quotient being invalid and unpredictable.

Timing: 8.5 cycles

Indexing: No

Indirect Addressing: No

Registers Altered: A, B, OF

DIVE*

Divide Extended

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	6	17	X
I	Operand Address		

The contents of the A and B registers are divided by the contents of the memory location as addressed by the operand address at location $n + 1$. The quotient is placed in the B register and the remainder is placed in the A register.

If $(A,B)/M < 1$ (divisor $>$ dividend, taken as a binary fraction), overflow will not occur. If overflow does occur, the OF indicator is set; this results in the quotient being invalid and unpredictable.

Timing: 9.5 cycles

Indexing: Yes

Indirect Addressing: Yes

Register Altered: A, B, OF ***optional**

DIVI*

Divide Immediate

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	6	170
Operand		

The contents of the A and B registers are divided by the contents of the operand at location $n + 1$. The quotient is placed in the B register with sign, and the remainder is placed in the A register with the sign of the dividend.

Logic Instructions

This group comprises the inclusive-OR, exclusive-OR, and AND instructions and their immediate-addressing and extended-addressing counterparts.

In the one-word instructions, bits 12-15 specify the logic function as follows:

1	001	Inclusive-OR
1	011	Exclusive-OR
1	101	AND

In the two-word instructions, the same configurations appear in bits 3-6 of the first word.

logic instructions

**Inclusive-OR Memory
and A Register**

ORA

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

11	M	A
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An inclusive-OR operation is performed between the effective memory location and the contents of the A register. The result is placed in the A register. If either the effective memory location or A register contains a one in the same bit position, a one is placed in the result. The truth table is shown below, where $n = \text{bit position}$.

- Timing: 2 cycles
- Relative: Yes
- Indexing: Yes
- Indirect Addressing: Yes
- Registers Altered: A

**Inclusive-OR
to A Register Immediate**

ORAI

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	6	110
Operand		

An inclusive-OR is performed between the contents of the operand and the contents of the A register. The result is placed in the A register. If either the operand or the A register contains a one in the same bit position, a one is placed in the result in the A register. The truth table is shown below, where $n = \text{bit position}$.

- Timing: 2 cycles
- Indexing: No
- Indirect Addressing: No
- Registers Altered: A

**Inclusive-OR Memory
and A Register
Extended**

ORAE*

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	6	11	X
I	Operand Address		

The inclusive-OR operation is performed between the contents of the A register and the contents of the memory location as addressed by the operand address in location $n + 1$.

The result is placed in the A register. If either the memory or A contains a one in the same position, a one is placed in the result. The truth table is shown below, where $n = \text{bit position}$.

- Timing: 3 cycles
- Indexing: Yes
- Indirect Addressing: Yes
- Register Altered: A

*optional

Condition		Result
A (n)	Effective Memory Location (n)	A (n)
0	0	0
0	1	1
1	0	1
1	1	1

ERA Exclusive—OR Memory and A Register

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

13	M	A
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An exclusive-OR operation is performed between the effective memory location and the contents of the A register. The result is placed in the A register. If the same bit position of the effective memory location and the A register contains a zero or if both bit positions contain a one, the result is zero. If the same bit position of the effective memory location and A are not equal (i.e., one contains a zero and the other a one), the result is a one. The truth table is shown below, where n = bit position.

Timing: 2 cycles
 Relative: Yes
 Indexing: Yes
 Indirect Addressing: Yes
 Registers Altered: A

ERAI Exclusive-OR to A Register Immediate

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	6	130
Operand		

An exclusive-OR is performed between the contents of the operand at location n + 1 and the contents of the A register, and the result is placed in the A register. If the same bit position of the operand and the A register contains a zero or if both bit positions contain a one, the result is zero. The truth table is shown below, where n = bit position.

Timing: 2 cycles
 Indexing: No
 Indirect Addressing: No
 Registers Altered: A

ERAE* Exclusive-OR Memory and A Register Extended

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	6	13	X
I	Operand Address		

An exclusive-OR operation is performed between the contents of the A register and the contents of the memory location as addressed by the operand address in location n + 1. The result is placed in the A register. If the same bit position of the memory location and the A register contains a zero, or if both bit positions contain a one, the result is zero. The truth table is shown below, where n = bit position.

Timing: 3 cycles
 Indexing: Yes
 Indirect Addressing: Yes
 Register Altered: A

*optional

Condition		Result
A (n)	Effective Memory Location (n)	A (n)
0	0	0
0	1	1
1	0	1
1	1	0

ANA **AND Memory and A Register**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

15	M	A
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The logical-AND is performed between the contents of the A register and the contents of the effective memory location. The result is placed in the A register. If the same bit position of both the effective memory location and A contain a one, the result is a one. The truth table is shown below, where n = bit position.

- Timing: 2 cycles
- Relative: Yes
- Indexing: Yes
- Indirect Addressing: Yes
- Registers Altered: A

ANAI **AND to A Register Immediate**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	6	150
Operand		

A logical-AND is performed between the contents of the operand and the contents of the A register. The result is placed in the A register. If the same bit position of the operand and the A register contains a one, the result is one; otherwise, the result is zero. The truth table is shown below, where n = bit position.

- Timing: 2 cycles
- Indexing: No
- Indirect Addressing: No
- Registers Altered: A

ANAE* **AND Memory and A Register Extended**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	6	15	X
I	Operand Address		

The logical-AND operation is performed between the contents of the A register and the contents of the memory location as addressed by the operand address in location n + 1. The result is placed in the A register. If the same bit position of both the memory location and the A register contains a one, the result is a one. The truth table is shown below, where n = bit position.

- Timing: 3 cycles
- Indexing: Yes
- Indirect Addressing: Yes
- Register Altered: A

*optional

Condition		Result
A (n)	Effective Memory Location (n)	A (n)
0	0	0
0	1	0
1	0	0
1	1	1

Jump Instructions

This group comprises the instructions that direct the program to a nonsequential address for execution of the instruction located there, but they neither mark the location (as do the jump-and-mark instructions) nor bring the program back to the main sequence (as do the execution instructions).

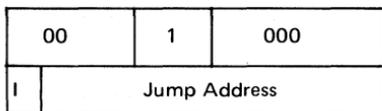
For the jump instruction group, the A field contains a set of nine flags which define the logical conditions for the execution of the jump function. The jump address is contained in the second word of the double-word instruction.

The jump condition is the logical-AND of all ones in the field. Thus, there are 512 possible combinations but not all are useful. The most useful conditional jump instructions are contained in the mnemonic instruction repertoire recognized by the DAS assembler.

jump instructions

JMP Jump Unconditionally

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0



The next instruction executed is at the jump address.

Timing: 2 cycles

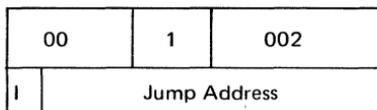
Indexing: No

Indirect Addressing: Yes

Registers Altered: P

JAP Jump if A Register Positive

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0



If the contents of the A register are positive or zero, the next instruction executed is at the jump address. If the A register is negative, the next instruction in sequence is executed.

Timing: 2 cycles

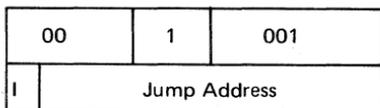
Indexing: No

Indirect Addressing: Yes

Registers Altered: P

JOF Jump if Overflow Indicator Set

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0



If the OF indicator is set, the next instruction executed is at the jump address. If the OF indicator is not set, the next instruction in sequence is executed. The OF indicator is reset upon execution of this instruction.

Timing: 2 cycles

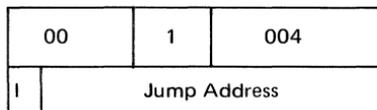
Indexing: No

Indirect Addressing: Yes

Registers Altered: OF, P

JAN Jump if A Register Negative

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0



If the A register is negative, the next instruction executed is at the jump address. If the A register is positive or zero, the next instruction in sequence is executed.

Timing: 2 cycles

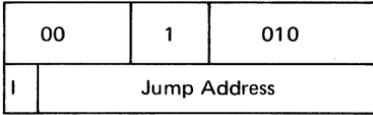
Indexing: No

Indirect Addressing: Yes

Registers Altered: P

JAZ **Jump if A
Register Zero**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

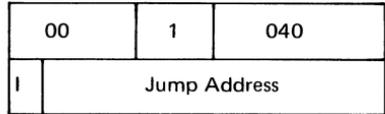


If the A register is zero, the next instruction executed is at the jump address. If the A register is not zero, the next instruction in sequence is executed.

Timing: 2 cycles
 Indexing: No
 Indirect Addressing: Yes
 Registers Altered: P

JXZ **Jump if X
Register Zero**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

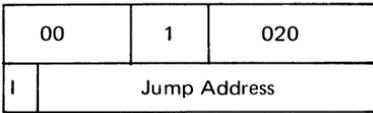


If the X register is zero, the next instruction executed is at the jump address. If the X register is not zero, the next instruction in sequence is executed.

Timing: 2 cycles
 Indexing: No
 Indirect Addressing: Yes
 Registers Altered: P

JBZ **Jump if B
Register Zero**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

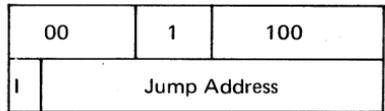


If the B register is zero, the next instruction executed is at the jump address. If the B register is not zero, the next instruction in sequence is executed.

Timing: 2 cycles
 Indexing: No
 Indirect Addressing: Yes
 Registers Altered: P

JSS1 **Jump if Sense
Switch 1 Set**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0



If sense switch 1 is set, the next instruction executed is at the jump address. If the sense switch being tested is not set, the next instruction in sequence is executed.

Timing: 2 cycles
 Indexing: No
 Indirect Addressing: Yes
 Registers Altered: P

jump instructions

JSS2

Jump if Sense Switch 2 Set

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00				1				200					
I	Jump Address												

If sense switch 2 is set, the next instruction executed is at the jump address. If the sense switch being tested is not set, the next instruction in sequence is executed.

Timing: 2 cycles

Indexing: No

Indirect Addressing: Yes

Registers Altered: P

JSS3

Jump if Sense Switch 3 Set

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00				1				400					
I	Jump Address												

If sense switch 3 is set, the next instruction executed is at the jump address. If the sense switch being tested is not set, the next instruction in sequence is executed.

Timing: 2 cycles

Indexing: No

Indirect Addressing: Yes

Registers Altered: P

JIF

Jump if Combined Conditions Are Met

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00				1				xyz					
I	Jump Address												

If all the conditions specified by the xyz field are met, the next instruction executed is at the jump address. If they are not all met, the next instruction in sequence is executed. The values of x, y, and z are established by the first expression in the DAS variable field (see Section 21), and have the following meaning:

xyz (octal)	Jump Condition
0001	OFLO set
0004	$A < 0$
0002	$A \geq 0$
0010	$A = 0$
0020	$B = 0$
0040	$X = 0$
0100	SS1 set
0200	SS2 set

Compound conditions may be specified by adding together the values of the desired conditions.

For example:

Instruction Field	Variable Field
JIF	0222, ALFA

Where 0222 = 0200 + 020 + 02 means: take the next instruction from address ALFA, if

and only if, all three of the following conditions are true:

The A register contains a positive number:	0002
The B register contains zero:	0020
Sense switch 2 is set:	0200
Timing: 2 cycles	
Indexing: No	
Indirect Addressing: Yes	
Registers Altered: P	

Jump-And-Mark Instructions

This group comprises the instructions that direct the program to a nonsequential jump address, store the contents of the P register there, and next execute the instruction following the jump address.

For the jump and mark group of instructions, the A field defines the same set of logical conditions specified for the jump group. Thus, there are 512 possible combinations, but not all are useful. The most useful instructions are contained in the mnemonic instruction repertoire recognized by the DAS assembler.

jump-and-mark instructions

JMPM **Jump and Mark
Unconditionally**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

	00	2	000											
I	Jump Address													

The contents of the P counter are stored at the jump address. The next instruction executed is at the jump address plus one.

- Timing: 3 cycles
- Indexing: No
- Indirect Addressing: Yes
- Registers Altered: Jump address, P

JOFM **Jump and Mark
If Overflow Set**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

	00	2	001											
I	Jump Address													

If the OF indicator is set, the contents of the P counter are stored at the jump address, and the instruction at the jump address plus one is executed. If the OF indicator is not set, the next instruction in sequence is executed. The OF indicator is reset upon execution of the JOFM instruction.

- Timing:
 - Condition met: 3 cycles
 - Condition not met: 2 cycles
- Indexing: No
- Indirect Addressing: Yes
- Registers Altered: Jump Address, P, OF

JANM **Jump and Mark if A
Register Negative**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

	00	2	004											
I	Jump Address													

If the A register is negative, the contents of the P counter are placed at the jump address, and the instruction at the jump address plus one is executed. If the A register is positive or zero, the next instruction in sequence is executed.

- Timing:
 - Condition met: 3 cycles
 - Condition not met: 2 cycles
- Indexing: No
- Indirect Addressing: Yes
- Registers Altered: Jump Address, P

JAPM **Jump and Mark if A
Register Positive**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

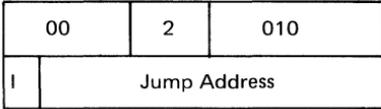
	00	2	002											
I	Jump Address													

If the A register is positive or zero, the contents of the P counter are placed at the jump address, and the instruction at the jump address plus one is executed. If the A register is negative, the next instruction in sequence is executed.

- Timing:
 - Condition met: 3 cycles
 - Condition not met: 2 cycles
- Indexing: No
- Indirect Addressing: Yes
- Registers Altered: Jump Address, P

JAZM **Jump and Mark if A
Register Zero**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

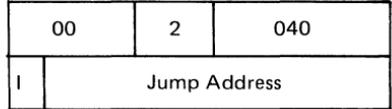


If the A register is zero, the contents of the P counter are placed at the jump address and the instruction at the jump address plus one is executed. If the A register is not zero, the next instruction in sequence is executed.

Timing:
 Condition met: 3 cycles
 Condition not met: 2 cycles
 Indexing: No
 Indirect Addressing: Yes
 Registers Altered: Jump Address, P

JXZM **Jump and Mark if X
Register Zero**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

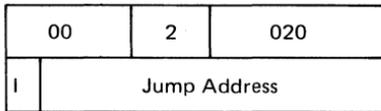


If the X register is zero, the contents of the P counter are placed at the jump address and the instruction at the jump address plus one is executed. If the X register is not zero, the next instruction in sequence is executed.

Timing:
 Condition met: 3 cycles
 Condition not met: 2 cycles
 Indexing: No
 Indirect Addressing: Yes
 Registers Altered: Jump Address, P

JBZM **Jump and Mark if B
Register Zero**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

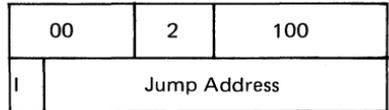


If the B register is zero, the contents of the P counter are placed at the jump address, and the instruction at the jump address plus one is executed. If the B register is not zero, the next instruction in sequence is executed.

Timing:
 Condition met: 3 cycles
 Condition not met: 2 cycles
 Indexing: No
 Indirect Addressing: Yes
 Registers Altered: Jump Address, P

JS1M **Jump and Mark if
Sense Switch 1 Set**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0



If sense switch 1 is set, the contents of the P counter are placed at the jump address, and the instruction at the jump address plus one is executed. If the tested sense switch is not set, the next instruction in sequence is executed.

Timing:
 Condition met: 3 cycles
 Condition not met: 2 cycles
 Indexing: No
 Indirect Addressing: Yes
 Registers Altered: Jump Address, P

jump-and-mark instructions

Jump and Mark if Sense Switch 2 Set

JS2M

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00		2	200
I	Jump Address		

If sense switch 2 is set, the contents of the P counter are placed at the jump address, and the instruction at the jump address plus one is executed. If the tested sense switch is not set, the next instruction in sequence is executed.

Timing:

Condition met: 3 cycles

Condition not met: 2 cycles

Indexing: No

Indirect Addressing: Yes

Registers Altered: Jump Address, P

Jump and Mark if Sense Switch 3 Set

JS3M

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00		2	400
I	Jump Address		

If sense switch 3 is set, the contents of the P counter are placed at the jump address, and the instruction at the jump address plus one is executed. If the tested sense switch is not set, the next instruction in sequence is executed.

Timing:

Condition met: 3 cycles

Condition not met: 2 cycles

Indexing: No

Indirect Addressing: Yes

Registers Altered: Jump Address, P

Jump and Mark if Combined Conditions Are Met

JIFM

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00		2	xyz
I	Jump Address		

If all of the conditions specified by the xyz field are met, the contents of the P counter are placed at the jump address, and the instruction at the jump address plus one is executed. If the conditions are not all met, the next instruction in sequence is executed. The values of x, y and z are established by the first expression in the DAS variable field (see Section 21). The jump conditions are the same as those specified for JIF, page 20-18.

Timing:

Condition met: 3 cycles

Condition not met: 2 cycles

Indexing: No

Indirect Addressing: Yes

Registers Altered: Jump Address, P

Execution Instructions

This group comprises the instructions that direct the program to a nonsequential address for execution of the instruction located there, and then direct the program back to the main sequence to execute the instruction following the execution instruction.

These instructions contrast with the jump and jump-and-mark instructions in that the latter groups do not return the program to the main sequence but continue executing the instructions following the jump address.

For the execute group of instructions, the A field contains a set of nine flags which define the logical conditions for executing an instruction contained at the effective execution address. The execution address is contained in the second word of the double-word instruction. The execute condition is the logical-AND of all ones in the A field. The most useful of the 512 possible execute instructions are contained in the mnemonic instruction repertoire recognized by the DAS assembler.

It is important to note that only single-word instructions which do not specify relative addressing should be executed. The single-word instruction groups are load/store, arithmetic, logical, control, shift, and register change.

If the execution is attempted on double-word instructions, erroneous operations will occur.

execution instructions

XEC **Execute Unconditionally**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

	00	3	000	
I	Execute Address			

The instruction located at the execute address is executed and then the next instruction in sequence is executed.

Timing: 2 cycles
 Indexing: No
 Indirect Addressing: Yes
 Registers Altered: None

XAP **Execute if A Register Positive**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

	00	3	002	
I	Execute Address			

If the A register is positive or zero, the instruction at execute address is executed, and then the next instruction in sequence is executed. If the A register is negative, the next instruction in sequence is executed.

Timing: 2 cycles
 Indexing: No
 Indirect Addressing: Yes
 Registers Altered: None

XOF **Execute if Overflow Set**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

	00	3	001	
I	Execute Address			

If the OF indicator is set, the instruction at the execute address is executed, and then the next instruction in sequence is executed.

If the OF indicator is not set, the next instruction in sequence is executed. Execution of the XOF instruction resets the OF indicator.

Timing: 2 cycles
 Indexing: No
 Indirect Addressing: Yes
 Registers Altered: OF (reset)

XAN **Execute if A Register Negative**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

	00	3	004	
I	Execute Address			

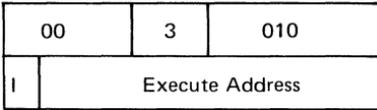
If the A register is negative, the instruction at the execute address is executed, and then the next instruction in sequence is executed. If the A register is positive, the next instruction in sequence is executed.

Timing: 2 cycles
 Indexing: No
 Indirect Addressing: Yes
 Registers Altered: None

XAZ

**Execute if A
Register Zero**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0



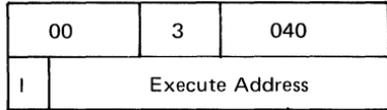
If the A register is zero, the instruction at the execute address is executed, and then the next instruction in sequence is executed. If the A register is not zero, the next instruction in sequence is executed.

Timing: 2 cycles
Indexing: No
Indirect Addressing: Yes
Registers Altered: None

XXZ

**Execute if X
Register Zero**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0



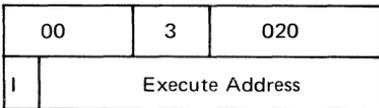
If the X register is zero, the instruction at the execute address is executed, and then the next instruction in sequence is executed. If the index register is not zero, the next instruction in sequence is executed.

Timing: 2 cycles
Indexing: No
Indirect Addressing: Yes
Registers Altered: None

XBZ

**Execute if B
Register Zero**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0



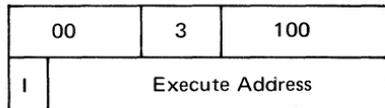
If the B register is zero, the instruction at the execute address is executed, and then the next instruction in sequence is executed. If the B register is not zero, the next instruction in sequence is executed.

Timing: 2 cycles
Indexing: No
Indirect Addressing: Yes
Registers Altered: None

XS1

**Execute if Sense
Switch 1 Set**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0



If sense switch 1 is set, the instruction at the execute address is executed, and then the next instruction in sequence is executed. If the sense switch tested is not set, the next instruction is executed.

Timing: 2 cycles
Indexing: No
Indirect Addressing: Yes
Registers Altered: None

execution instructions

XS2 **Execute if Sense
Switch 2 Set**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	3	200
I	Execute Address	

If sense switch 2 is set, the instruction at the execute address is executed, and then the next instruction in sequence is executed. If the sense switch tested is not set, the next instruction is executed.

- Timing: 2 cycles
- Indexing: No
- Indirect Addressing: Yes
- Registers Altered: None

XIF **Execute if Combined
Conditions Are Met**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	3	xyz
I	Execute Address	

If all of the conditions specified by the xyz field are met, the instruction at the execute address is executed, and then the next instruction in sequence is executed. If the conditions are not all met, the next instruction is executed. The values of x, y, and z are established by the first expression in the DAS variable field (see Section 21). The execute conditions are the same as jump conditions specified for JIF, page 20-18.

- Timing: 2 cycles
- Indexing: No
- Indirect Addressing: Yes
- Registers Altered: None

XS3 **Execute if Sense
Switch 3 Set**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	3	400
I	Execute Address	

If sense switch 3 is set, the instruction at the execute address is executed, and then the next instruction in sequence is executed. If the sense switch tested is not set, the next instruction is executed.

- Timing: 2 cycles
- Indexing: No
- Indirect Addressing: Yes
- Registers Altered: None

Control Instructions

This group consists of general control instructions for the CPU.

All four instructions follow the single-word, non-addressing format (Section 18).

control instructions

HLT

Halt

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	0	XXX
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When the computer executes the halt instruction, computation is stopped and the computer is placed in the step mode. When the RUN button is pressed, computation starts with the next instruction in sequence.

Timing: 1 cycle
Indexing: No
Indirect Addressing: No
Registers Altered: None

NOP

No Operation

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	5	000
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Execution of the NOP instruction does not affect the A, B, and X registers or memory.

Timing: 1 cycle
Indexing: No
Indirect Addressing: No
Registers Altered: None

SOF

Set Overflow Indicator

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	7	401
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The OF indicator is set.

Timing: 1 cycle
Indexing: No
Indirect Addressing: No
Registers Altered: OF

ROF

Reset Overflow Indicator

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	7	400
----	---	-----

The OF indicator is reset.

Timing: 1 cycle
Indexing: No
Indirect Addressing: No
Registers Altered: OF

Shift Instructions

Shift instructions all follow the single-word, non-addressing format (Section 18).

For shift instructions, the address field A defines the type of shift (bits 5-8) and the number of bit positions to be shifted (bits 0-4). Twelve of the possible 16 shift operations defined by bits 5-8 are implemented.

Timing for all instructions in the shift instruction group can be determined as follows:

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Timing} &= 1 \text{ cycle, for } n = 0 \\ &= 1 + 0.147 (n-1) \text{ cycles,} \\ &\quad \text{for } n = 01 \text{ through } 037\end{aligned}$$

where n equals the number of shifts.

shift instructions

LSRA Logical Shift Right A Register

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	4	340 + n
----	---	---------

The contents of the A register are shifted n places to the right (n = 0 to 037). Zeros are shifted into the high-order positions of the A register. Information shifted out of the low-order positions of the A register is lost.

Timing*
Indexing: No
Indirect Addressing: No
Registers Altered: A

LSRB Logical Shift Right B Register

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	4	140 + n
----	---	---------

The contents of the B register are shifted n places to the right (n = 0 to 037). Information shifted out of the low-order position of the B register is lost. Zeros are shifted into the high-order position of the B register.

Timing*
Indexing: No
Indirect Addressing: No
Registers Altered: B

LRLA Logical Rotate Left A Register

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	4	240 + n
----	---	---------

The contents of the A register are rotated n places to the left (n = 0 to 037). Bit position 15 of the A register is rotated into bit position 0.

Timing*
Indexing: No
Indirect Addressing: No
Registers Altered: A

LRLB Logical Rotate Left B Register

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	4	040 + n
----	---	---------

The contents of the B register are rotated n positions to the left (n = 0 to 037). Bit position 15 of the B register is rotated into bit position 0.

Timing*
Indexing: No
Indirect Addressing: No
Registers Altered: B

*See page 20-29.

LLSR

**Long Logical
Shift Right**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	4	540 + n
----	---	---------

The contents of the A and B registers are shifted right n positions ($n = 0$ to 037). Bits shifted out of the low-order position of B are lost. Zeros are shifted into the high-order position of the A register.

Timing*

Indexing: No

Indirect Addressing: No

Registers Altered: A, B

ASRA

**Arithmetic Shift
Right A Register**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	4	300 + n
----	---	---------

The contents of the A register are shifted n positions to the right ($n = 0$ to 037). Bits shifted out of the low-order positions of A are lost. The sign bit (bit 15) of the A register is extended n places to the right.

Timing*

Indexing: No

Indirect Addressing: No

Registers Altered: A

LLRL

**Long Logical
Rotate Left**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	4	440 + n
----	---	---------

The contents of the A and B registers are rotated n positions to the left ($n = 0$ to 037). Bit position 15 of the A register is rotated into bit position 0 of the B register.

Timing*

Indexing: No

Indirect Address: No

Registers Altered: A, B

ASLA

**Arithmetic Shift
Left A Register**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	4	200 + n
----	---	---------

The contents of the A register are shifted n places to the left ($n = 0$ to 037). The sign bit (bit 15) of the A register is retained and zeros are shifted into the low-order positions of the A register. Bits shifted out of bit position 14 are lost.

Timing*

Indexing: No

Indirect Addressing: No

Registers Altered: A

*See page 20-29.

shift instructions

LASR Long Arithmetic Shift Right

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	4	500 + n
----	---	---------

The contents of the A and B registers are shifted n places to the right ($n = 0$ to 037). Bit position 0 of the A register is shifted into bit position 14. The sign bit of the A register (bit 15) is extended n places to the right. The sign bit (bit 15) of the B register remains unchanged.

Timing*

Indexing: No

Indirect Addressing: No

Registers Altered: A, B

ASRB Arithmetic Shift Right B Register

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	4	100 + n
----	---	---------

The contents of the B register are shifted n places to the right ($n = 0$ to 037). Information shifted out of the low-order position of B is lost. The sign bit (bit 15) of the B register is extended n places to the right.

Timing*

Indexing: No

Indirect Addressing: No

Registers Altered: B

LASL Long Arithmetic Shift Left

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	4	400 + n
----	---	---------

The contents of the A and B registers are shifted n places to the left ($n = 0$ to 037). Bit position 14 of the B register is shifted into bit position 0 of the A register; the sign bit (bit 15) of the B register remains unchanged. The sign bit (bit 15) of the A register also remains unchanged. The bit shifted out of bit position 14 of the A register is lost, and zeros are shifted into the low-order positions of the B register.

Timing*

Indexing: No

Indirect Addressing: No

Registers Altered: A, B

ASLB Arithmetic Shift Left B Register

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	4	000 + n
----	---	---------

The contents of the B register are shifted n places to the left ($n = 0$ to 037). The sign bit (bit 15) of the B register is retained and zeros are shifted into the low-order positions of the B register. Bits shifted out of bit position 14 are lost.

Timing*

Indexing: No

Indirect Addressing: No

Registers Altered: B

Register-Change Instructions

The facility to operate on and copy data between the A, B, and X registers is available in the general register change instruction group.

All instructions in this group use the same op code and M field code (00 and 5, respectively). Bits 0 to 8 of the A field specify the register and the function.

The programmer can specify combinations of address bits to perform simultaneous operations. If the selected address bits specify that more than one register is the source, these are logically ORed. The function of each address bit is shown below.

Indirect addressing and indexing do not apply to this instruction group. Each instruction requires one machine cycle regardless of the number of functions performed. As an aid to the programmer, the most useful bit combinations have mnemonics assigned to them.

Bit	Function			
0	A is a destination register	Bits 6 and 7 indicate the function to be performed as follows:		
1	B is a destination register			
2	X is a destination register	Bit	Bit	Function
3	A is a source register	7	6	
4	B is a source register			
5	X is a source register	0	0	Transfer
8	Conditions the function with the OF indicator. If bit 8 is one, the function is performed only if OF is set. If bit 8 is zero, the function is performed unconditionally. The OF register does not change.	0	1	Transfer incremented
		1	0	Transfer complemented
		1	1	Transfer decremented

register-change instructions

IAR Increment A Register

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	5	111
----	---	-----

DAR Decrement A Register

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	5	311
----	---	-----

IBR Increment B Register

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	5	122
----	---	-----

DBR Decrement B Register

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	5	322
----	---	-----

IXR Increment X Register

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	5	144
----	---	-----

DXR Decrement X Register

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	5	344
----	---	-----

The contents of the A (B, X) register are incremented by one. When the value of the A (B, X) register is 077777 (maximum positive number) and IAR (IBR, IXR) is executed, OF is set and the value of A (B, X) is 100000.

Timing: 1 cycle
 Indexing: No
 Indirect Addressing: No
 Registers Altered: A (B, X), OF

The contents of the A (B, X) register are decremented by one. When the value of the A (B, X) register is 100000 and DAR (DBR, DXR) is executed, OF is set and A (B, X) is 077777.

Timing: 1 cycle
 Indexing: No
 Indirect Addressing: No
 Registers Altered: A (B, X), OF

CPA **Complement A Register**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	5	211
----	---	-----

CPB **Complement B Register**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	5	222
----	---	-----

CPX **Complement X Register**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	5	244
----	---	-----

The contents of the A (B, X) register are complemented (one's complement).

Timing: 1 cycle
 Indexing: No
 Indirect Addressing: No
 Registers Altered: A (B, X)

TAB **Transfer A Register to B Register**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	5	012
----	---	-----

The contents of the A register are placed in the B register.

Timing: 1 cycle
 Indexing: No
 Indirect Addressing: No
 Registers Altered: B

TAX **Transfer A Register to X Register**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	5	014
----	---	-----

The contents of the A register are placed in the X register.

Timing: 1 cycle
 Indexing: No
 Indirect Addressing: No
 Registers Altered: X

TBA **Transfer B Register to A Register**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	5	021
----	---	-----

The contents of the B register are placed in the A register.

Timing: 1 cycle
 Indexing: No
 Indirect Addressing: No
 Registers Altered: A

TBX **Transfer B Register to X Register**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	5	024
----	---	-----

The contents of the B register are placed in the X register.

Timing: 1 cycle
 Indexing: No
 Indirect Addressing: No
 Registers Altered: X

register-change instructions

TXA

**Transfer X
Register to
A Register**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	5	041
----	---	-----

The contents of the X register are placed in the A register.

Timing: 1 cycle

Indexing: No

Indirect Addressing: No

Registers Altered: A

TXB

**Transfer X
Register to
B Register**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	5	042
----	---	-----

The contents of the X register are placed in the B register.

Timing: 1 cycle

Indexing: No

Indirect Addressing: No

Registers Altered: B

TZA

**Transfer Zero
to A Register**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	5	001
----	---	-----

TZB

**Transfer Zero
to B Register**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	5	002
----	---	-----

TZX

**Transfer Zero
to X Register**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	5	004
----	---	-----

The A (B, X) register is cleared to zero.

Timing: 1 cycle

Indexing: No

Indirect Addressing: No

Registers Altered: A (B, X)

AOFA **Add Overflow
to A Register**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	5	511
----	---	-----

SOFA **Subtract Overflow
from A Register**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	5	711
----	---	-----

AOFB **Add Overflow
to B Register**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	5	522
----	---	-----

SOFB **Subtract Overflow
from B Register**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	5	722
----	---	-----

AOFX **Add Overflow
to X Register**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	5	544
----	---	-----

SOFX **Subtract Overflow
from X Register**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	5	744
----	---	-----

The content of the OF indicator is added to the A (B, X) register. The sum is placed in the A (B, X) register. The overflow flip-flop does not change.

The content of the OF indicator is subtracted from the A (B, X) register. The overflow flip-flop does not change.

Timing: 1 cycle
 Indexing: No
 Indirect Addressing: No
 Registers Altered: A (B, X)

Timing: 1 cycle
 Indexing: No
 Indirect Addressing: No
 Registers Altered: A (B, X)

register-change instructions

MERGE Merge Source to Destination

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	5	xyz
----	---	-----

The inclusive-OR of the contents of all the specified source registers is placed in each of the specified destination registers. The values of x, y, and z are established by the DAS variable field (Section 21). The meaning for each bit in the field is given in the chart on page 20-33.

Timing: 1 cycle
Indexing: No
Indirect Addressing: No
Registers Altered: A, B, X, as specified

DECR Decrement Source to Destination

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	5	xyz
----	---	-----

+1 is subtracted from the inclusive-OR of the contents of all the specified source registers and the result is placed in each of the specified destination registers. The values of x, y, and z are established by the DAS variable field (Section 21). The meaning for each bit in the field is given in the chart on page 20-33.

Timing: 1 cycle
Indexing: No
Indirect Addressing: No
Registers Altered: A, B, X, as specified

INCR Increment Source to Destination

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	5	xyz
----	---	-----

+1 is added to the inclusive-OR of the contents of all the specified source registers and the result is placed in each of the specified destination registers. The values of x, y, and z are established by the DAS variable field (Section 21). The meaning for each bit in the field is given in the chart on page 20-33.

Timing: 1 cycle
Indexing: No
Indirect Addressing: No
Registers Altered: A, B, X, as specified

COMPL Complement Source to Destination

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	5	xyz
----	---	-----

The inclusive-OR of the contents of all the specified source registers is ones-complemented and the result is placed in each of the specified destination registers. The values of x, y, and z are established by the DAS variable field (Section 21). The meaning for each bit in the field is given in the chart on page 20-33.

Timing: 1 cycle
Indexing: No
Indirect Addressing: No
Registers Altered: A, B, X, as specified

ZERO**Zero Register**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

00	5	x0z
----	---	-----

Each of the destination registers specified by z (page 20-33) is set to zero. The values of x and z are established by the DAS variable field (Section 21).

Timing: 1 cycle

Indexing: No

Indirect Addressing: No

Registers Altered: A, B, X, as specified

I/O Instructions

The I/O instruction group is used for all communication between the computer and the peripheral devices that supply and receive data. Their use is described in detail in Sections 11 and 12.

There are three basic types of I/O instructions, as presented in the following pages:

- a. Control (including the Sense and External instructions).
- b. Data transfer between the external device and the CPU registers.
- c. Data transfer between the external device and memory.

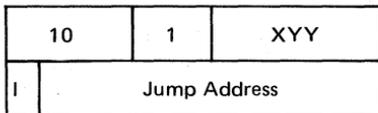
Each I/O instruction must specify the address of the peripheral device that is affected. Standard device addresses for the most commonly used I/O devices are given on page 20-44.

I/O instructions

SEN

Program Sense

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0



I = 0, word contains an address

I = 1, word contains an indirect address

The sense instruction senses the logical state of an external line.

The nine bits represented by XYY are placed on the party-line I/O bus and represent the condition to be tested. X defines a specific line within device YY. The associated peripheral controller replies with a true or false signal.

If a true signal is received by the 620/L, a jump is made to the jump address. If a false signal is received, the next instruction in sequence is executed.

Timing: 2.25 cycles

Indexing: No

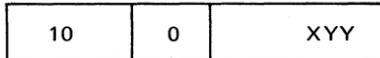
Indirect Addressing: Yes

Registers Altered: P

EXC

External Control

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0



The external control instruction places a function code, contained in bits 0–8, on the E bus to initiate a control operation in an external device.

The nine bits represented by XYY are placed on the E bus for transmission to the peripheral controllers. The device address is contained in the YY portion of the data, and the function to be performed by the selected device is contained in the X portion.

Timing: 1 cycle

Indexing: No

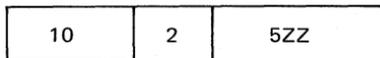
Indirect Addressing: No

Registers Altered: None

CIA

Clear and Input to A Register

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0



The A register is cleared and a data word from the selected device, ZZ, is transferred to the A register.

Timing: 2 cycles

Indexing: No

Indirect Addressing: No

Registers Altered: A

CIB**Clear and Input to
B Register**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

10	2	6ZZ
----	---	-----

The B register is cleared and a data word from the selected device, ZZ, is transferred to the B register.

Timing: 2 cycles
Indexing: No
Indirect Addressing: No
Registers Altered: B

INA**Input to A Register**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

10	2	1ZZ
----	---	-----

A data word from the selected device, ZZ, is inclusively ORed with the contents of the A register.

Timing: 2 cycles
Indexing: No
Indirect Addressing: No
Registers Altered: A

CIAB**Clear and Input to
A and B Registers**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

10	2	7ZZ
----	---	-----

The A and B registers are cleared and a data word from the selected device, ZZ, is transferred to the A and B registers.

Timing: 2 cycles
Indexing: No
Indirect Addressing: No
Registers Altered: A and B

INB**Input to B Register**

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

10	2	2ZZ
----	---	-----

A data word from the selected device, ZZ, is inclusively ORed with the contents of the B register.

Timing: 2 cycles
Indexing: No
Indirect Addressing: No
Registers Altered: B

I/O instructions

INAB Input to A and B Registers

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

10	2	3ZZ
----	---	-----

A data word from the selected device, ZZ, is inclusively ORed with the inclusive – OR of the contents of the A and B registers; the results are transferred into both the A and B registers, i.e., $(A) + (B) + ZZ \rightarrow A, B$

Timing: 2 cycles

Indexing: No

Indirect Addressing: No

Registers Altered: A and B

OAR Output from A Register

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

10	3	1ZZ
----	---	-----

The contents of the A register are transferred to the selected device, ZZ.

Timing: 2 cycles

Indexing: No

Indirect Addressing: No

Registers Altered: None

OBR Output from B Register

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

10	3	2ZZ
----	---	-----

The contents of the B register are transferred to the selected device, ZZ.

Timing: 2 cycles

Indexing: No

Indirect Addressing: No

Registers Altered: None

OAB Output from A and B Registers

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

10	3	3ZZ
----	---	-----

The inclusive OR of the contents of the A and B registers is transferred to the selected device, ZZ.

Timing: 2 cycles

Indexing: No

Indirect Addressing: No

Registers Altered: None

IME Input to Memory

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

10		2	0ZZ
I	Data Address		

I = 0, since indirect addressing
is not permitted

A data word from the selected device, ZZ, is placed in the cleared effective memory address.

Timing: 3 cycles
Indexing: No
Indirect Addressing: No
Registers Altered: Memory

OME Output from Memory

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

10		3	0ZZ
I	Data Address		

I = 0, since indirect addressing
is not permitted.

The contents of the effective memory location are transferred to the selected device, ZZ.

Timing: 3 cycles
Indexing: No
Indirect Addressing: No
Registers Altered: None

Class Codes	Addresses	Option or Controller
00-07	01-07	Teletype controller (620-06, 07, -08)
10-17	10-13	Magnetic tape controller (620-30, -31)
	14	Fixed-head rotating memory (620-38, -42 through -49)
	15	Movable-head rotating memory (620-40, -41)
	16, 17	Movable-head rotating memory (620-39)
20-27	20, 21	First buffer interlace controller (620-20)
	22, 23	Second buffer interlace controller
	24, 25	Third buffer interlace controller
	26, 27	Fourth buffer interlace controller
30-37	30	Card reader (620-22 through -25)
	31	Card punch (620-26)
	32	Digital plotter (620-72)
	33	Electrostatic plotter
	34	Second paper tape system
	35, 36	Line printer (620-77)
	37	First paper tape system (620-51, -53)
40-47	40-44, 46	Priority interrupt module (620-16)
	45	Memory protection (620-05)
	47	Real-time clock (620-13)
50-57	50-53	Special applications
	54-57	Analog system (620-85A, -85O, -85I)
60-67	60-67	Digital I/O (620-81), buffered I/O (620-80)
70-77	70-73	Communications controller (620-60, -61, -65, -66)
	74-77	Relay I/O (620-83)

Figure 20-1. Standard Device Addresses (Octal)

NOTE:
NOT APPLICABLE TO
SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS
*SRE, *JMP, *JSR OR *BT

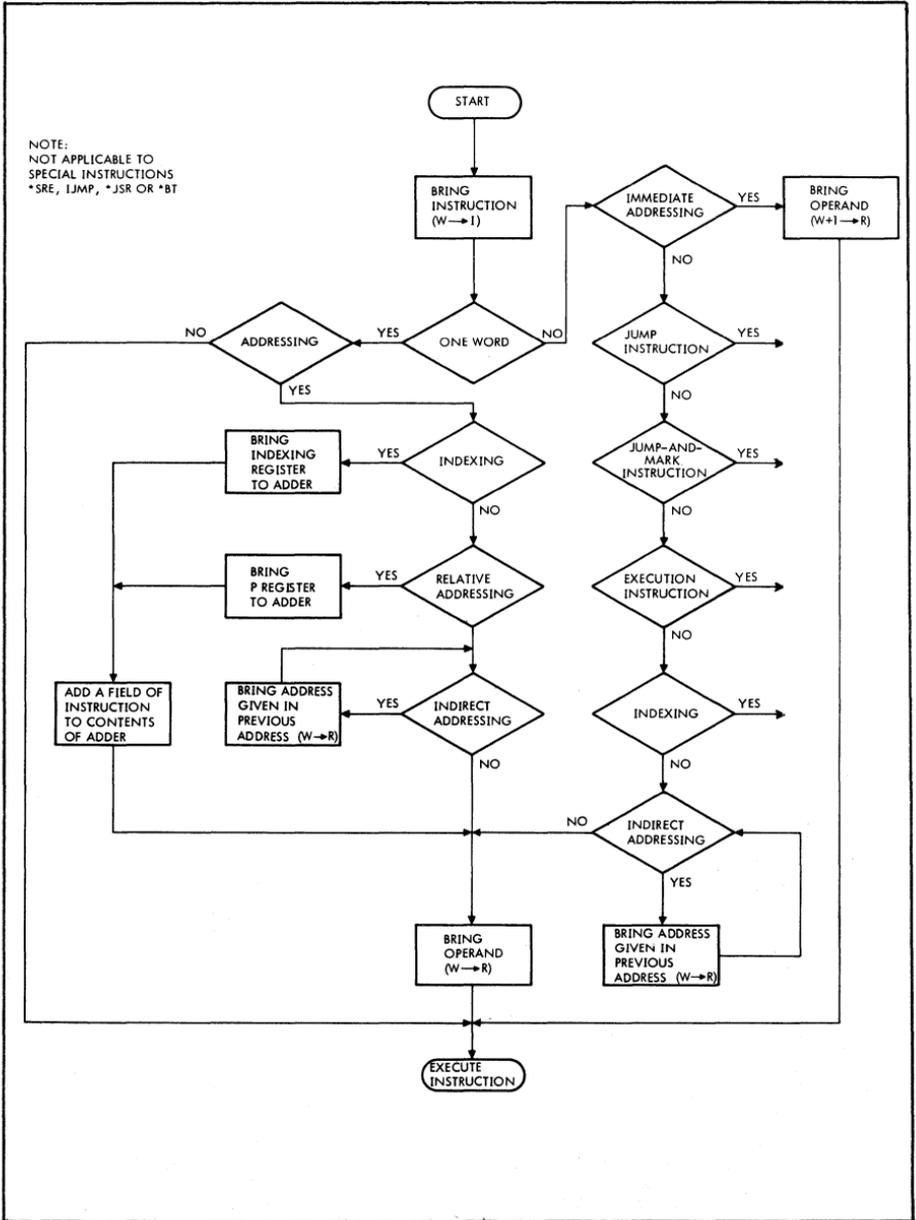


Figure 20-2. Instruction Processing, Simplified Flow

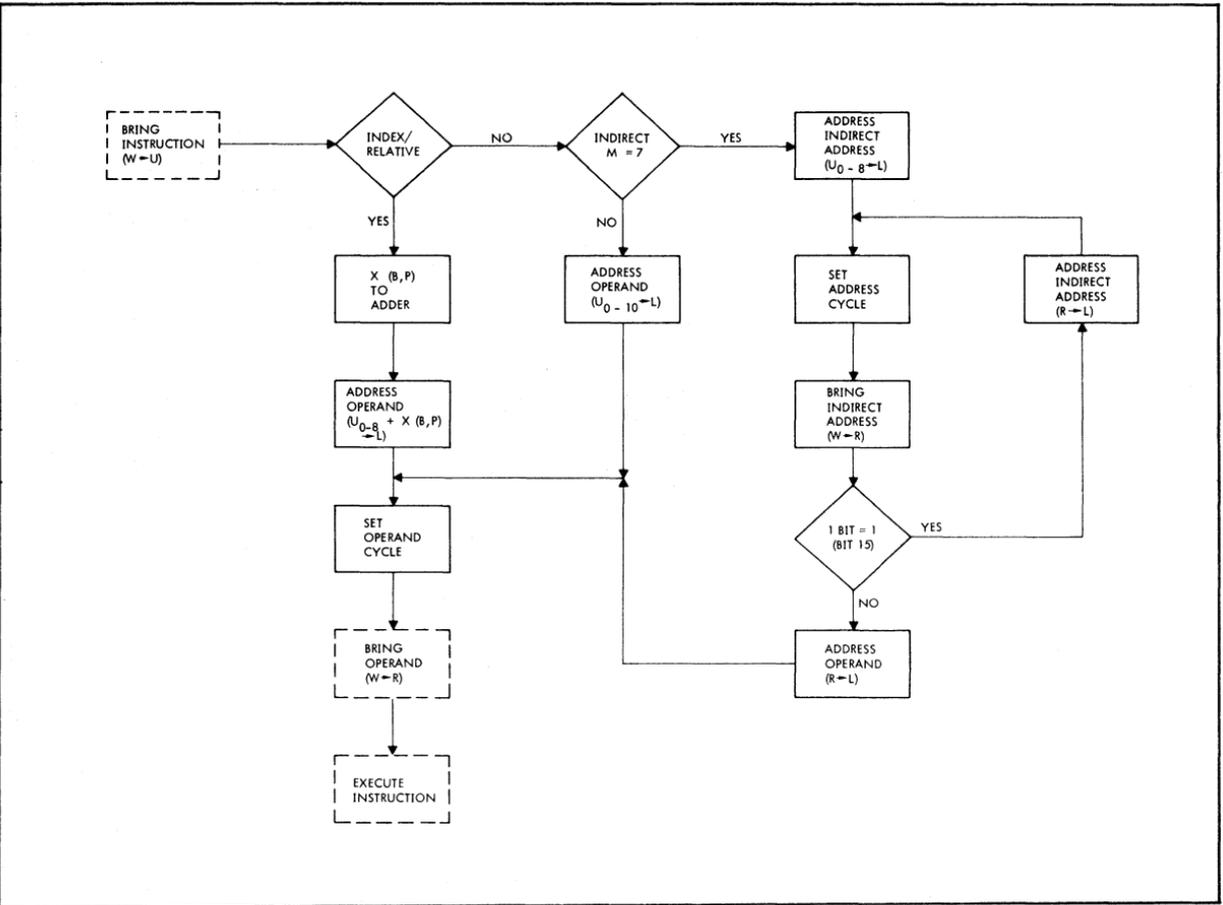


Figure 20-3. Single-Word-Address Instruction, Operand Addressing, General Flow

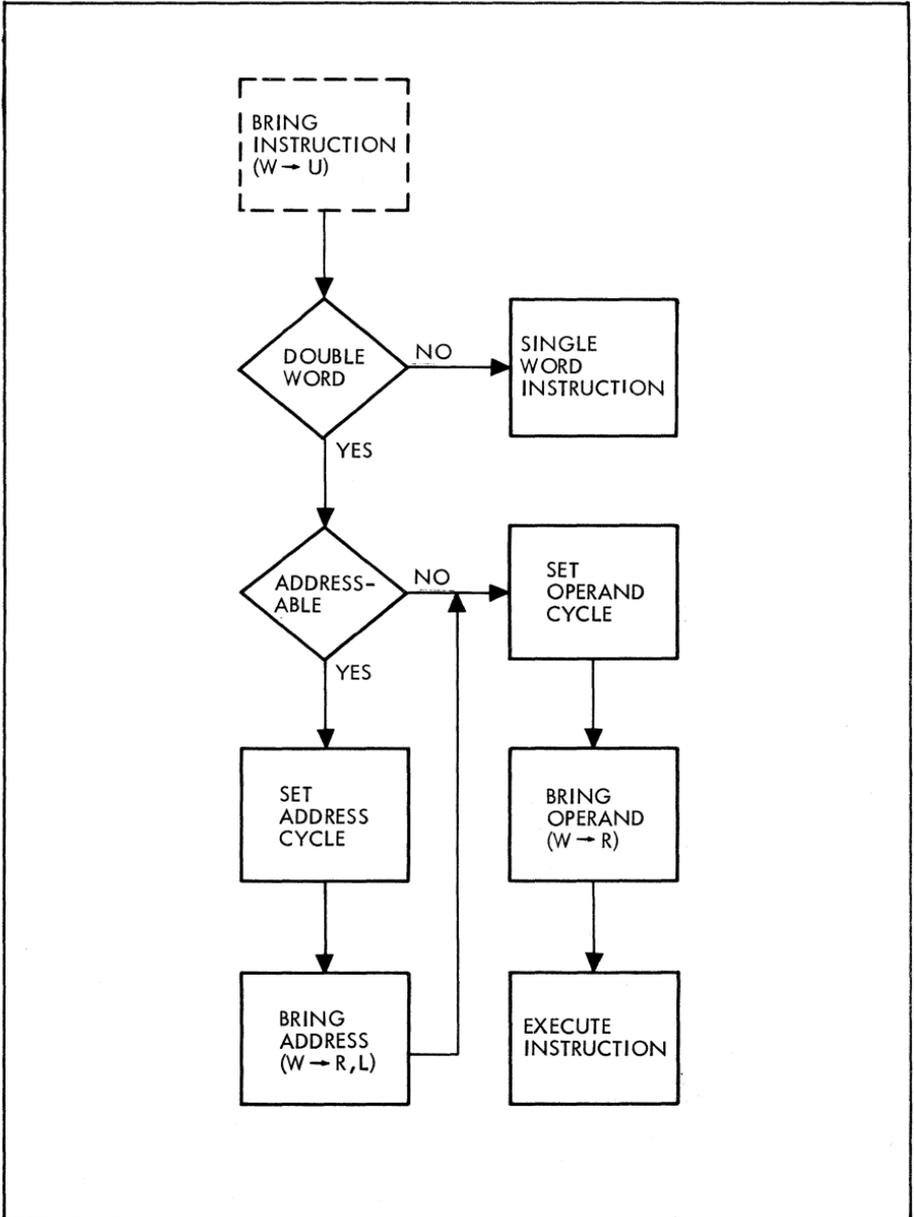


Figure 20-4. Double Word Instruction, General Flow

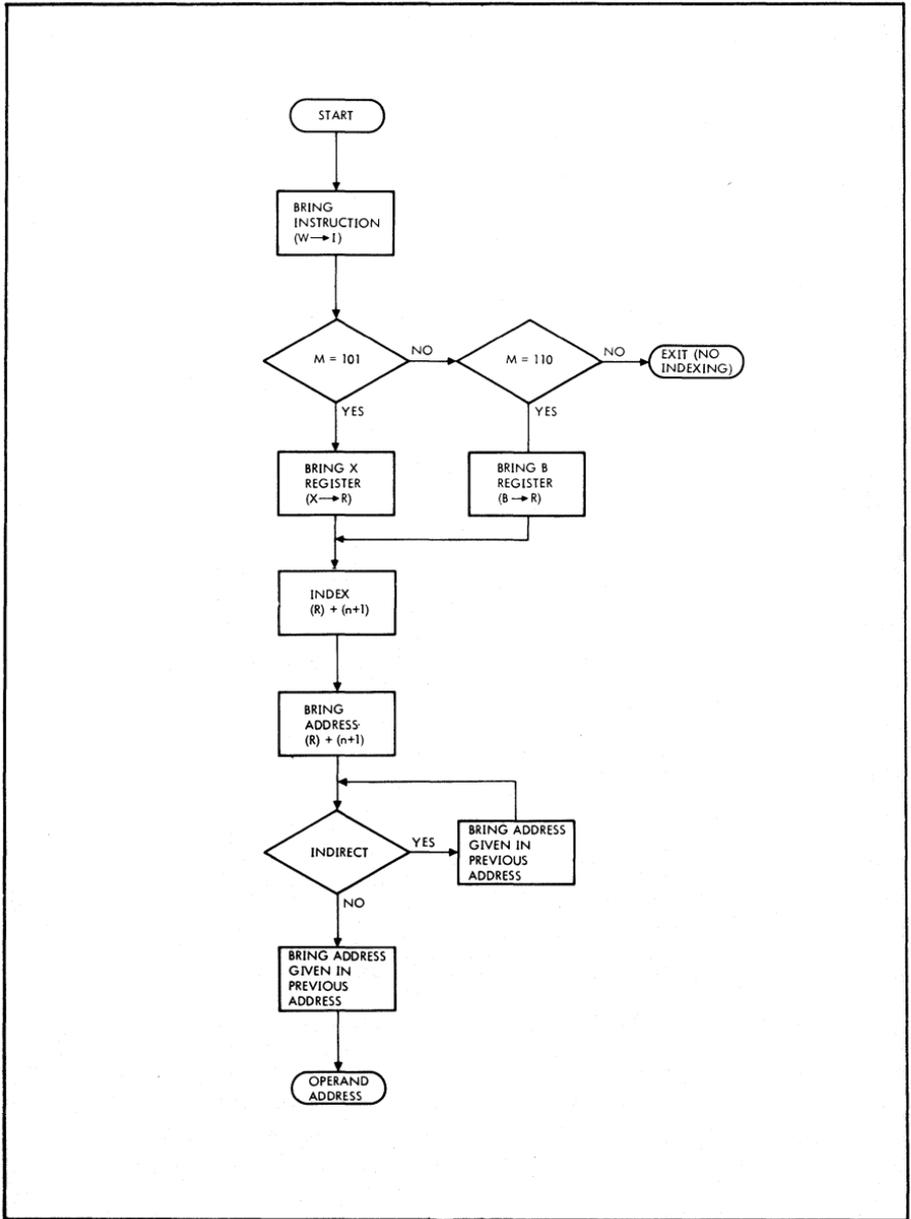


Figure 20-5. Indexing, General Flow

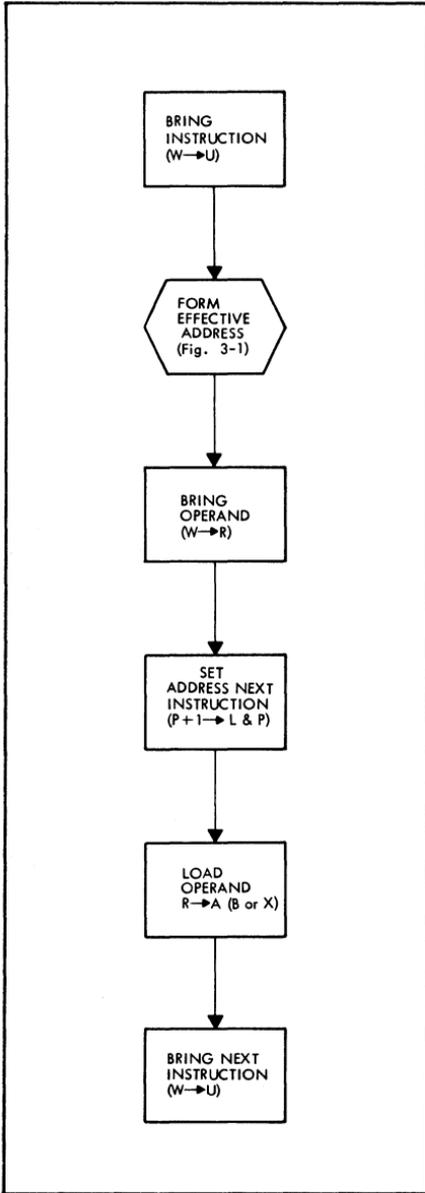


Figure 20-6. Load Type Instruction, General Flow

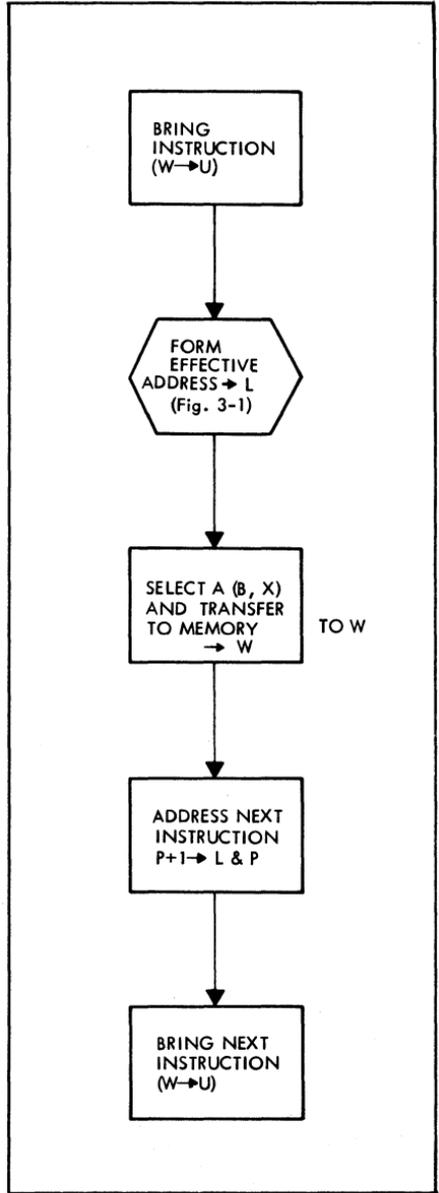


Figure 20-7. Store-Type Instruction, General Flow

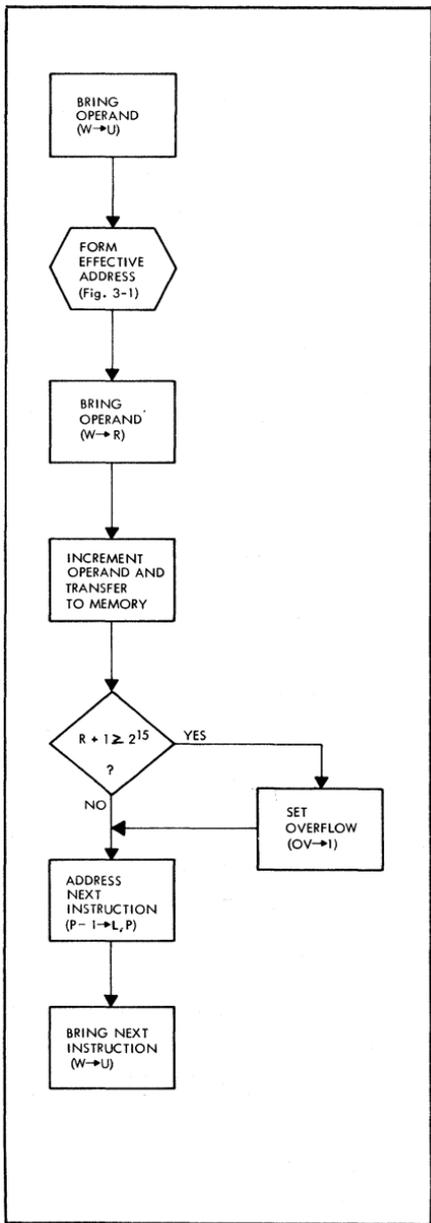


Figure 20-8. Increment Memory-and-Replace Instruction, General Flow

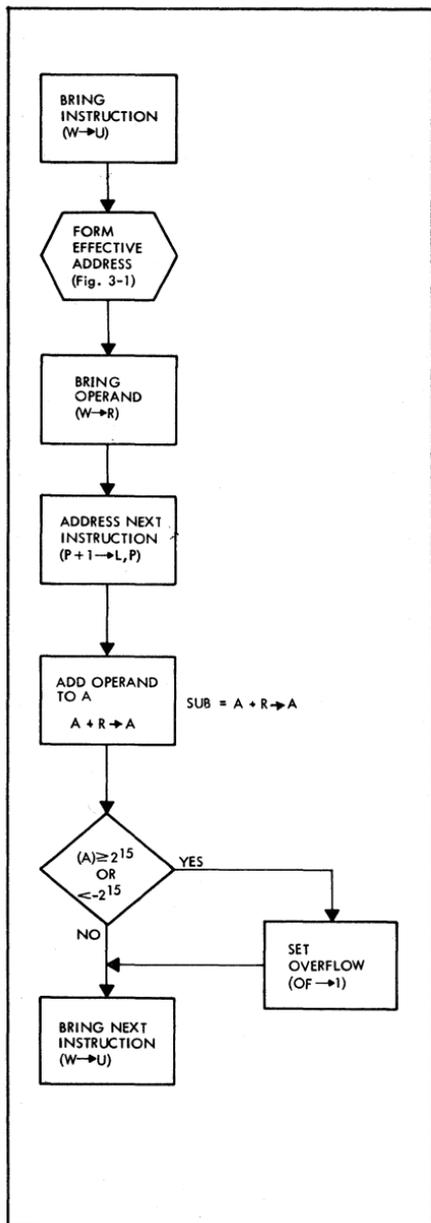


Figure 20-9. Add Instruction, General Flow

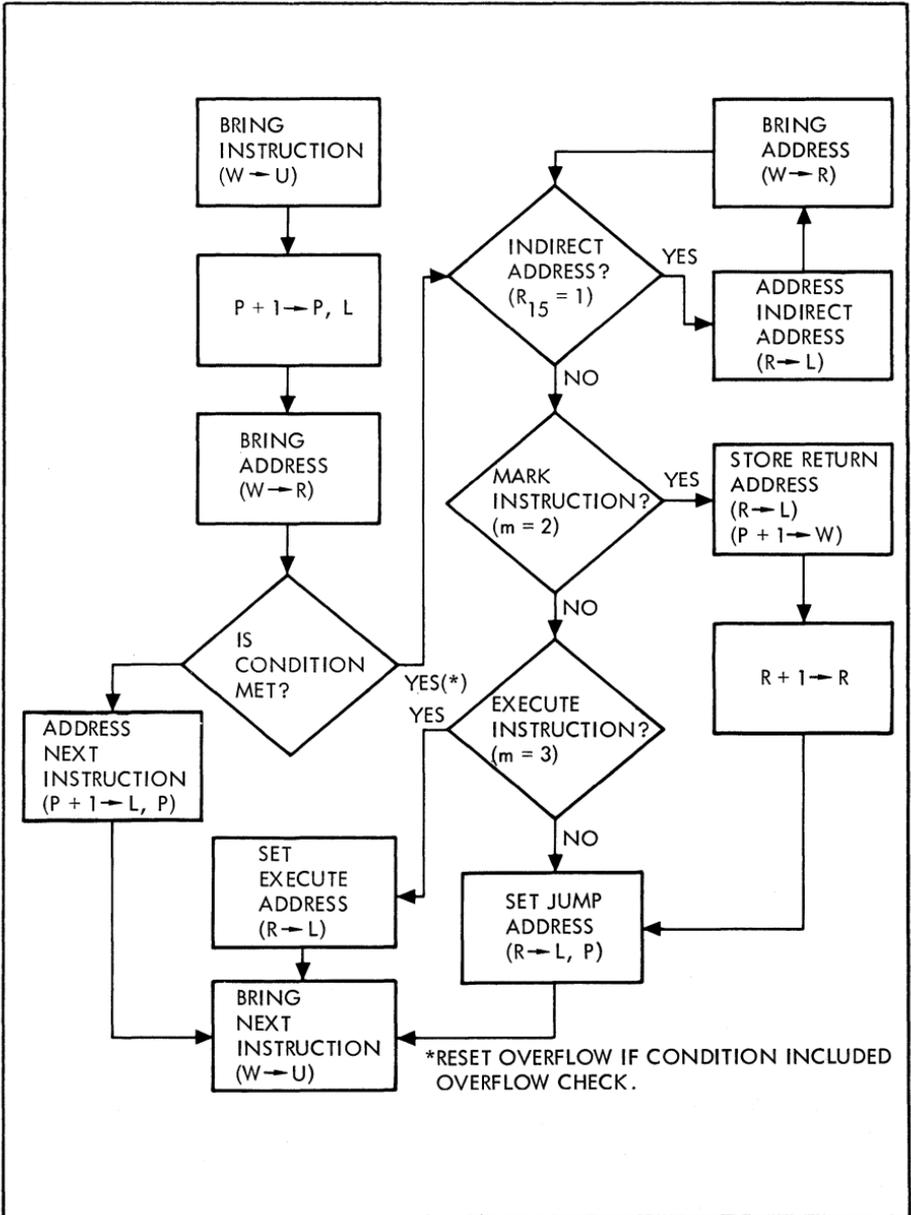


Figure 20-10. Sequence Change Instruction, General Flow

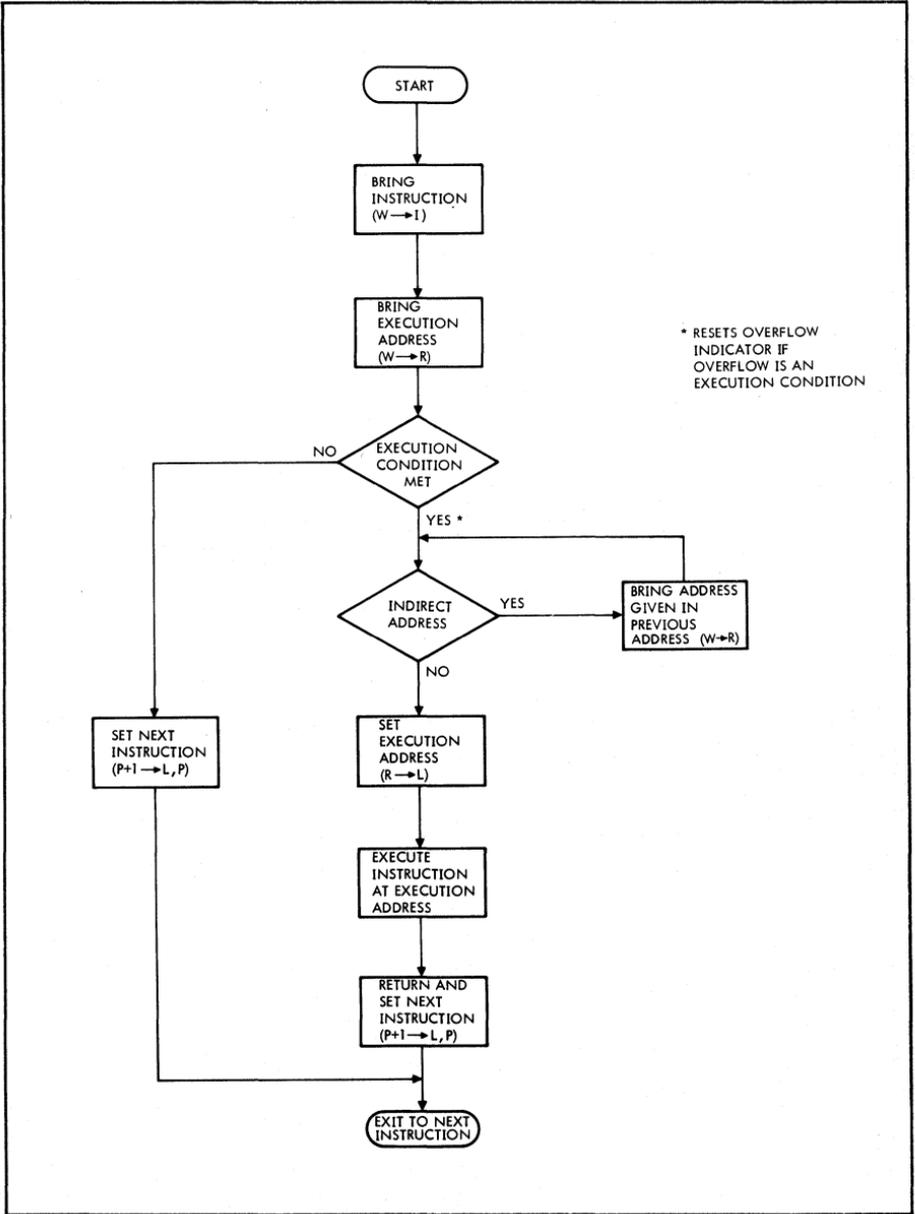


Figure 20-11. Execution Instruction, General Flow

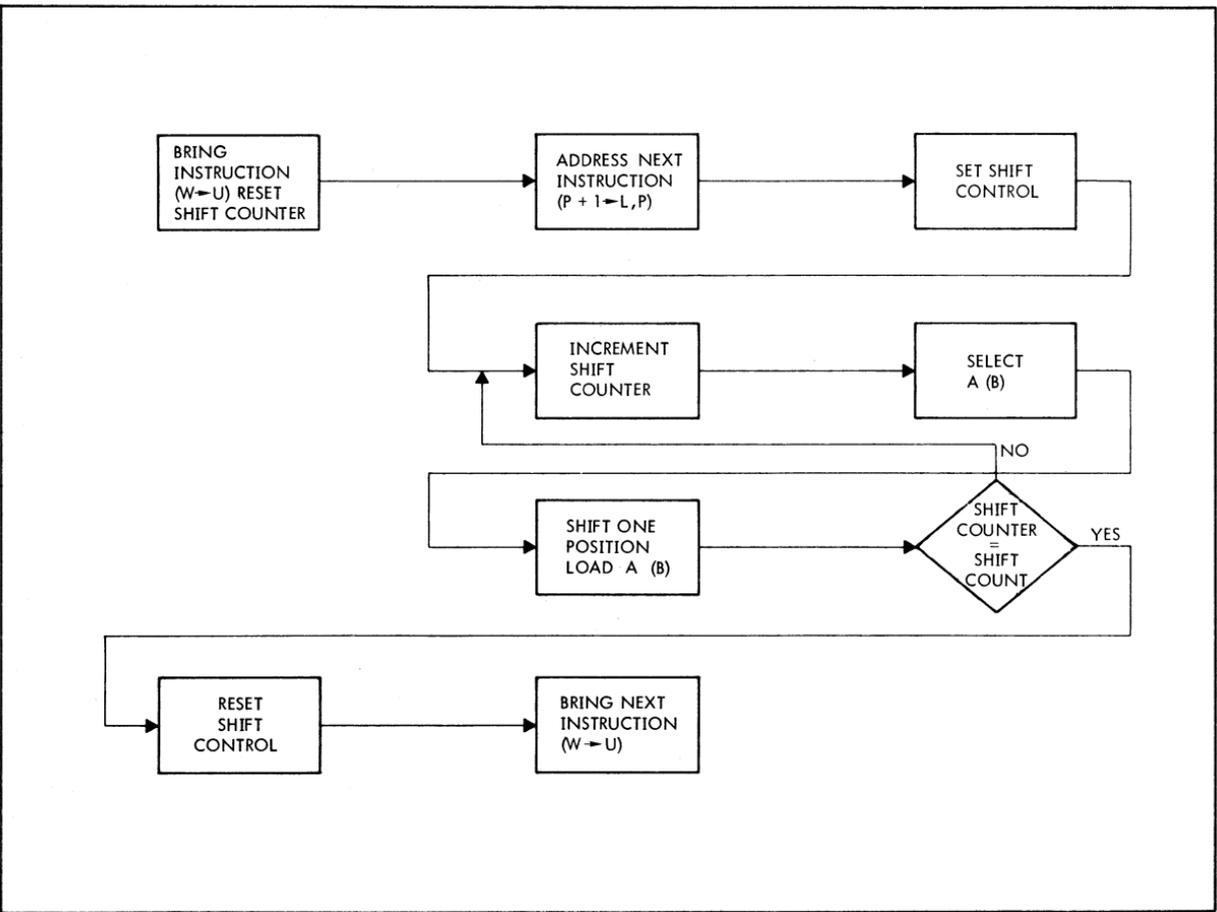


Figure 20-12. Single-Register Shift Instruction, General Flow

instruction flow charts

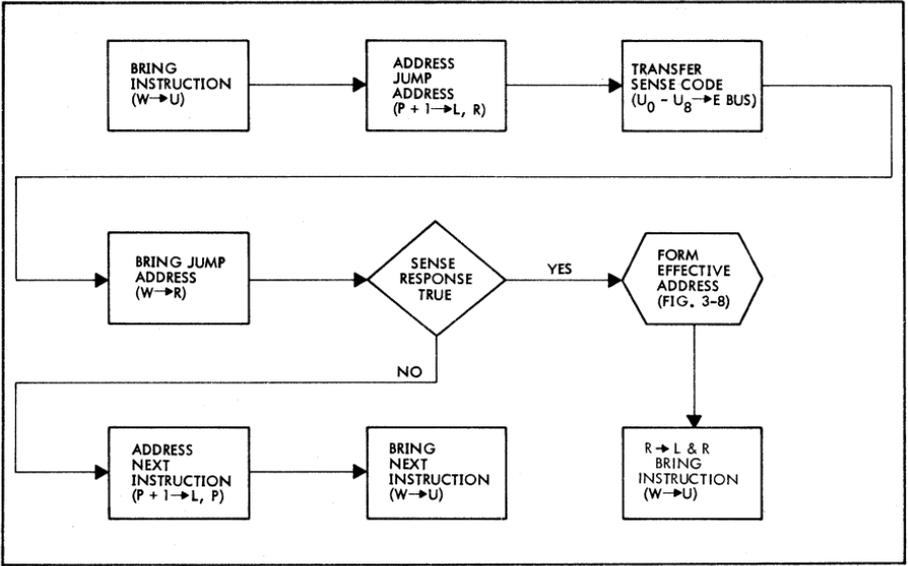


Figure 20-13. Sense Instruction, General Flow

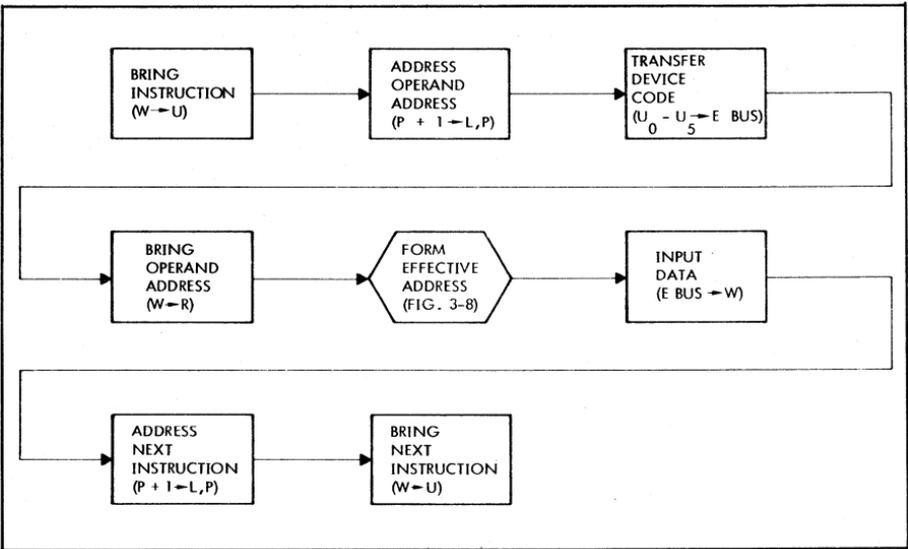


Figure 20-14. Input-to-Memory, General Flow

Mnemonic	Octal	Definition	Page
ADD	120000	Add to A Register	20-7
ADDE	006120	Add to A Register Extended	20-7
ADDI	006120	Add to A Register Immediate	20-7
ANA	150000	AND to A Register	20-14
ANAE	006150	AND to A Register Extended	20-14
ANAI	006150	AND to A Register Immediate	20-14
AOFA	005511	Add OF to A Register	20-37
AOFB	005522	Add OF to B Register	20-37
AOFX	005544	Add OF to X Register	20-37
ASLA	004200+n	Arithmetic Shift Left A n Places	20-31
ASLB	004000+n	Arithmetic Shift Left B n Places	20-32
ASRA	004300+n	Arithmetic Shift Right A n Places	20-31
ASRB	004100+n	Arithmetic Shift Right B n Places	20-32
CIA	102500	Clear and Input to A Register	20-40
CIAB	102700	Clear and Input to A and B	20-41
CIB	102600	Clear and Input to B Register	20-41
COMPL	005000	Complement Source to Destination	20-38
CPA	005211	Complement A Register	20-35
CPB	005222	Complement B Register	20-35

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Mnemonic	Octal	Definition	Page
CPX	005244	Complement X Register	20-35
DAR	005311	Decrement A Register	20-34
DBR	005322	Decrement B Register	20-34
DECR	005000	Decrement Source to Destination	20-38
DIV	170000	Divide AB Register	20-10
DIVE	006170	Divide AB Register Extended	20-10
DIVI	006170	Divide AB Register Immediate	20-10
DXR	005344	Decrement X Register	20-34
ERA	130000	Exclusive OR to A Register	20-13
ERAE	006130	Exclusive OR to A Register Extended	20-13
ERAI	006130	Exclusive OR to A Register Immediate	20-13
EXC	100000	External Control Function	20-40
HLT	000000	Halt	20-28
IAR	005111	Increment A Register	20-34
IBR	005122	Increment B Register	20-34
IME	102000	Input to Memory	20-43
INA	102100	Input to A Register	20-41
INAB	102300	Input to A and B Registers	20-42
INB	102200	Input to B Register	20-41
INCR	005000	Increment Source to Destination	20-38

Mnemonic	Octal	Definition	Page
INR	040000	Increment and Replace	20-6
INRE	006040	Increment and Replace Extended	20-6
INRI	006040	Increment and Replace Immediate	20-6
IXR	005144	Increment X Register	20-34
JAN	001004	Jump if A Register Negative	20-16
JANM	002004	Jump and Mark if A Register Negative	20-20
JAP	001002	Jump if A Register Positive	20-16
JAPM	002002	Jump and Mark if A Register Positive	20-20
JAZ	001010	Jump if A Register Zero	20-17
JAZM	002010	Jump and Mark if A Register Zero	20-21
JBZ	001020	Jump if B Register Zero	20-17
JBZM	002020	Jump and Mark if B Register Zero	20-21
JIF	001000	Jump if Combined Conditions	20-18
JIFM	002000	Jump and Mark if Combined Conditions	20-22
JMP	001000	Jump Unconditionally	20-16
JMPM	002000	Jump and Mark Unconditionally	20-20
JOF	001001	Jump if Overflow On	20-16
JOFM	002001	Jump and Mark if Overflow On	20-20
JS1M	002100	Jump and Mark if Sense Switch 1 On	20-21
JS2M	002200	Jump and Mark if Sense Switch 2 On	20-22

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Mnemonic	Octal	Definition	Page
JS3M	002400	Jump and Mark if Sense Switch 3 On	20-22
JSS1	001100	Jump if Sense Switch 1 On	20-17
JSS2	001200	Jump if Sense Switch 2 On	20-18
JSS3	001400	Jump if Sense Switch 3 On	20-18
JXZ	001040	Jump X Register Zero	20-17
JXZM	002040	Jump and Mark X Zero	20-21
LASL	004400+n	Long Arithmetic Shift Left n Places	20-32
LASR	004500+n	Long Arithmetic Shift Right n Places	20-32
LDA	010000	Load A Register	20-2
LDAE	006010	Load A Register Extended	20-2
LDAI	006010	Load A Register Immediate	20-2
LDB	020000	Load B Register	20-2
LDBE	006020	Load B Register Extended	20-2
LDBI	006020	Load B Register Immediate	20-2
LDX	030000	Load X Register	20-3
LDXE	006030	Load X Register Extended	20-3
LDXI	006030	Load X Register Immediate	20-3
LLRL	004440+n	Long Logical Rotate Left n Places	20-31
LLSR	004540+n	Long Logical Shift Right n Places	20-31

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Mnemonic	Octal	Definition	Page
LRLA	004240+n	Logical Rotate Left A n Places	20-30
LRLB	004040+n	Logical Rotate Left B n Places	20-30
LSRA	004340+n	Logical Shift Right A n Places	20-30
LSRB	004140+n	Logical Shift Right B n Places	20-30
MERGE	005000	Merge Source to Destination	20-38
MUL	160000	Multiply B Register	20-9
MULE	006160	Multiply B Register Extended	20-9
MULI	006160	Multiply B Register Immediate	20-9
NOP	005000	No Operation	20-28
OAB	103300	Output OR of A and B Registers	20-42
OAR	103100	Output from A Register	20-42
OBR	103200	Output from B Register	20-42
OME	103000	Output from Memory	20-43
ORA	110000	Inclusive OR to A Register	20-12
ORAE	006110	Inclusive OR to A Register Extended	20-12
ORAI	006110	Inclusive OR to A Register Immediate	20-12
ROF	007400	Reset Overflow	20-28
SEN	101000	Sense Input/Output Lines	20-40
SOF	007401	Set Overflow	20-28

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Mnemonic	Octal	Definition	Page
SOFA	005711	Subtract OFLO from A Register	20-37
SOFB	005722	Subtract OFLO from B Register	20-37
SOFX	005744	Subtract OFLO from X Register	20-37
STA	050000	Store A Register	20-3
STAE	006050	Store A Register Extended	20-3
STAI	006050	Store A Register Immediate	20-3
STB	060000	Store B Register	20-4
STBE	006060	Store B Register Extended	20-4
STBI	006060	Store B Register Immediate	20-4
STX	070000	Store X Register	20-4
STXE	006070	Store X Register Extended	20-4
STXI	006070	Store X Register Immediate	20-4
SUB	140000	Subtract from A Register	20-8
SUBE	006140	Subtract from A Register Extended	20-8
SUBI	006140	Subtract from A Register Immediate	20-8
TAB	005012	Transfer A to B Register	20-35
TAX	005014	Transfer A to X Register	20-35
TBA	005021	Transfer B to A Register	20-35

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Mnemonic	Octal	Definition	Page
TBX	005024	Transfer B to X Register	20-35
TXA	005041	Transfer X to A Register	20-36
TXB	005042	Transfer X to B Register	20-36
TZA	005001	Transfer Zero to A Register	20-36
TZB	005002	Transfer Zero to B Register	20-36
TZX	005004	Transfer Zero to X Register	20-36
XAN	003004	Execute A Register Negative	20-24
XAP	003002	Execute A Register Positive	20-24
XAZ	003010	Execute A Register Zero	20-25
XBZ	003020	Execute B Register Zero	20-25
XEC	003000	Execute Unconditionally	20-24
XIF	003000	Execute if Combined Conditions	20-26
XOF	003001	Execute Overflow Set	20-24
XS1	003100	Execute SENSE Switch 1 Set	20-25
XS2	003200	Execute SENSE Switch 2 Set	20-26
XS3	003400	Execute SENSE Switch 3 Set	20-26
XXZ	003040	Execute X Register Zero	20-25
ZERC	005000	Zero Register	20-39

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Octal	Mnemonic	Definition	Page
000000	HLT	Halt	20-28
001000	JIF	Jump if Combined Conditions	20-18
001000	JMP	Jump Unconditionally	20-16
001001	JOF	Jump if Overflow On	20-16
001002	JAP	Jump if A Register Positive	20-16
001004	JAN	Jump if A Register Negative	20-16
001010	JAZ	Jump if A Register Zero	20-17
001020	JBZ	Jump if B Register Zero	20-17
001040	JXZ	Jump X Register Zero	20-17
001100	JSS1	Jump if Sense Switch 1 On	20-17
001200	JSS2	Jump if Sense Switch 2 On	20-18
001400	JSS3	Jump if Sense Switch 3 On	20-18
002000	JIFM	Jump and Mark if Combined Conditions	20-22
002000	JMPM	Jump and Mark Unconditionally	20-20
002001	JOFM	Jump and Mark if Overflow On	20-20
002002	JAPM	Jump and Mark if A Register Positive	20-20
002004	JANM	Jump and Mark if A Register Negative	20-20
002010	JAZM	Jump and Mark if A Register Zero	20-21
002020	JBZM	Jump and Mark if B Register Zero	20-21
002040	JXZM	Jump and Mark X Zero	20-21

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Octal	Mnemonic	Defintion	Page
002100	JS1M	Jump and Mark if Sense Switch 1 On	20-21
002200	JS2M	Jump and Mark if Sense Switch 2 On	20-22
002400	JS3M	Jump and Mark if Sense Switch 3 On	20-22
003000	XEC	Execute Unconditionally	20-24
003000	XIF	Execute if Combined Conditions	20-26
003001	XOF	Execute Overflow Set	20-24
003002	XAP	Execute A Register Positive	20-24
003004	XAN	Execute A Register Negative	20-24
003010	XAZ	Execute A Register Zero	20-25
003020	XBZ	Execute B Register Zero	20-25
003040	XXZ	Execute X Register Zero	20-25
003100	XS1	Execute SENSE Switch 1 Set	20-25
003200	XS2	Execute SENSE Switch 2 Set	20-26
003400	XS3	Execute SENSE Switch 3 Set	20-26
004000+n	ASLB	Arithmetic Shift Left B n Places	20-32
004040+n	LRLB	Logical Rotate Left B n Places	20-30
004100+n	ASRB	Arithmetic Shift Right B n Places	20-32
004140+n	LSRB	Logical Shift Right B n Places	20-30
004200+n	ASLA	Arithmetic Shift Left A n Places	20-31

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Octal	Mnemonic	Definition	Page
004240+n	LRLA	Logical Rotate Left A n Places	20-30
004300+n	ASRA	Arithmetic Shift Right A n Places	20-31
004340+n	LSRA	Logical Shift Right A n Places	20-30
004400+n	LASL	Long Arithmetic Shift Left n Places	20-32
004440+n	LLRL	Long Logical Rotate Left n Places	20-31
004500+n	LASR	Long Arithmetic Shift Right n Places	20-32
004540+n	LLSR	Long Logical Shift Right n Places	20-31
005000	COMPL	Complement Source to Destination	20-38
005000	DECR	Decrement Source to Destination	20-38
005000	INCR	Increment Source to Destination	20-38
005000	MERGE	Merge Source to Destination	20-38
005000	NOP	No Operation	20-28
005000	ZERO	Zero Register	20-39
005001	TZA	Transfer Zero to A Register	20-36
005002	TZB	Transfer Zero to B Register	20-36
005004	TZX	Transfer Zero to X Register	20-36
005012	TAB	Transfer A to B Register	20-35
005014	TAX	Transfer A to X Register	20-35
005021	TBA	Transfer B to A Register	20-35
005024	TBX	Transfer B to X Register	20-35

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Octal	Mnemonic	Definition	Page
005041	TXA	Transfer X to A Register	20-36
005042	TXB	Transfer X to B Register	20-36
005111	IAR	Increment A Register	20-34
005122	IBR	Increment B Register	20-34
005144	IXR	Increment X Register	20-34
005211	CPA	Complement A Register	20-35
005222	CPB	Complement B Register	20-35
005244	CPX	Complement X Register	20-35
005311	DAR	Decrement A Register	20-34
005322	DBR	Decrement B Register	20-34
005344	DXR	Decrement X Register	20-34
005511	AOFA	Add OF to A Register	20-37
005522	AOFB	Add OF to B Register	20-37
005544	AOFX	Add OF to X Register	20-37
005711	SOFA	Subtract OFLO from A Register	20-37
005722	SOFB	Subtract OFLO from B Register	20-37
005744	SOFX	Subtract OFLO from X Register	20-37
006010	LDAE	Load A Register Extended	20-2
006010	LDAI	Load A Register Immediate	20-2
006020	LDBE	Load B Register Extended	20-2
006020	LDBI	Load B Register Immediate	20-2

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Octal	Mnemonic	Definition	Page
006030	LDXE	Load X Register Extended	20-3
006030	LDXI	Load X Register Immediate	20-3
006040	INRE	Increment and Replace Extended	20-6
006040	INRI	Increment and Replace Immediate	20-6
006050	STAE	Store A Register Extended	20-3
006050	STAI	Store A Register Immediate	20-3
006060	STBE	Store B Register Extended	20-4
006060	STBI	Store B Register Immediate	20-4
006070	STXE	Store X Register Extended	20-4
006070	STXI	Store X Register Immediate	20-4
006110	ORAE	Inclusive OR to A Register Extended	20-12
006110	ORAI	Inclusive OR to A Register Immediate	20-12
006120	ADDE	Add to A Register Extended	20-7
006120	ADDI	Add to A Register Immediate	20-7
006130	ERAE	Exclusive OR to A Register Extended	20-13
006130	ERAI	Exclusive OR to A Register Immediate	20-13
006140	SUBE	Subtract from A Register Extended	20-8
006140	SUBI	Subtract from A Register Immediate	20-8
006150	ANAE	AND to A Register Extended	20-14
006150	ANAI	AND to A Register Immediate	20-14

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Octal	Mnemonic	Definition	Page
006160	MULE	Multiply B Register Extended	20-9
006160	MULI	Multiply B Register Immediate	20-9
006170	DIVE	Divide AB Register Extended	20-10
006170	DIVI	Divide AB Register Immediate	20-10
007400	ROF	Reset Overflow	20-28
007401	SOF	Set Overflow	20-28
010000	LDA	Load A Register	20-2
020000	LDB	Load B Register	20-2
030000	LDX	Load X Register	20-3
040000	INR	Increment and Replace	20-6
050000	STA	Store A Register	20-3
060000	STB	Store B Register	20-4
070000	STX	Store X Register	20-4
100000	EXC	External Control Function	20-40
101000	SEN	Sense Input/Output Lines	20-40
102000	IME	Input to Memory	20-43
102100	INA	Input to A Register	20-41
102200	INB	Input to B Register	20-41

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Octal	Mnemonic	Definition	Page
102300	INAB	Input to A and B Registers	20-42
102500	CIA	Clear and Input to A Register	20-40
102600	CIB	Clear and Input to B Register	20-41
102700	CIAB	Clear and Input to A and B	20-41
103000	OME	Output from Memory	20-43
103100	OAR	Output from A Register	20-42
103200	OBR	Output from B Register	20-42
103300	OAB	Output OR of A and B Registers	20-42
110000	ORA	Inclusive OR to A Register	20-12
120000	ADD	Add to A Register	20-7
130000	ERA	Exclusive OR to A Register	20-13
140000	SUB	Subtract from A Register	20-8
150000	ANA	AND to A Register	20-14
160000	MUL	Multiply B Register	20-9
170000	DIV	Divide AB Register	20-10

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SECTION 21 – VARIAN DAS ASSEMBLERS

The Varian 620/L assembler language (DAS) specifies instructions, addresses, address modifications, and constants in a straightforward and meaningful manner. Instruction mnemonics replace the usual numerical codes. Memory addresses can be referenced symbolically, thus offering a flexibility not attainable with absolute addressing. Constants can be used without conversion to binary or octal values. For ease in checkout and documentation, comments can be added between symbolic statements, or appended to the statements themselves.

DAS coding reduces machine language bookkeeping without compromising full utilization of the computer.

DAS 4A operates in a Varian 620/L minimum-configuration system comprising the computer, 4K memory, and an on-line Teletype (TTY). DAS 8A requires 8K memory, and can use and enhance additional system components, e.g., magnetic or paper tape equipment, card equipment, additional memory, line printer, etc. DAS MR operates under control of the Varian Master Operating System (MOS).

DAS translates symbolically coded instructions and data (source program) into binary instructions and data (object program). Except for certain assembler directives, each source statement generates one computer word.

The DAS Character Set

The DAS character set comprises:

a. Alphabetical characters

ABCDEFGHIJKLMN OPQRSTU-
VWXYZ\$

b. Numerical characters

0123456789

c. TTY characters

CR (carriage return)
LF (line feed)

d. Special characters

+ (plus sign)
- (minus sign)
* (asterisk)
/ (slash)
. (period)
(blank)
@ (at sign)
[(left bracket)
] (right bracket)
< (less-than)
> (greater-than)
↑ (up arrow)
← (left arrow)
? (question mark)
= (equal sign)
, (comma)
' (prime)
((left parenthesis)
) (right parenthesis)
\ (back slash)
! (exclamation point)
" (quotation mark)
(pound sign)

DAS statement format

%	(percent sign)
&	(ampersand)
:	(colon)
;	(semicolon)

Statement Format

Each DAS source statement comprises a combination of label, operation, variable, and comment fields depending on the requirements of the instruction or directive.

Label Field

Symbols in the label field comprise one to four alphanumeric characters for the DAS 4A and DAS 8A assemblers and from one to six such characters for the DAS MR assembler. In any case, the first character is alphabetical. While only the given number of characters are recognized by the assembler, additional characters can be added.

Symbols are usually attached only to those source statements referenced elsewhere in the program, but this is not mandatory.

Operation Field

This field contains mnemonics for computer instructions and assembler directives. An asterisk following the mnemonic indicates indirect addressing. The mnemonics can be redefined with OPSY directives.

Variable Field

The purpose of this field varies according to the requirements of the operation. The variable field can consist of a symbol, a constant, or an expression combining symbols and constants. Expressions in DAS are similar to arithmetic expressions except that parentheses do not appear. The variable field can contain the following operators: + (addition), - (subtraction), * (multiplication), and ÷ (division).

Arithmetic operations always involve all 16 bits of the words. Operations are performed from left to right, with multiplication and division being performed before addition and subtraction. Thus, $A + B/C * D$ in DAS is equivalent to $A + (B/C) * D$ in conventional notation.

Use of the asterisk in the first position of the variable field gives access to the current value of the location counter. Such an asterisk immediately precedes another operator and is the only case of two adjacent operators permitted in DAS. This asterisk is translated as the current value of the location counter, i.e., * + 1 means the current value of the location counter plus one.

DAS constants are described in the following sections, wherein unsigned numbers are considered positive. DAS recognizes decimal and octal integers; floating-point numbers; alpha, address, and indirect constants; and literals.

A decimal integer is a signed or unsigned string of from one to six decimal digits, the first of which is not zero.

Examples:

1	29	-3	-9000
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An octal integer is a signed or unsigned string of from one to seven octal digits, the first of which is zero.

Examples:

07	-044	+022745
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A floating-point number has the form:

)± integer.fractionE± exponent

where the right parenthesis, at least one digit, and the decimal point are always present. Other items in the format are optional.

Examples:

)375.64E + 7	)9.E -2, .1E + 12
) -4. + 20	

An **alpha constant** is a string of characters within primes (''). Internally, it is represented in eight-bit ASCII code. Each memory address can contain two characters, where blanks are also recognized as characters. In the DAS 4A and DAS 8A assemblers, an alpha constant can be a term in an arithmetic expression. However, if more than one word is generated by the constant, only the last word generated is subject to arithmetic manipulation.

Examples:

'A'*04000	'AB' + 1	'ABCD' + 011
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where, in the last example, two words are generated and 011 added to the second word.

An **address constant** is a symbol, number, or expression enclosed in parentheses. It generates a 15-bit direct address (bit 15 = 0).

Examples:

(a + 2)	(3)	(a)
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where a is an address symbol whose value is taken from the symbol table.

An **indirect address constant** is an address constant followed by an asterisk. It generates a 15-bit indirect address (bit 15 = 1).

Examples:

(a + 2)*	(3)*	(a)*
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where a is an address symbol whose value is taken from the symbol table.

A **literal** comprises any format of a one-

word constant preceded by an equal sign. Where more than one literal is present, they are separated by commas.

Examples:

=3	=+3	=-044	=(a + 2)*
='A',	='GO'		

Literals permit reference to a constant in the variable field where the assembler generates the data and assigns memory addresses. Even where a literal is used many times, only one memory address is assigned for each literal. Note that the expressions reflect the values assigned to the symbols rather than the contents of the memory addresses referenced by the symbols.

Comments Field

The comments field is separated from the variable field by at least one blank. It is used for any desired comments and is ignored by the assemblers.

Modes of Symbols and Expressions

Each symbol or expression has one of the modes external (E), common (C), relative (R), or absolute (A), assigned by the assembler. The mode of an expression is determined by the mode of the symbols in the expression.

The mode of a symbol is determined by the following rules:

- If the symbol is an EXT directive, the mode is E.
- If the symbol is defined by a COMN directive, the mode is C.
- If the symbol is a symbol in a program, or if * is the current location counter value, the mode is R.

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- d. If the symbol is a number (numerical constant), the mode is A.
- e. If the symbol is defined by EQU, SET, or similar directive, the mode of the symbol is that of the variable field expression in the directive.

The mode of an expression is determined by the following rules:

- a. If the expression contains any mode E or C symbol, the expression is mode E.
- b. If the expression contains only mode A symbols, the expression is mode A.
- c. If the expression contains mode A and R symbols, the mode of the expression is R if there is an odd number of mode R symbols. Otherwise, the mode of the expression is A.

The following restrictions apply only to DAS MR and to FORTRAN-compatible output assembly within DAS 8A.

- a. No expression can contain symbols of both modes E and C.
- b. A mode E expression comprises a single mode E symbol.
- c. No mode E, C, or R expression can multiply or divide a mode E or C symbol.
- d. No expression can add or subtract a mode C and a mode R symbol, or a mode E and a mode R symbol.
- e. No expression can add two or more mode E, C, or R symbols.
- f. A mode A symbol can be added to or subtracted from a mode C or R symbol.

Figure 21-1 illustrates the above rules.

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DAS assemblers recognize all Varian 620 instructions, even when the system lacks the

EEEE	EXT		EEEE defined as type E
CCCC	COMN	6	CCCC defined as type C
RTN	ENTR		RTN is type R, a symbol
TBL	BSS	50	TBL is type R
ABL	BSS	'A' + 5	ABL is type R
LENG	EQU	*-TBL	LENG is type A, length of area
	CALL		EEEE, TBL, LENG
	LDA	* + 6	OK, relative forward
	LDA	CCCC + 6	Illegal, one word inst, not R or A
	LDXI	CCCC + 6	OK, two word instruction
	LDA	0, 1	Get CCCC + 6 to A, legal
	DATA	EEEE + 4	Illegal, value not zero
	DATA	CCCC + 4	Legal
	DATA	CCCC + LENG	Legal
	DATA	TBL + LENG - 5	Legal, mode is R

Figure 21-1. Manipulation of Expression and Symbol Modes

hardware for execution. The programmer is responsible for knowing the instructions applicable to his system.

All DAS assembler instructions have the format:

- label field
- operation field
- variable field

where the label field is optional and contains a symbol when used, the operation field contains the instruction mnemonic, and the variable field contains one, two, or three expressions. Where there are two or three expressions, they are separated by commas.

Assembler instructions are of five types described below and in Figure 21-2. Figure 21-3 lists the instruction mnemonics by type.

Addressing

If an address lower than 2048 is specified without indirect addressing, the assembler

generates an instruction with direct addressing.

If indexing is specified, the assembler generates an indexed instruction.

If the address specified is 1 to 512 words (inclusive) beyond the current instruction, the assembler generates an instruction with relative addressing.

If indirect addressing with a data address lower than 512 is specified, the assembler generates an instruction with indirect addressing and the specified address.

In all other cases, including indirect addressing with an address higher than 511, the assembler generates an instruction with indirect addressing and the specified address, stores the address in a table, and inserts the storage address in the referencing instruction. Duplicate values in the table are discarded.

Instruction Types

Figure 21-2 gives the characteristics of the

	Type 1	Type 2	Type 3	Type 4	Type 5
Words generated	1	2	2	1	2
Expressions in the Variable field	1 or 2	1	2	1	1 to 3
Memory addressing	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes
Indirect addressing	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes
Indexing	Yes	No	No	No	Yes
Condition micro-coding	No	No	Yes	Yes	No

Figure 21-2. Characteristics of Assembler Instruction Types

DAS instructions

Type 1	Type 2	Type 3	Type 4	Type 5		
ADD	ADDI	JS3NM	IME	AOFA	LRLB	ADDE
ANA	ANAI	JXZ	JIF	AOFB	LSRA	ANAE
DIV	DIVI	JXZM	JIFM	AOFX	LSRB	DIVE
ERA	ERAI	LDAI	JMIF	ASLA	MERG	ERAE
INR	INRI	LDBI	OME	ASLB	NOP	INRE
LDA	JAN	LDXI	SEN	ASRA	OAB	LDAE
LDB	JANM	MULI	XIF	ASRB	OAR	LDBE
LDX	JANZ	ORAI		CIA	OBR	LDXE
MUL	JANZM	STAI		CIAB	ROF	MULE
ORA	JAP	STBI		CIB	SEL	ORAE
STA	JAPM	STXI		COMP	SEL2	STAE
STB	JAZ	SUBI		CPA	SOF	STBE
STX	JAZM	XAN		CPB	SOFA	STXE
SUB	JBZ	XANZ		CPX	SOFB	SUBE
	JBZM	XAP		DAR	OSFX	
	JMP	XAZ		DBR	TAB	
	JMPM	XBNZ		DECR	TAX	
	JOF	XBZ		DXR	TBA	
	JOFM	XEC		EXC	TBX	
	JOFN	XOF		EXC2	TXA	
	JOFNM	XOFN		HLT	TXB	
	JSS1	XS1		IAR	TZA	
	JSS2	XS1N		IBR	TZB	
	JSS3	XS2		INA	TZX	
	JS1M	XS2N		INAB	ZERO	
	JS1NM	XS3		INB		
	JS2M	X33N		INCR		
	JS2NM	XXNZ		IXR		
	JS3M	XXZ		LASL		
				LASR		
				LLRL		
				LLSR		
				LRLA		

Figure 21-3. Assembler Instructions by Type

types of assembler instructions and Figure 21-3 lists the instructions by type.

A type 1 instruction occupies one computer word and is memory-addressing.

Indirect addressing is specified by an asterisk after the mnemonic or after a

variable field in parentheses.

Examples:

LDA*	expression
LDA	(expression)*

Indexing is specified by a variable field

having two expressions. The first is the indexing increment and is less than 512. The second specifies the indexing register where one is the X register and two is the B register.

Example:

LDA	300,1
-----	-------

loads the A register with the contents of the memory address specified by the sum of the contents of the X register plus 300. Thus, if the X register contains 200, the operand for this instruction is in memory address 500 (300 + 200).

A type 2 instruction occupies two consecutive computer words and is memory-addressing. The second word is the address of a jump, jump-and-mark, or execution instruction; or the second word of an immediate instruction. The variable field contains only one expression.

Indirect addressing is specified as with an assembler type 1 instruction. There is no indexing with assembler type 2 instructions.

A type 3 instruction occupies two consecutive computer words and is memory-addressing. It differs from an assembler type 2 instruction in that the variable field contains two expressions.

For the JIF, JIFM, JMIF, and XIF instructions, the first expression specifies the condition(s) required for the jump, jump-and-mark, or execution. The conditions are specified according to the rules outlined in Section 20. Multiple conditions can be specified by setting additional bits.

Example:

JIF	0222,ALFA
-----	-----------

takes the next instruction from address ALFA if the A register contains a positive number (0002), the B register contains zero (0020), and SENSE switch 2 is set (0200) since $0222 = 0002 + 0020 + 0200$.

For the SEN, IME, and OME instructions, the first expression specifies the I/O device address and function.

Indirect addressing is specified by an asterisk after the mnemonic or after a variable field expression in parentheses.

Examples:

JIF*	0222,ALFA
JIF	0222,(ALFA)*

A type 4 instruction occupies one computer word and does not address memory.

For ZERO, DECR, MERG, COMP, INCR, and the register modification instructions using the format and coding given on page 20-33, the assembler generates an instruction as specified by the value in the variable field.

A type 5 instruction occupies two consecutive computer words and is memory-addressing.

Indirect addressing is specified by an asterisk after the mnemonic or after the first expression in the variable field when the expression is enclosed in parentheses.

Examples:

LDAE*	expression
LDAE	(expression)*
LDAE	(expression)*, expression

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Indexing is specified by two expressions in the variable field, where the first expression is the data address and the second specifies the indexing register: one for the X register, two for the B register, or seven for no indexing.

Example:

LDAE	1300,2
------	--------

loads the A register with the contents of the memory address specified by the sum of the contents of the B register plus 1300. Thus, if the B register contains 400, the operand for this instruction is in memory address 1700 (1300 + 400).

- e. Memory reservation directives
- f. Conditional assembly directives
- g. Assembler control directives
- h. Subroutine control directives
- i. List and punch control directives
- j. DAS 8A interface directive to stand-alone FORTRAN
- k. Program link directives
- l. MOS I/O control directives
- m. Macro definition directives

Directives have four fields:

- a. The label field, which contains a symbol. The label field is usually optional. However, some directives require it by the nature of their operations, e.g., EQU, SET, BEG1, and FORM.
- b. The operation field, which contains the directive mnemonic.
- c. The variable field, whose contents vary with the directive. Any symbols in this field that are not previously defined cause error flags to be output.
- d. The comment field (optional) for programming convenience.

In the following descriptions of the individual directives, the format

label field
operation field
variable field

is used, with the optional comment field

Assembler Directives

Directives are instructions to the assembler. They are divided into the following groups:

- a. Symbol definition directives
- b. Instruction definition directives
- c. Location counter control directives
- d. Data definition directives

Directive	DAS 4A	DAS 8A	DAS MR
BEGI	Yes	Yes	No
BES	Yes	Yes	Yes
BSS	Yes	Yes	Yes
CALL	Yes	Yes	Yes
COMM	No	Yes	Yes
CONT	No	Yes	Yes
DATA	Yes	Yes	Yes
DETL	No	Yes	Yes
DUP	No	Yes	Yes
EJEC	No	Yes	Yes
END	Yes	Yes	Yes
ENTR	Yes	Yes	Yes
EQU	Yes	Yes	Yes
EXT	No	Yes	Yes
FORM	No	Yes	No
FORT	No	Yes	No
GOTO	No	Yes	Yes
IFF	No	Yes	Yes
IFT	No	Yes	Yes
LIST	No	Yes	No
LOC	Yes	Yes	Yes
MAX	No	Yes	No
MIN	No	Yes	No
MORE	No	Yes	No
MZE	Yes	Yes	Yes
NAME	No	Yes	Yes
NLIS	No	Yes	No
NPUN	No	Yes	No
NULL	No	Yes	Yes
OPSY	No	Yes	Yes
ORG	Yes	Yes	Yes
PUNC	No	Yes	No
PZE	Yes	Yes	Yes
READ	No	Yes	No
RETU*	Yes	Yes	Yes

Figure 21-4. Directives Recognized by DAS Assemblers (1 of 2)

SET	Yes	Yes	Yes
SMRY	No	Yes	Yes
SPAC	No	Yes	Yes
USE	No	Yes	No
MAC	No	No	Yes
EMAC	No	No	Yes

Figure 21-4. Directives Recognized by DAS Assemblers (2 of 2)

being understood to follow the variable field when used. In cases where the variable field contains more than one item or expression, these are always separated by commas.

Figure 21-4 shows the directives recognized by each DAS assembler, but does not include MOS I/O control directives accepted by the assembler.

Symbol Definition Directives

These directives assign arbitrary values to symbols in the symbol table. This table is a list of symbols in the source program. For each symbol in the table, there is a corresponding value, usually an address.

EQU (DAS 4A, DAS 8A, DAS MR)

This directive has the format

symbol EQU expression

It places the symbol in the assembler's symbol table and assigns it the value of the expression. If the symbol has already been entered in the symbol table, error message DD is output and the value in the table is replaced by that of the expression. Any symbol used as the variable field expression must have been defined previously. The label field symbol is mandatory.

SET (DAS 4A, DAS 8A, DAS MR)

This directive has the format

symbol SET expression

It is the same as EQU except that there is no error message output if the symbol has already been entered in the symbol table.

MAX (DAS 8A)

This directive has the format

symbol MAX expression(s)

It assigns to the symbol the largest algebraic value found among the expressions. Any symbol used as a variable field expression must have been defined previously. The label field symbol is mandatory. Use SET to redefine the symbol.

MIN (DAS 8A)

This directive has the format

symbol MIN expression(s)

It is the same as MAX except that the symbol is assigned the smallest algebraic value found among the expressions.

Instruction-Definition Directive

This directive redefines a standard instruction mnemonic.

OPSY (DAS 8A, DAS MR)

This directive has the format

symbol OPSY mnemonic

It makes the symbol a mnemonic with the same definition as the variable field mnemonic.

Example:

CLA	OPSY	LDA
	CLA	BETA

Location Counter Control Directives

These directives control the location counter(s). DAS 8A has multiple location counters and directives to modify or preset their values. Figure 21-5 lists the five standard DAS 8A location counter symbols and their uses. They need not be created by the user. However, up to eight other loca-

tion counters in addition to those provided can be created, thus providing complex relocatable and overlay programs within a single assembly.

There are no user-created location counters at the beginning of an assembly. The assembler uses three location counters for location assignment. Thus, IAOR and LTOR are always in use, as is a third counter used to assign locations to generated instructions and generated data (except literals and indirect pointers). This is done by the blank location counter until USE specifies another.

In a straightforward program using only one location counter, complete control over the counter is maintained by ORG and LOC.

ORG (DAS 4A, DAS 8A, DAS MR)

This directive has the format

symbol ORG expression

Counter	Initial Value	Use
SYOR	00000	Controls assignment of memory to all system parameters
IAOR	00100	Controls assignment of memory to indirect pointers
LTOR	01000	Controls assignment of memory to literals
COMN	02000	Controls assignment of memory within an interface area common to two or more programs
blank	04000	Used initially and normally by the assembler for memory assignments until/unless overridden by USE

Figure 21-5. Standard DAS 8A Location Counters

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where the symbol is optional. It sets the location counter currently in use to the value of the expression. If a symbol is present in the label field, it is set to the value of the expression. Any symbol used as the variable field expression must have been defined previously.

LOC (DAS 4A, DAS 8A, DAS MR)

This directive has the format

symbol LOC expression

where the symbol is optional. It is used if the data and instructions following the LOC address are to be moved to the LOC address by the object program before execution, i.e., to keep a block of data or instructions undisturbed by assembly. LOC causes data or instructions following it to be generated as if there had been a ORG to change the current location counter value. However, this value is not actually changed. Any symbol used as a variable field expression must have been defined previously. LOC cannot be used in a relocatable program.

BEGI (DAS 4A, DAS 8A, DAS MR)

This directive has the format

symbol BEGI expression

where the symbol is optional. It creates a new location counter or it redefines the value of any location counter before the counter has been used. BEGI gives the new or redefined location counter the value of the expression, but has no effect on the current location counter. BEGI cannot re-define the value of any location counter that has been used for location assignment. Any symbol used as a variable field expression must have been defined previously.

USE (DAS 4A, DAS 8A)

This directive has the format

blank USE xxxx

where xxxx is a blank, COMN, SYOR, or a user-created location counter label. It uses the location counter xxxx to assign locations to data and instructions (except literals and indirect pointers). If xxxx is PREV, the previously used location counter is recalled with the restriction that only the last-used counter can be so recalled.

Data Definition Directives

These directives control the sign and assignment of data words. In the descriptions, item refers to a data item, which can be an expression or a direct or indirect address.

DATA (DAS 4A, DAS 8A, DAS MR)

This directive has the format

symbol DATA item(s)

where the symbol is optional. DATA assigns the symbol to the memory address of the first generated word. In the absence of a symbol, an unlabeled block of data is generated.

PZE (DAS 4A, DAS 8A, DAS MR)

This directive (PZE = plus zero) has the format

symbol PZE item(s)

It is similar to DATA except that the sign bits of data words are always zeros (plus).

MZE (DAS 4A, DAS 8A, DAS MR)

This directive (MZE = minus zero) has the format

symbol MZE item(s)

It is similar to DATA except that the sign bits of data words are always ones (minus).

FORM (DAS 8A, DAS MR)

This directive has the format

symbol FORM term(s)

where the symbol is optional and the terms are absolute terms or expressions. The symbol is the name of the FORM, which specifies the format of a bit configuration of a data word. The terms specify the length in bits of each field in the generated data word, where the sum of the term values is from one to the number of bits in the computer word. FORM is ignored if there are any errors in the variable field, except that an error is flagged when a term cannot be represented in the number of bits specified when FORM is applied (by placing its name in the operation field of a symbolic source statement) to another statement. The FORM can be redefined.

Example:

BYTE	FORM	8,8
BCD	FORM	4,4,4,4
PTAB	FORM	1,2,3,4

would, given the FORM definition

ABC	FORM	6,2,8
-----	------	-------

and the FORM reference

ABC	2*3,1,'A'
-----	-----------

generate the binary data word

0 001 100 111 000 001

Memory Reservation Directives

These directives control the reservation of memory addresses and areas.

BSS (DAS 4A, DAS 8A, DAS MR)

This directive has the format

symbol BSS expression

where the symbol is optional. It increases the value of the current location counter by the amount indicated by the expression. If there is a symbol, it is assigned the value of the counter prior to such increase. The location counter always points to the next available word.

BES (DAS 4A, DAS 8A, DAS MR)

This directive has the format

symbol BES expression

It is similar to BSS except that if there is a symbol, it is assigned to the address one less than the incremented location counter.

DUP (DAS 8A, DAS MR)

This directive has the formats

blank DUP n
blank DUP n,m

It duplicates source statements following the DUP. The first format duplicates the next source statement n times. The second format duplicates the next m source statements n times, where $m \leq 3$ and $n \leq 32,767$. If n or m is zero, it will be treated as if it were a one.

Conditional Assembly Directives

These directives assemble portions of the program according to the conditions specified in the variable fields.

IFT (DAS 8A, DAS MR)

This directive (IFT = if true) has the format

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blank IFT expression(s)

where there are one, two, or three expressions. It assembles the next symbolic source statement only if the first expression, a, is less than the second, b, and b is less than or equal to the third, c ($a < b \leq c$). In the following examples, the last column indicates the condition to be met if the next source statement is to be assembled:

Examples:

IFT	a	for $a \neq 0$
IFT	a,,b	for $a \neq b$
IFT	a,b,b	for $a < b$
IFT	0,a,b	for $0 < a \leq b$

IFF (DAS 8A, DAS MR)

This directive (IFF = if false) has the format

blank IFF expression(s)

It is similar to IFT except that IFF is the logical complement of IFT.

Examples:

IFF	a	for $a = 0$
IFF	a,,b	for $a = b$
IFF	a,b,b	for $a \geq b$
IFF	0,a,b	for $0 \geq a > b$

GOTO (DAS 8A, DAS MR)

This directive has the formats

blank GOTO symbol
blank GOTO symbol

It skips more than one instruction and usually follows an IFF or IFT. All source statements between the GOTO and the statement containing the symbol in its label field are skipped, and the instruction so labeled executed next. GOTO cannot jump

back to an earlier point in the program. If the first GOTO format is used, the skipped instructions are listed. If the second format (containing a comma after the symbol) is used, the listing of the skipped instructions is suppressed. This listing can also be suppressed by a SMRY directive.

CONT (DAS 8A, DAS MR)

This directive has the format

symbol CONT blank

It provides a target for a previous GOTO.

The symbol is not entered in the assembler symbol table.

NULL (DAS 8A, DAS MR)

This directive has the format

symbol NULL blank

It provides a target for a previous GOTO with the symbol entered in the symbol table. NULL has the same effect as BSS with a blank variable field.

Assembler Control Directives

These directives signal the end or continuance of an assembly.

MORE (DAS 8A)

This directive has the format

blank MORE blank

It halts assembly to allow additional source statements to be put in the input device. Assembly resumes when the RUN button on the computer control panel is pressed. MORE is never listed.

END (DAS 4A, DAS 8A, DAS MR)

This directive has the format

```
blank      END      expression
```

It is the last source statement in the program. The expression is the execution address of the program after it has been loaded into the computer. A blank expression yields an execution address of 00000.

Subroutine Control Directives

These directives create closed subroutines and control their use.

ENTR (DAS 4A, DAS 8A, DAS MR)

This directive has the format

```
symbol     ENTR     blank
```

where the symbol is the name of the subroutine called. ENTR generates a linkage word of zero in the object program.

RETU* (DAS 4A, DAS 8A, DAS MR)

This directive has the format

```
symbol     RETU*    expression
```

where the symbol is optional. It returns from a closed subroutine, generating an unconditional jump to the address indicated by the value of the expression.

CALL (DAS 4A, DAS 8A, DAS MR)

This directive has the format

```
symbol     CALL     subfield(s)
```

where the symbol is optional and the subfields comprise a required symbol, an optional parameter list, and an optional error return list. Where the symbol is used, it is entered in the symbol table and

assigned the present value of the current location counter. The symbol required in the variable field is the name of a subroutine. The optional lists in the variable field comprise valid data items.

Example:

```
CALL      FUNC,X,Y+1,(ERR),(GOOF)*
```

produces a machine code identical to that obtained with

```
JMPM      FUNC
DATA      X,Y+1,(ERR),(GOOF)*
```

List and Punch Control Directives

These directives, which are operative only during the second pass of the assembler, control listing and punching during program assembly.

LIST (DAS 8A)

This directive has the format

```
blank      LIST     blank
```

It causes the assembler to produce a program listing. Initially, the assembler is in LIST condition.

NLIS (DAS 8A)

This directive has the format

```
blank      NLIS     blank
```

It suppresses further listing of the program.

SMRY (DAS 8A, DAS MR)

This directive has the format

```
blank      SMRY     blank
```

It suppresses the listing of source statements

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that have been skipped under control of conditional assembly directives. In DAS 8A, it also suppresses the listing of symbols on the first pass.

DETL (DAS 8A, DAS MR)

This directive has the format

blank DETL blank

It removes the effect of SMRY, i.e., causes listing of all source statements, including those skipped by conditional assembly directives. Initially, the assembler is in DETL condition.

PUNC (DAS 8A)

This directive has the format

blank PUNC blank

It causes the assembler to produce a paper tape punched with the object program. Initially, the assembler is in PUNC condition.

NPUN (DAS 8A)

This directive has the format

blank NPUN blank

It suppresses further production of paper tape punched with the object program.

SPAC (DAS 8A, DAS MR)

This directive has the format

blank SPAC blank

It causes the listing device to skip a line. SPAC is not listed.

EJEC (DAS 8A, DAS MR)

This directive has the format

blank EJEC blank

It causes the listing device to move to the next top of form. EJEC is not listed.

READ (DAS 8A)

This directive has the format

blank READ n,p

where n is the number of characters (20-80) from each source line to be processed by the assembler, and p is either 26 or 29 to indicate use of IBM 026 or 029 keypunch codes, respectively. Initially, the assembler processes 80 characters per line with 026 keypunch codes. If n is outside the range 20-80, the assembler resets the number of characters to 80 and outputs the error message SZ (size). If p is not 26 or 29, assembly stops with the A, B, X, and U registers equal to 026. To continue assembly, correct the card, reinsert it in the card reader, and press RUN on the computer control panel. If n is used without p, there is no comma. If p is used without n, it is preceded by a comma.

Examples:

READ 80,20	Reads 80 columns of 029 codes on succeeding cards
READ 72,26	Reads 72 columns of 026 codes on succeeding cards
READ ,29	Does not change number of columns read, but reads 029 on succeeding cards
READ 80	Reads 80 columns but does not change the code read

Unless there is an SZ error message, SMRY suppresses the listing of READ cards during the second pass.

DAS 8A Interface Directive to FORTRAN

This directive has the format

blank FORT blank

Except for comments, this is the first line of an assembly whose output is compatible with the stand-alone FORTRAN relocatable loader. In such an assembly, all two-word instructions are legal, but one-word memory-addressing instructions are limited to relative forward addressing. An expression containing symbols defined with

Example:

	000000	R		FORT	
	000017	R		NAME	\$PE
	000000	E	\$SE	EXT	
	000000	E	\$QS	EXT	
	000000	E	\$QE	EXT	
000000	074025			STX	\$PE + 7
000001	034021			LDX	\$PE + 4
000002	054025			STA	\$PE + 9
000003	064025			STB	\$PE + 10
000004	015000			LDA	0, 1
000005	034020			LDX	\$PE + 7
000006	002000			JMPM	\$QS
000007	000000	E			
000010	000026	R		DATA	\$PE + 7
000011	014016			LDA	\$PE + 9
000012	024016			LDB	\$PE + 10
000013	002000			JMPM	\$QE
000014	000000	E			
000015	000026	R		DATA	\$SP + 7
000016	001000			JMP	0
000017	000000			ORG	*-1
000017	000000		\$PE	ENTR	
000020	002000			CALL	\$SE, 1
000021	000000	E			
000022	000001				
000023	000000			DATA	0
000024	001000			JMP	*-20
000025	000000	R			
000026	000000			DATA	0,0,0,0
000027	000000				
000030	000000				
000031	000000				
	000000			END	

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COMN or EXT directives must be the second word of two-word instructions, or part of a DATA, PZE, or MZE directive. Literals are forbidden. Immediate instructions are recommended. The symbols and expressions are subject to the mode restrictions indicated for FORTRAN-compatible output.

Program Link Directives

These directives establish and control links among programs that have been assembled separately but are to be loaded and executed together.

NAME (DAS 8A, DAS MR)

This directive has the format

blank NAME

It establishes linkage definition points among separately assembled programs. The symbols can then be referenced by other programs. Each symbol also appears in the label field of a symbolic source statement in the body of the program. Undefined NAME symbols cause error messages to be output.

Examples:

NAME	A
NAME	A,B
NAME	EX,WHY,ZEE

EXT (DAS 8A, DAS MR)

This directive has the format

symbol EXT symbol(s)

where both the label field and variable field symbols are optional.

It establishes linkage definition points among separately assembled programs. The

symbols declare each symbol not defined within the current program. Each symbol, in both the label and variable fields, is output to the loader with the address of the last reference to the symbol. If a symbol is not defined within the current program and not declared in an EXT, it is considered undefined and causes an error message output. If a symbol is declared in an EXT but not referenced within the current program, it is output to the loader for loading, but no linkage to this program is established. If a symbol is both defined in the program and declared to be external, the EXT declaration is ignored.

Examples:

	EXT	AY
BEG	EXT	BE,SEE
	EXT	DEE,EE,EF,GEE

COMN (DAS 8A, DAS MR)

This directive has the format

symbol COMN item

where item is an absolute item or expression, and symbol is optional. It defines an area in blank common for use at execution time. This allows an assembler program to reference the same blank common area as a FORTRAN program. The common area is cumulative for each use of COMN, i.e., the first COMN defines the base area of the blank common, the second COMN defines an area to be added to the already established base, etc.

Example:

AAA	COMN	3
	COMN	6*2
BBB	COMN	9

MOS I/O Control Directives

DAS MR accepts the MOS control directives listed below and explained in the Varian 620 Master Operating System Reference Manual (98 A 9952 090):

RBIN	Read binary record
RALF	Read alphanumeric record
RBCD	Read binary-coded decimal (BCD) record
WBIN	Write binary record
WALF	Write alphanumeric record
WBCD	Write BCD record
WEOF	Write end of file
REW	Rewind
SKFF	Skip files forward
SKFR	Skip files reverse
SKRF	Skip records forward
SKRR	Skip records reverse
FUNC	Function
STAT	Status
ION	I/O driver reference number

Macro Definition Directives

These directives begin and end macro definitions. The macro is the assembly equivalent of the execution subroutine. It is defined once and can then be called from the program. The macro is an algorithmic statement of a process that can vary according to the arguments supplied. It is assembled with the resultant data inserted into the program at each point of reference, whereas the subroutine executed during execution time appears but once in a program. Its definition comprises the statements between MAC and EMAC.

MAC (DAS MR)

This directive has the format

symbol MAC blank

and introduces a macro definition. The symbol is the name of the macro.

EMAC (DAS MR)

This directive has the format

blank EMAC blank

and terminates the definition of a macro.

A macro is called by the appearance of its name in the operation field of a symbolic source statement. The variable field of this statement contains expression(s), P(1),P(2),...,P(n), that are evaluated and stored in a table within the assembler. The macro definition is then processed with the values in the table being substituted for the respective values of the expressions in the source statement variable field. For example, if the variable field of the symbolic source statement contains:

$$2, B, 9 + 8, = 63$$

then within the generated macro, P(1) = 2, P(2) is the value of B, P(3) = 021, and P(4) is the address of the value 63. All terms and expressions within the macro-referencing symbolic source statement parameter list are evaluated prior to calling the macro.

If the label field of such a source statement contains a symbol, the symbol is assigned the value and relocatability of the location counter at the time the macro is called but before data generation.

A macro definition can contain references to machine instruction mnemonics or to assembler directives other than DUP. Macros can be nested within macros to a depth limited only by the available memory at assembly time. Example:

a. Definition of the macro:			
SBR	MAC		
	SEN	0200 +P(1),*	+ 3
	JMP	*-2	
	EMAC		

b. Calling the macro:	
SBR	031
c. Expansion of the macro:	
SEN	0231,*+3
JMP	*-2

The parameter P(0) can also be referenced within the macro. P(0) is the first entry in the table formed by the assembler and contains the number of entries in that table, i.e., the number of parameters on the call line. This example shows the output listing obtained by calling P(0):

		1	A	MAC
		2		DATA P(0)
		3		EMAC
00001	00000	A	4	A
00002	00001	A	5	A 1
00003	00002	A	6	A 1,2
00004	00003	A	7	A 1,2,3
00005	00004	A	8	A 1,2,3,4
00006	00005	A	9	A 1,2,3,4,5
		10		END

Relocatability Rules

A relocatable program is one that has been assembled with its instruction locations assigned in such a manner that it can be loaded anywhere in memory and executed without problems. When such a program is loaded, the beginning memory address is specified, and a value (known as the reloca-

tion bias) is added to the addresses of subsequent relocatable instructions. The programs are usually assembled with a zero relocation bias on the first instruction.

The location counter contains the (relative) address of the instruction currently being executed. The location counter is absolute when it contains the actual address of the instruction during execution, and relocatable when it contains the relative address of the instruction during execution (the current address minus the address of the start of the program).

Symbols can be absolute or relocatable. Expressions, since they contain symbols, can be absolute or relocatable. Constants are always absolute.

Figure 21-6 shows, for each arithmetic operation, whether the result is absolute (abso), relocatable (relo), or illegal.

The loader can load a relocatable program in any area of memory and modify the addresses as it loads so that the resulting program executes correctly. Programs can contain absolute addresses, relocatable addresses, or both. At the beginning of each assembly, the location counter is set to zero, relocatable. It is incremented after every instruction word or data word generated by the assembler. It can be set by the ORG directive. If an ORG directive is encountered the location counter is made absolute if

	A is abso, B is abso,	A is abso, B is relo,	A is relo, B is abso,	A is relo, B is relo,
A+B	abso	relo	relo	illegal
A-B	abso	illegal	relo	abso
A*B	abso	illegal	illegal	illegal
A/B	abso	illegal	illegal	illegal

Figure 21-6. Results of Arithmetic Operations

the corresponding expression is absolute, or relocatable if the corresponding expression is relocatable.

If a symbol is equated to the location counter, it is relocatable if the location counter is relocatable. Otherwise, the symbol is absolute.

Source Statement Formats

Punched Card Format

Punched cards used as input to the DAS assembler contain four fields: label, operation, variable, and comment.

The label field is in columns one through six. Its use is optional. It assigns a symbol or target number to a symbolic source statement.

The operation field is in columns eight through 14. It contains a mnemonic for a machine instruction or an assembler directive. Indirect addressing is specified by an asterisk following the mnemonic.

The variable field begins in column 16 and ends with the first blank not contained in a character constant. Its use depends on the instruction or directive. The variable field contains zero or more subfields, but if two or more subfields are present, they are separated by commas.

The comment field fills the remainder of the card. If there is a blank variable field, the comment field begins in column 17. The assembler ignores this field, but its contents appear in the output listing.

An asterisk in column one indicates that the entire card contains a comment. The assembler ignores the card, but its contents appear in the output listing.

Paper Tape Format

Paper tape used as input to the DAS assembler contains source statements of up to 80 characters each (not including the carriage return and line feed characters). Each statement contains four fields: label, operation, variable, and comment. The first three are separated by commas, and the comment field starts after the first variable field blank that is not part of a character constant. At the end of each statement is a carriage return (CR), followed by a line feed (LF).

The label field contains a symbol, extended symbol, or target number. If the first nonblank character in the statement is a comma, the label field is blank.

The operation field contains a mnemonic. An asterisk following the mnemonic specifies indirect addressing.

The variable field can be blank, or contain one or more subfields separated by commas. Each subfield can contain a constant or expression, depending on the instruction or directive, or it can be voided by using adjacent commas. The variable field terminates with a blank that is not part of a character constant, or with a CR or LF.

The comment field fills the remainder of the statement from the terminating blank of the variable field to the next CR or LF. The assembler ignores this field, but its contents appear in the output listing.

If the first nonblank character of the statement is an asterisk, the entire statement is a comment. The assembler ignores the statement, but its contents appear in the output.

Assembler Output Listing

DAS Source/Object Listing

The listing can be obtained in whole or in

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part as the program is being assembled. The source (symbolic) program and the object (absolute) program are listed side-by-side on the listing device output paper. This device is either a Teletype or a line printer.

The listing is output according to the specifications given by the list and punch control directives in the assembly. Error analysis during assembly causes the

error messages described in the following section to be output on the line following the point of detection.

The following example illustrates the format of the outlisting. In addition, on DAS MR listings, a line count appears. The addressing modes are: FORTRAN common reference = C, externally defined = E, indirect pointer = I, and absolute or relative = R. Example:

Location	Code	Mode	Source Statement
014000			ORG 014000
014000	000000		ABS ENTR
014001	001002		JAP* ABS
014002	114000	R	
014003	005211		CPA
014004	001000		JMP* ABS
014005	114000	R	
	000000		END

DAS Error Messages

The assembler checks syntax on both passes. During pass 1, detectable errors are listed. During pass 2, the following information is listed:

- a. Error code
- b. Value of location counter
- c. Object code when the instruction is assembled.

This code is suppressed by NLIS directives and list-suppression commas in GOTO directives.

The error message appears in the listing line following the statement found in error. Each line can hold up to four error messages. Figure 21-7 lists the error codes recognized by DAS, and their meanings.

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Load the program into memory using the binary loader. Execute it by entering a positive, nonzero value in the A register during loading, or by clearing all registers and pressing RESET and RUN after the loading.

During execution, the program first determines the amount of memory required. It then stores in 00003 a value one less than the lower limit of the binary load/dump. This is the highest address that the assembler section can use without destroying part of the binary load/dump.

I/O Device Definition

The TTY makes three requests for definitions of I/O devices:

ENTER DEVICE NAME FOR XX

Code	Meaning
*IL	First nonblank character on a card or paper tape statement illegal. Card or statement not processed.
*OP	Undefined operation code. A two-word gap in memory is left for patching.
*SY	Undefined symbol in an expression.
*EX	Two consecutive arithmetic operators in an expression.
*AD	Error in address expression.
*FA	Floating-point format error.
*DC	Decimal character in an octal constant.
*DD	Illegal redefinition of a symbol or location counter.
*VF	Missing or erroneous variable field subfields.
*MA	Inconsistent use of indexing and indirect addressing.
*XR	Address out of range for indexing specification.
*NS	Nested DUP directives.
*NR	No room in symbol table for this symbol.
*TF	Tag error, or undefined or illegal indexing.
*=	Illegal use of literal =.
*SZ	Expression too large for subfield.
*UD	Undefined symbol invariable field of USE directive.
*SE	Symbol value different from that found in pass 1.
*QQ	Illegal use of prime (').

Figure 21-7. DAS Error Codes

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where xx is one of the I/O function names SI (source input), BO (binary output), or LO (list output), respectively. Respond to each request in turn by typing the name of the desired device and a carriage return (CR). Figure 21-8 lists the acceptable device names in response to each request. If the default assignment is desired, merely press CR. If the device name is incorrect, the message

DEVICE NAME NOT VALID

is output and the request repeated.

Output of any line to the TTY can be terminated by pressing RUBOUT. The error correction feature can be used during specification of I/O devices to the TTY.

When I/O assignments are complete, the I/O section uses the binary loader to load the assembler section into memory.

To restart the I/O section before the assembler section is loaded, press STEP,

clear all registers, and press RESET and RUN.

The following sections describe the subroutines applicable to each type of I/O function.

Source Input of I/O Subroutines

The following I/O devices can be source program input devices. The I/O subroutines to communicate with these devices are in the I/O section.

- a. 33/35 ASR TTY
- b. 33/35 ASR TTY paper tape reader
- c. High-speed paper tape reader
- d. Card reader

The **TY subroutine** communicates with the 33/35 ASR TTY. The (effective) calling sequence is:

Assembly Function	Device	Default Assignment
SI (source input)	TR (TTY paper tape reader) TY (TTY keyboard) PR (high-speed paper tape reader) CR (Model 620-22, 23 and 25 card readers) CR1 (Model 620A card reader, micro verse logic)	TR
LO (list output)	TY (TTY printer) LP (Model 620-76 line printer) LP1 (Model 620-75 line printer) LP2 (Model 620-77 line printer)	TY
BO (binary output)	TP (TTY paper tape punch) PP (high-speed paper tape punch) CP (Model 620-27 card punch) CP1 (Model 620-26 card punch)	TP

Figure 21-8. Acceptable I/O Devices

JMPM 0500
 DATA WORD COUNT
 DATA ADDRESS
 Return

TY inputs characters from the TTY keyboard until either a carriage return is input or the word count (two characters per word) specified in the calling sequence is reached.

As each character is input, it is verified as an ASCII character. If it is not, it is ignored. ASCII characters are output to the TTY page printer and are stored sequentially in memory beginning at the address specified in the calling sequence.

If the specified word count is 36 or larger, 36 words are input.

After the specific number of words or a carriage return is input, a line feed and a carriage return are output to the TTY page printer, signifying that input is complete.

To delete a line, while it is being input, type a backslash (press the shift key and the letter L simultaneously). A line feed and a carriage return are output to indicate that the line has been deleted. Characters entered before the backslash become blanks.

To delete a character just entered, type a backarrow. This is printed by the TTY page printer to indicate the deletion. As many backarrows as necessary can be entered. Each deletes one character (but not beyond the beginning of the line). Characters deleted change to blanks (in the data) but are printed with their accompanying backarrows on the page printer (each succeeding backarrow indicating deletion of the preceding character), e.g.:

IDEAX ← indicates the X is deleted
 BOTHER ← ← indicates that R and E
 are deleted

The TR subroutine communicates with the 33/35 ASR TTY. The (effective) calling sequence is:

JMPM 0500
 DATA WORD COUNT
 DATA ADDRESS
 Return

TR inputs characters from the TTY paper tape reader until either a carriage return is input or the word count (two characters per word) specified in the calling sequence is reached.

As each character is input, it is verified as an ASCII character. If it is not, it is ignored. ASCII characters are stored sequentially in memory beginning at the address specified in the calling sequence.

After the specified number of words has been input, characters are input but not stored in memory until there is a carriage return. When a carriage return is input, TR inputs two more paper-tape characters and stores them in memory locations 4 and 5. These two characters appear in the beginning of the next record when the next call is made to input a record from the TTY paper tape reader.

The PR subroutine communicates with the high-speed paper tape reader. The (effective) calling sequence is:

JMP 0500
 DATA WORD COUNT
 DATA ADDRESS
 Return

PR inputs characters from the high-speed paper tape reader until either a carriage return is input or the word count (two characters per word) specified in the calling sequence is reached.

As each character is input, it is verified as an

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ASCII character. If it is not, it is ignored. ASCII characters are stored sequentially in memory (two characters per computer word) beginning at the address specified in the calling sequence.

After the number of words specified in the calling sequence has been input, characters are input but not stored in memory until there is a carriage return. When a carriage return is input, PR terminates input from the high-speed paper tape reader.

The CR subroutine communicates with the card reader. The (effective) calling sequence is:

JMPM	0500
DATA	WORD COUNT
DATA	ADDRESS
Return	

CR inputs columns from the card reader and converts them to ASCII characters until the word count (two characters per word) specified in the calling sequence is reached. The ASCII characters are stored sequentially in memory beginning at the address specified in the calling sequence.

Source Output of I/O Subroutines

The following I/O devices can be source program output devices. The I/O subroutines to communicate with these devices are in the I/O section.

- a. 33/35 ASR TTY paper tape punch
- b. High-speed paper tape punch

The TP subroutine communicates with the 33/35 ASR TTY. The (effective) calling sequence is:

JMPM	01300
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DATA	WORD COUNT
DATA	ADDRESS
Return	

TP outputs data to the TTY paper tape punch in a format compatible with the binary loader. The data are output from memory beginning at the specified address. The number of data words to be output is also specified in the calling sequence.

The binary loader requires three paper-tape frames for each data word. The most significant four bits are contained in the first frame; the next six bits in the second, and the least significant six bits in the third.

Each frame of paper tape can contain eight bits of information. Frame bit positions 1 through 6 contain the data. Frame bit position 7 contains a check bit that is the inverse of position 6. Frame bit position 8 is zero.

If the specified data word count is negative, 100 frames of paper tape are punched with frame bit position 8 punched and positions 1 through 6 not punched (leader/trailer). Any entry in the data address portion of the calling sequence is ignored.

The PR subroutine communicates with the high-speed paper tape punch. PR operates in the same manner as TP.

List Output Subroutines

The following devices can be list output devices. The subroutines to communicate with these devices are included in the I/O section.

- a. 33/35 ASR TTY page printer
- b. Line printer

The TY subroutine communicates with the

33/35 ASR TTY. The (effective) calling sequence is:

```
JMPM      01000
DATA      WORD COUNT
DATA      ADDRESS
Return
```

TY outputs ASCII characters to the TTY page printer. They are packed two per computer word and are output from memory beginning at the specified address.

If the specified word count is 36 or larger, 36 words are output.

When the specified number of words has been output, a line feed and a carriage return are output.

If the specified data word count is negative, nine line feeds and a carriage return are output to position the paper to the top of the next page. Any entry in the data address portion of the calling sequence is ignored.

The LP subroutines communicate with the line printer. The (effective) calling sequence is:

```
JMPM      01000
DATA      WORD COUNT
DATA      ADDRESS
Return
```

LP outputs ASCII characters to the line printer. The characters are packed two per computer word and are output from memory beginning at the specified address. If the specified word count is 66 or larger, 66 words are output.

Single-line slewing (paper movement) is supplied with each line output.

If the specified data word count is negative, the next line is printed at the top of the

next page. Any entry in the data address portion of the calling sequence is ignored.

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Load the program into memory using the binary loader. Prepare the system input (SI), system output (SO), and list output (LO) units, and set the SENSE switches as follows. On pass 1, set SENSE switch 1 only. On pass 2, reset SENSE switch 1 and, for listing output, set SENSE switch 2, or, for binary object output, set SENSE switch 3. To begin assembly, RUN at address 000001.

END terminates both passes 1 and 2 by executing a HALT. After pass 1 is terminated, begin pass 2 by resetting the I/O devices, setting the SENSE switches as above, and pressing RUN. To obtain extra copies of the program, repeat pass 2 as desired.

A MORE directive causes the computer to stop and wait until the input units are prepared and RUN is pressed.

Synchronization errors detected on pass 2 indicate that the value of a label on that pass does not agree with the value it had on pass 1. Such errors are due to source tape misreadings. They halt the assembly. To continue, press RUN. The assembler resets the location counter value to that assigned during pass 1, prints the error message *SE, and continues.

DAS MR Operations

Since DAS MR is used within MOS and uses the MOS I/O control system, the I/O devices can be defined as required (see the Varian 620 Master Operating System Reference Manual).

DAS MR inputs the symbolic source statements from the processor input logical unit (PI) in alphanumeric mode, performs a pass

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1 assembly, and outputs them in the same mode on the processor output logical unit (PO). When END is detected, pass 1 terminates, the assembler backs up the number of output symbolic source statements, and begins pass 2. This pass inputs the statements from the system scratch logical unit (SS), produces a listing on the LO unit, and a binary object program on the BO unit. Note that PO and SS must be the same magnetic tape, drum, or disc unit.

If a listing is not wanted, use the following directive to the MOS executive when requesting the assembly:

```
/ASSEMBLE      N
```

If a binary object program is wanted, use the following directive:

```
/ASSEMBLE      B
```

If the memory map portion (symbol table, external names, and entry names) of the assembly listing is not wanted, use the following directive:

```
/ASSEMBLE      M
```

To read the same physical symbolic source statements for both assembly passes, use the following directives to the MOS executive:

```
/ASSIGN          PO = DUM,SS = PI  
/ASSEMBLE
```

The PO symbolic source statement output serves as a copy of the statements, and can be the input for another assembly.

SECTION 22 – BINARY LOAD/DUMP PROGRAM (BLD II)

The binary load/dump program allows the user to load object programs from a paper tape or TTY reader, or to punch the binary contents of memory on paper tape in a reloadable format.

Location of BLD II

BLD II is loaded using the manual bootstrap routine or the automatic bootstrap loader (ABL) option. Once loaded into memory, BLD II relocates itself into the upper part of the highest 4K memory module unless the operator specifies a different 4K memory module.

Initially, BLD II occupies addresses 07000 to 07755. By residing in these locations, it does not interfere with the bootstrap loader occupying addresses 07756 to 07776 (in a 4K memory). Immediately after loading, BLD II relocates to occupy addresses 0x7400 through 0x7755. x denotes the 4K memory Module in which BLD II relocated as follows:

X =	Memory Module
0	4K
1	8K
2	12K
3	16K
4	20K
5	24K
6	28K
7	32K

Entry to BLD II to read object tapes is always 0x7600

0 x x x 1 1 1 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 0

and entry to punch object tapes is 0x7404.

0 x x x 1 1 1 1 0 0 0 0 1 0 0

Program Options Prior to Loading

The operator has four options prior to loading the binary load/dump program tape.

- a. No SENSE switches set: The program accepts input from the devices specified in the entered bootstrap routine and stores the program in the highest 4K memory module. After reading the program in, the computer halts with the P register set to the entry address (0x7600) and the A, B, and X registers cleared.
- b. SENSE switch 1 set: This allows the operator to select any 4K memory module in which the program is to operate. After reading the program in, the computer halts with the P register set to 07013. The operator must enter in the A register the number (0 through 7) specifying the memory module in which the program is to reside. By pressing RUN, the operator initiates the relocation and the computer halts as in item (a) above.
- c. SENSE switch 2 set: This adjusts the dump routine for TTY punch output.

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- d. SENSE switch 3 set: This allows the operator to splice an object program to the BLD II program tape, load the BLD II program and the object program and execute the object program without further intervention.

Object Program Loading Options

The binary load/dump program establishes the input reader (TTY or high-speed paper tape) and the output punch devices by interrogating the bootstrap loader. For this reason, the binary load/dump program is adjusted to accept object program tapes from only the reader specified by the bootstrap routine.

However, setting SENSE switch 2 prior to loading the load/dump program adjusts the program for TTY punch regardless of the bootstrap-routine-specified I/O devices.

Punching Tapes of Memory Contents

To punch a tape from memory to the high-speed paper tape punch, SENSE switch 2 must not be set when the load/dump program is entered. To punch a tape from memory to the TTY punch, SENSE switch 2 must be set when the load/dump program is entered if the input reader is a high-speed paper tape device. The operator can specify that tapes be punched in binary format to load using the binary loader or punch the binary loader in bootstrap-loadable format.

To punch a tape in binary format:

- a. Set the P register to 0x7404.
- b. Set the A register to the address of the first word to be punched.
- c. Set the B register to the address of the last word to be punched.

- d. Set the X register to the address of the first instruction to be executed at load time.

To punch a bootstrap-loadable format tape, set the P register to 0x7400. Set the A and B registers to zero and the X register to non-zero.

Loading the Binary Load/Dump Program

- a. Enter the bootstrap loader
- b. Clear the I register.
- c. Set the P register to 007770.
- d. Set the X register to 007000.
- e. Set SENSE switches, if required.
- f. Turn on the paper tape reader.
- g. Position the BLD II tape in reader with the first data frame after the eight-level punches under the high-speed reader head or under the read station of the TTY reader.
- h. Set STEP/RUN to RUN and press START. Load is complete when the computer changes to step mode.
- i. If SENSE switch 1 is set, reset SENSE switch 1 and clear the A register.
- j. Enter the appropriate octal value to relocate load/dump program, if applicable. Press START.
- k. The computer will halt in step mode with the P register containing 0x7600 unless SENSE switch 3 was set. With SENSE switch 3

set, the computer will execute the object program.

- i. Remove the BLD II program tape and reset SENSE switch 2, if applicable.

Loading the Object Program Tape

Object program tapes can be loaded immediately after the binary load/dump program because the P register is set to the load starting address (0x7600). For all subsequent loadings, assure that P is set to 0x7600.

Verification

To ensure that an object tape contains no errors before loading into core memory, the binary load/dump program has an option that performs only check-sum error-checking. To use this option:

- a. Turn on the reader and position the object tape in the reader.
- b. Enter 100000 in the A register.
- c. Clear the I register.
- d. With STEP/RUN in the RUN position, press START.
- e. A verify with no errors is indicated by the computer halting with:

P register = 0x7600
 A register = 100000
 B register = 000000
 X register = execution address

- f. A verify with a check-sum error is indicated by the computer halting with:

P register = 0x7600

A register = 100000
 B register = 177777
 X register = load address of last correct address read.

- g. To retry the check-sum error record, reposition the object program tape at the previous record mark and press START. If a check-sum error is read again, check each character in the record. An error has been made in punching or the tape may be slightly torn.

Load Program and Halt

To load the object program and halt:

- a. Turn on the reader and position the object tape in the reader.
- b. Clear the A, B, X, and I registers.
- c. Set the P register to 0x7600.
- d. With STEP/RUN in the RUN position, press START.
- e. Correct loading will be indicated by:

P register = 0x7600
 A register = 000000
 B register = 000000
 X register = program execution address

- f. A check-sum error is indicated by the same conditions as above.

Load the Program and Execute

Programs can be loaded and executed using the steps in the previous section except, in step b, set the A register to 000001 (any positive number).

Punching Program Tapes

With the binary load/dump program loaded and paper tape punch on, areas of memory can be punched in object-tape-loadable format.

- a. Set the A register to the beginning address of area to be punched.
- b. Set the B register to the last address to be punched.
- c. Set the X register to the address of first instruction to be executed at load time, or if noncontiguous memory areas are to be punched, set the X register to -1 (177777).
- d. Set the P register to 0x7404.
- e. Clear the I register.
- f. With STEP/RUN in RUN position, press RESET and START.
- g. Tape will be punched and the computer halts with registers unaltered. If additional areas are to be punched, perform steps a through f above, entering the new areas in the A and B registers. Prior to punching the last area, set the X register to the address of the first instruction to be executed at load time.

SECTION 23 – DEBUGGING PROGRAM (AID II)

Varian provides the AID II on-line debugging program for all Varian 620/L systems. AID II is the most advanced of the debugging aid packages for the Varian 620 family of computers.

AID II provides the user with software to facilitate program checkout. By entering AID commands on the TTY, the operator can display and alter the contents of any memory address or block. Programs can be trapped into and out of user-selected blocks and can be searched for specific conditions. Any program can be entered, monitored, and altered from the TTY.

As an added feature, data can also be dumped onto magnetic tape, punched out on paper tape, or printed on the TTY keyboard. Object programs can thus be converted from one media to another, simply and directly.

Loading AID II

AID II is loaded using the binary load/dump routine. Once loaded, AID II is positioned in the memory addresses just below the binary load/dump routine. It always occupies the highest memory addresses regardless of memory size. AID II occupies 1,090 memory addresses.

Register and Memory Modification

With AID entered and the computer in the run mode, the following entries on the TTY keyboard produce the indicated results. Entering a RUBOUT character cancels entries, or if an operation is in progress, terminates it.

Operator Enters:	Operation and Results
A,	The program types the contents of the pseudo-A register on the TTY keyboard. If the contents are to be changed, type the desired number and a period; otherwise, type only a period.
B,	Same as above for the pseudo-B register.
X,	Same as above for the pseudo-X register.
Cxxx,	Same as above for memory contents xxx. By typing a comma (,) instead of a period, the operator requests the next memory address for display.
Gxxx,	Loads the contents of the pseudoregisters into the respective A, B, and X registers and starts execution at address xxx.
Vxxx,	The program starts typing memory address contents at xxx and continues until a RUBOUT character is entered. The left column is the base address in octal. The contents of seven memory addresses are typed across the page in ascending order. The first number in the next line indicates the base

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	address for the next seven memory address contents.
Sx,y,z,m,	Search through memory starting at x and ending at y for the value of z masked by value of m. A masked-search searches for comparison with value of z for each bit corresponding to a one in the m value. Each time the values compare, the address and value are printed on the TTY. By typing an N instead of a mask value, the program searches for the negative value of z. Omission of m assumes an all-ones mask.
Ix,y,z,.	The program stores the value of z in all memory addresses starting at address x and ending at address y.
Ty,x,	In executing an operational program, transfers to address y when the program reaches the instruction in x. This feature permits interrupting a program sequence without internal patching.

Handling Paper Tape

The paper tape reader and punch can be controlled through AID II for some operations. With AID II entered and the computer in run mode, the paper tape system responds as indicated.

Operator

Enters: Operation and Results

Dx,y,z,.	Punch a program tape from the contents of address x to the address y, with execution address z.
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Lm,	An object paper tape is read into memory. If the value of m is zero and no check-sum errors were encountered, the program is executed. If the value of m is one and no check-sum errors were encountered, the TTY prints the contents of the A, B, and X registers, respectively, on the next line. The printout for the A and B registers will be zeros. The X register printout is the execution address of the object program. If a check-sum error is encountered, the program halts, the B register contains -1, and the X register contains the address of the last record from the tape.
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Magnetic Tape Handling

Data can be manipulated from and to magnetic tape through AID II. With AID II entered and the computer in run mode, the magnetic tape responds as indicated.

Operator

Enters: Operation and Results

Eu.	Write a file mark on magnetic tape unit u.
Fn,u,	Skip to file n on magnetic tape unit u.
N,	Skip to the next file on the magnetic tape unit previously designated.
Pu,	Backspace one record on magnetic tape unit u.
Ru, (or Ru.)	Read an object magnetic tape into memory from magnetic tape unit u. A

period causes a load and return to AID II. A comma causes a load and execute. If an uparrow is printed, a file mark was read on the tape. If an octal number is typed out, a parity error was encountered and the address

Wx,y,z,u

of the error is indicated.

Write an object magnetic tape from memory where x is the starting address, y is the ending address, z is the execution address, and u designates the magnetic tape unit.

SECTION 24 — SOURCE PROGRAM EDITOR (EDIT)

EDIT is a standard program that permits the programmer to prepare and write symbolic programs and generate a symbolic program tape. EDIT is very flexible in that the symbolic program can be typed, on line, on the teletype keyboard and stored directly in the core memory. Then, using EDIT commands, the program can be listed (printed).

EDIT also adds, corrects, and deletes any portion of the symbolic program. When the program is correct and ready to be assembled or compiled, EDIT can generate a symbolic program tape of the stored program.

EDIT is on punched paper tape in binary format, and can be loaded into memory using BLD II (in the load-and-go mode). Using the notation

H = high speed paper tape system
T = teletype paper tape system

answer the following questions printed on the teletype.

SOURCE PAPER TAPE PROGRAM
INPUT DEVICE (H OR T)
(Type an H or a T.)

OUTPUT DEVICE (H OR T)
(Type an H or a T.)

EDIT will dynamically adapt to this configuration and enter the instruction mode. (A carriage return, line feed and asterisk will be typed. EDIT can be restarted at any time by setting the instruction and P registers to zero and pressing RUN. But it can only be re-configured on loading.

Initially, EDIT is in the instruction mode, i.e., it can accept instructions. Anything typed by the user is interpreted as a command to EDIT, but EDIT accepts only legal instructions. EDIT ignores other inputs and types a question mark.

When not in the instruction mode, EDIT is in test mode, i.e., all characters input from the keyboard or tapes are interpreted as text to be put into the text buffer in the manner specified by a preceding EDIT instruction. Figure 24-1 illustrates the transfer of EDIT from one mode to the other.

Search and Find

A very convenient feature available with EDIT is the SEARCH feature, which searches a line of text for a specified character. When you type a line number followed by S, EDIT waits for the input of the character for which it is to search. When EDIT locates the character and types it, typing stops. You can then input all or any combination of the following:

- A. New text (terminate the line with the return key).
- B. Rubout to delete the entire line to the left.
- C. Return to delete the entire line to the right.
- D. ← to delete from right to left one character for each ←

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E. CTRL/C to search for the next occurrence of the search character.

F. CTRL/bell to change the search character to the next character typed by the programmer.

Another feature is the FIND that searches for a string of characters in the text. When you type F (followed by return) and a string of characters, terminated by a return, the text is searched for that string. When it is found, the line in which it first appears is typed and the current line pointer is set to that line. The program returns to instruction mode. If the string did not appear, no action is taken and the program returns to instruction mode.

Error Detection

EDIT checks all instructions for nonexistent information and incorrect formatting. When an error is detected, EDIT types a question mark and ignores the instruction. EDIT types the message BUF FULL whenever the input buffer is filled to capacity. Further input will overlay the last entry in the buffer.

Special Keys and Instructions

EDIT is controlled by the use of special keys and instruction. Certain keys can be used in either instruction or text mode with the mode of operation determining the function of each key as shown in Figure 24-2.

EDIT instructions are given in instruction mode. There are three basic types of instructions — input, editing, and output (Figure 24-3). Instructions are executed when return is pressed.

Instruction	Meaning
A	Add incoming text from the keyboard to the text buffer immediately following the text currently etched in the buffer.
R	Read incoming text from the tape reader and append it to the text currently stored in the buffer.
L	List entire text buffer. Specify one line or a group of lines, including line numbers.
C	Change a line. Precede the instruction with the decimal line number or line numbers of the lines to be changed.
I	Insert into text buffer. Specify the line where the inserted text is to begin.
D	Delete from text buffer. Specify the line or group of lines to be deleted.
P	Punch text buffer. Specify one line, a group of lines, or the entire text buffer.

All instructions are executed when the return key is depressed. Any other character causes the instruction to be ignored and a question mark typed.

Figure 24-1. Transfer between EDIT Modes

Key	Instruction Mode	Text Mode
Return	Execute preceding instruction	Enter line in text buffer
←	Illegal	Delete to the left one character for each depression
Rubout	Cancel preceding instruction	Cancel line to the left margin (a \ is echoed)
CTRL/C	Respond with * and remain in instruction mode	Return to instruction mode and print
.	Value equal to decimal value of current line (used alone or with - and a number, e.g., - 8	Legal text character
/	Value equal to number of last line in buffer (used as an argument)	Legal text character
ESC	List next line	
=	Used with . or / to detain their value	
CTRL/TAB		Produces a tab interpreted as 7 spaces on output

Figure 24-2. EDIT Key Functions

Instruction	Function
Input	
A	Add incoming text from keyboard to text buffer.
R	Add incoming text from paper tape reader to text buffer.
Editing	
L	List entire text buffer
NL	List line N
M,NL	List lines M through N inclusive with line numbers
\	
NC	Change line N

Figure 24-3. EDIT Instructions (1 of 2)

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M,NC	Change lines M through N inclusive
I	Insert before first line
NI	Insert before Line N
K	Delete entire text buffer
ND	Delete line N
M,ND	Delete lines M through N inclusive
G	Print next line beginning with an alphabetic character (if none, no action taken)
NG	Print next line after N beginning with an alphabetic character (if none, no action taken)
S	Search buffer for character specified after return. Allow modification (search character is not echoed on printer), and print lines while searching
NS	Search line N, as above
M,NS	Search M through N inclusive, as above
F XXXX	Search text for string XXXX (up to 72 characters), and type out line in which it appears (if string not found, return to instruction mode)
NF XXXX	Search from line N as above
Output	
P	Punch entire text buffer
NP	Punch line n
M,NP	Punch lines M through N inclusive
T	Punch about 20 inches of leader/trailer tape

Note: M and N are decimal integers, with $M \leq N$.

Figure 24-3. EDIT Instructions (2 of 2)

SECTION 25 – MATHEMATICAL PACKAGE

This section is intended to acquaint the programmer with the standard subroutine library. The library is detailed in Varian Subroutine Descriptions (98 A 9402 041).

If a subroutine requires only one parameter or argument, programmed entry is made by first loading the desired parameter into the A register, or A and B registers for a double or floating point entry, and then executing a jump and mark instruction to the subroutine.

Where more than two input parameters are required, the parameters are entered into the program following the jump to the subroutine. The following sequence of instructions are used.

Fixed-point single-precision multiply

Identification: XMUL.

Provides the software version of the (optional) hardware multiply instruction. Uses recursive addition of multiplicand with shifting.

Fixed-point single-precision divide.

Identification: XDIV.

Provides the software version of one (optional) hardware divide instruction. The true remainder and quotient are delivered to the A register and B register, respectively.

Location	Instruction	Remarks
P	Jump and mark	Jump to subroutine.
P + 2	Parameter	Parameters or parameter locations for subroutine.
P + 3	Parameter	Parameters or parameter locations for subroutine.
P + 4	Parameter	Parameters or parameter locations for subroutine.
P + n	Parameter	Parameters or parameter locations for subroutine.
P + n + 1	Normal return	Continuation of program.

Figure 25-1. Sequence of Instructions for Entering Multiple Parameters

Fixed-point double-precision 2's complement

Identification: XDCO.

Takes the 2's complement of the double-precision number in the A register and B register. The X register is unchanged. The argument is complemented and the low-order bits are tested for a carry condition.

Fixed-point-double-precision add

Identification: XDAD.

Adds a double-precision number whose high-order address is in the calling sequence to the double-precision numbers in the A register and B register. The X register is unchanged. Low-order words are added first and any carry generated is added to the high-order sum.

Fixed-point double-precision subtract

Identification: XDSU.

Subtracts a double-precision number whose high-order address is in the calling sequence from the double-precision number in the A register and the B register. The X register is unchanged.

Fixed-point double-precision multiply

Identification: XDMU.

Multiplies the double-precision number whose high-order address is in the calling sequence times the double-precision number in the A register and the B register. The X register is unchanged. Uses double-precision addition of partial products.

$$(A + a)(B + b) = AB * 2^0 + Ab * 2^{-15} + aB * 2^{-15}$$

Fixed-point double-precision divide

Identification: XDDI.

Divides the double-precision number in the A register and B register by the double-precision number whose high-order address is in the calling sequence. The X register is unchanged.

Absolute value, floating point (type real)

Identification: ABS.

Takes the absolute value of the floating-point (real) quantity in the A, B registers, returning the result to the A, B registers. The absolute value of a is defined as $-a$ if a is negative, as a if a is not negative.

Absolute value, fixed point (type integer)

Identification: IABS.

Takes the absolute value of the 16-bit signed integer in the A register and returns the result to the A register. The absolute value of a is defined as $-a$ if the a is negative and if a is non-negative.

Transfer of sign, fixed point (type integer)

Identification: ISIGN.

Applies the sign of the called (second) parameter to the quantity in the accumulator (first parameter). The parameters and result are fixed point quantities. Uses \$SE.

Copy sign

Identification: SIGN.

Sets sign of floating point number equal to that of argument. Output in A, B registers. Uses \$SE.

Separate mantissa

Identification: \$FMS, \$FSM.

Separates a positive floating point number into characteristic and mantissa. Output in A, B (mantissa) and X (characteristic) registers.

Floating point number to integer

Identification: \$HS.

Converts a floating point number to an integer. Uses \$SE.

Normalize.

Identification: \$NML.

Normalizes a double precision number. Shifts to sign and tests for sign set. Uses XDCC. Output in A, B registers. Flag for sign in X register.

Floating add

Identification: \$QK.

Algebraically adds 2 floating point numbers. \$QK and \$QL use common logic.

Floating subtract

Identification: \$QL.

Computes difference of two floating point numbers.

Floating-point multiply or divide

Identification: \$QM, \$QN.

Multiplies 2 floating point numbers. Divides one number by another. Separates the mantissa and use XDMU for multiply or XDDI for divide. Uses \$FMS, \$SE.

Integer number to floating-point number

Identification: \$QS.

Floats an integer. Formats the absolute number to floating point and adjusts sign according to input. Uses \$SE.

Fixed single-precision logarithm

Identification: XLOG.

Computes the natural logarithm of $1 + X$, where the single-precision quantity X is in the A register. If

$$0 \leq X < 1,$$

the result is returned to the A register, otherwise an error exit is taken without further action. Input and output are scaled by 2^0 . Uses a Chebychev polynomial of the fifth degree.

Fixed single-precision exponential, positive arguments

Identification: XEXP.

Computes the exponential of X , located in the A register:

$$e^X, 0 \leq X < 1$$

e^X is scaled 2^{-2} . The result is placed in the A register. (Also see PURPOSE in subroutine XEXN.) The exponential is performed by means of a Chebychev poly-

nomial of the fifth degree.

Fixed single exponential, negative argument

Identification: XEXN.

Computes the exponential of X, located in the A register:

$$e^X, -1 < X < 0$$

e^X is scaled 2^0 . The result is placed in the A register. (Also see purpose in subroutine XEXP.) The exponential was split into two subroutines, XEXP and XEXN, to increase scaling flexibility. The exponential is performed by means of a Chebychev polynomial of the fifth degree.

Fixed single-precision square root (short)

Identification: XSQT.

Takes the unrounded square root of the quantity in the A register if it is non-negative. The result is returned to the A register. The A register is unchanged if the input is negative.

Fixed single-precision sine

Identification: XSIN.

Takes the sine of the quantity X in the A register for range $-\pi \leq X \leq \pi$. The input is scaled by 2^{-2} . The output is returned to the A register, scaled 2^{-1} . X is in radians. Uses a change of variable to y to reduce range from $(-\pi, \pi)$ to $(-\pi/2, \pi/2)$. The change of variable is $\sin x = \sin y$.

$$y = \left| X - \frac{\pi}{2} \right| - \frac{\pi}{2} \text{ if } X \geq 0$$

$$y = \left| X - \frac{\pi}{2} \right| + \frac{\pi}{2} \text{ if } X < 0$$

The Taylor sine series, truncated to five terms, is used for sine y.

Fixed single-precision cosine

Identification: XCOS.

Takes the cosine of the quantity X in A register from range $-\pi \leq X \leq \pi$. The input is scaled by 2^{-2} and the output is scaled by 2^{-1} . The output is returned to the A register. Uses a change of variable to y in order to reduce the range of the variable from $(-\pi, +\pi)$ to $-\pi/2, +\pi/2$. Then $\cos x = \sin y$, where $y = \pi/2 - X$. The Taylor sine series, truncated to five terms, is used for sin y.

Fixed single-precision arctangent

Identification: XATN.

Takes the arctangent of the quantity X in the A register, where $-1 < X < 1$. The input is scaled times 2^0 and the output is scaled times 2^0 . Uses a Chebychev polynomial of seven terms. This polynomial is adequate for an 18-bit configuration.

Single-precision polynomial

Identification: POLY.

A resident utility routine intended primarily to support the fixed-point single-precision mathematical subroutines requiring the evaluation of a polynomial in one variable of any finite degree. The polynomial is evaluated in Horner form.

Natural log of floating-point number.

Identification: ALOG.

Computes natural log of a floating-point number. Uses \$ER, \$QS, \$QK, \$QM, XDMU, XDAD, \$FMS, \$NML, XDDI, XDSU, \$SE routines.

Arctangent of a floating-point number

Identification: ATAN.

Computes arctangent of radians in floating point. Uses \$QM, \$QL, \$QN, \$QK, \$SE routines.

Cosine

Identification: COS.

Computes cosine of angle in floating-point radians. Computes sine of $(\sqrt{2}-A)$. Uses SIN, \$QL, \$SE. Output in A, B registers.

Exponential

Identification: EXP.

Computes $e^{**}A$. A is floating-point number. Chebychev approximation uses XDMU, \$QK, \$QL, \$QM, \$QN, \$SE.

Sine

Identification: SIN.

Computes sine of radians in floating point. First 5 terms of Taylor series expansion output in A, B registers. Uses \$NML, \$QM, XDMU, XDAD, \$SE, \$FMS.

Square root

Identification: SQRT.

Computes square root of a floating point number. Newton iteration three times. Uses \$SE, XDDI, \$FMS.

Exponentiation of two integers

Identification: \$HE.

Computes $I^{**}J$, I and J are integers. Floats I and uses \$PE. Uses \$SE, \$QS, \$HS, \$PE.

Exponentiation

Identification: \$PE.

Computes $A^{**}I$, A is a floating-point number, I is an integer. Uses \$QS, \$QE, and \$SE. Floats I and goes to $A^{**}B$ (\$QE).

Exponentiation

Identification: \$QE.

Computes $A^{**}B$, antilog of $B \log A = e^{**}(B \log A)$. Uses ALOG, EXP, \$SE.

Fixed single-precision integer binary-to-decimal conversion

Identification: XBTD.

Converts the absolute value of the integer in the A register, modulo 10,000, to a four digit decimal coded integer in the B register. The input is retained in the A register and the X register is unchanged. The output range is 0 through 9999 inclusive. Uses successive division of binary integer by 10_{10} with concatenation of remainders.

Fixed single-precision integer decimal-to-binary conversion

Identification: XDTB.

Converts the four-digit binary-coded decimal integer in the A register to a binary integer in the B register. The input is retained in the A register with the X register

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unchanged. The input range is +0 through +9999 inclusive. Uses successive multiplication of digits by powers of 10 with accumulation.

$$B = ((10D_3 + D_2)_{10} \partial \rightarrow 1) 10 + D_0.$$

Converts EBCDIC to Hollerith

Identification: SA01

Converts an EBCDIC character in bits 0 through 7 of the A register to 029 Hollerith code in bits 0 through 11 of the A register.

Convert Hollerith to EBCDIC

Identification: SB01

Converts an 029 Hollerith character in bits 0 through 11 of the A register to its corresponding EBCDIC code in bits 0 through 7 of the A register.

EBCDIC to ASCII Conversion

Identification: SC01

Converts an 8-bit EBCDIC character in the A register to its equivalent 8-bit ASCII code in the A register.

Subroutines	Locations	Time
Elementary Functions*		
Log ^e (1 + X), (0 ≤ X < 1)	19	365 μsec
Exponential (e ^{-X}) (0 ≤ X < 1)	17	283 μsec
Exponential (e ^{+X}) (0 ≤ X < 1)	17	333 μsec
Square Root (0 ≤ X < 1)	58	493 μsec
Sine X (-π < X < π)	31	315 μsec
Cosine X (-π < X < π)	20	310 μsec
Arctan (-1 to 1)	15	380 μsec
Single Precision (fixed point)		
Multiply (optional)	hardware	18 μsec
Multiply (programmed)	38	728 μsec
Divide (optional)	hardware	27 μsec
Divide (programmed)	70	360 μsec
Double Precision (fixed point)		
Addition	23	54.0 μsec
Subtraction	25	57.6 μsec
Multiply	38	97.2 μsec
Divide	55	310 μsec
Conversion		
Binary-to-BCD (4 characters)	31	249 μsec
BCD-to-Binary	28	205 μsec

*All elementary functions except square root require a subroutine called POLY, which takes 42 locations.

Figure 25-1 Standard Subroutines, Locations and Running Times

SECTION 26 – COMPUTER DIAGNOSTICS (MAINTAIN II)

MAINTAIN II provides the user with the ability to determine that hardware is functioning properly. The system is divided into preliminary and comprehensive tests of CPU, memory, options, and peripherals. Once assured that basic operations are working, the user can isolate malfunctions to specific CPU, memory, or peripheral equipment by using the appropriate comprehensive test program. MAINTAIN II is available in punched paper tape or card object decks.

The system is designed to operate with any hardware configuration. However, the minimum hardware configuration is a basic Varian 620/L computer with 4K of memory and a peripheral device to read the object program.

MAINTAIN II is detailed in the Varian MAINTAIN II Reference Manual (98 A 9908 960).

Test Executive Program

A composite test executive tape is structured into four logical parts:

- a. Preliminary instructions test
- b. Preliminary memory test
- c. Binary loader
- d. Test executive

The first two parts of the program perform preliminary checks of basic machine instructions and read/write and addressing to memory. If an error is encountered, the error condition is register-displayed.

As preliminary tests are loaded, the binary loader reads data from an object tape and stores the data in specified memory addresses. The program dynamically adapts to the device addresses used in the bootstrap loader. The binary loader program checks each record and compares the result with the value in the input record. If an error is detected, the program stops, allowing user intervention.

Communicating with the Test Executive

Once preliminary checks have been made and binary tape loading has been accomplished, the test executive is loaded. The test executive for MAINTAIN II provides test control and contains standard subroutines that are common to subsequent MAINTAIN II test programs. Modular construction permits flexibility when future design improvements or additional tests are required for special systems.

The user communicates with the test executive through the TTY keyboard and printer. Statements and parameters input from the keyboard control execution and monitoring of associated test programs. To accommodate 4K memory systems, the test executive operates with only one test program in memory at a time.

Under user control, the executive loads test tapes, executes test programs, and provides a set of utility routines. The executive also provides the associated test programs with standardized routines, including TTY input/output.

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Utility Routines

The test executive also provides software aids that are useful for debugging, program maintenance, and hardware troubleshooting. CPU registers and memory can be displayed

or altered. Programs can be trapped into or out of user-designated memory addresses. Data patterns can be searched for in memory, or specified patterns can be placed in memory. There are routines that also permit punching object paper tapes.

SECTION 27 — MASTER OPERATING SYSTEM (MOS)

The MOS is a batch-processing operating system for the Varian 620/L computer. MOS operates on a wide range of hardware configurations. It is modular, thus facilitating expansion (e.g., new language processors, special user I/O drivers, etc.). MOS makes optimum use of memory by loading only those portions of the system (including I/O) required during execution. Features of MOS include:

- a. Minimum operator intervention
- b. Single tape, drum, or disc as secondary storage
- c. Extensive job control language (22 directives)
- d. Multisource input during loading
- e. Debugging aids
- f. File maintenance and editing programs

MOS requires, in addition to the computer, an 8K memory, a 33/35 ASR TTY, and either a rotating memory unit (on a buffer interlace controller) or a magnetic tape unit. MOS supports and is enhanced by the card reader, line printer, hardware multiply/divide and extended addressing, high-speed paper tape and/or card punch, and additional memory increments.

MOS is divided into resident and non-resident partitions. The resident partition comprises the resident monitor, absolute loader, I/O assignment tables, system flags

and parameters, and the dump.

The nonresident partition comprises the control programs, support programs, and language processors. The control programs are:

- a. Executive — job control processor and system control
- b. System loader — linking and relocating loading of programs
- c. I/O control — dispatching of I/O requests and device driving

The support programs are:

- a. Mathematical and support library
- b. Concordance program
- c. Debugging program
- d. File editing program
- e. File maintenance program
- f. System preparation program (operates in stand-alone mode)

The language processors are:

- a. DAS MR macro assembler
- b. FORTRAN IV Compiler (requires an additional memory increment)

The executive program directs execution of

master operating system

the user's programs. It interprets the system directives and either executes the instructions directly, or calls and initiates the appropriate software. Upon completion of the routine, the executive resumes control and goes to the next directive.

The I/O control program processes all I/O requests. I/O control is flexible and device-independent. It assigns logical units (e.g., system file, system input, list output, etc.) to peripherals instead of addressing the devices as hardware units. Up to 225 logical units can be assigned. The units are linked to peripherals by user directives and device assignment tables. Assignments can be changed at any time. Thus, different peripherals can be substituted for I/O operations without reassembling the program. The same peripheral can serve as more than one logical unit, and multiple devices of a given type can be used. I/O for logical devices is serviced by I/O drivers. Only those

drivers required for a given program are in memory during execution.

Under MOS supervision, the DAS MR macro assembler and FORTRAN IV compiler automatically process source statements to generate relocatable and compatible object programs. These can be checked for errors with the MOS debugging program, which includes directives for memory searching, interrogation or alteration of logical units, core dump, etc.

The file maintenance program edits the MOS library. Programs can be added to or deleted from the library. The file editing program (source editor) permits creation, duplication, and correction of source files, such as symbolic DAS and FORTRAN IV program statements.

MOS is detailed in the Master Operating System Reference Manual (98 A 9952 090).

SECTION 28 – FORTRAN IV

Varian FORTRAN IV is a programming system that permits simple solutions of complex mathematical problems. It permits users having little computer organization experience and few programming skills to effectively utilize the computational power of the Varian 620/L. Problems can be stated in simple English words and mathematical terms. Thus, the learning period required for useful programming is short.

The FORTRAN IV language is fully compatible with the American National Standards Institute (ANSI) FORTRAN.

FORTRAN IV is available as a stand-alone system or as a component of the master operating system (MOS). The principal components of the system are a compiler, a loader, and a comprehensive run-time package. The one-pass processing provides convenient, efficient compilations and the

entire system operates in only 8K of memory. The MOS version requires 12K. The run-time module contains input/output driver routines for the full line of Varian 620 peripherals, plus arithmetic and mathematical function libraries.

The principal features of the FORTRAN IV language include:

- a. Implied DO loop in DATA initialization statement

- b. BLOCK DATA statement
- c. Array declarators permitted in COMMON statements
- d. Labelled COMMON specification
- e. Adjustable DIMENSION capability
- f. Three-dimensional arrays and subscripts permitted
- g. Double-precision and complex arithmetic
- h. Relational operators, .LT., .LE., .GT., .GE., .EQ., .NE.
- i. Explicit function and data identifiers, INTEGER, REAL, DOUBLE PRECISION, COMPLEX, and LOGICAL
- k. A, F, E, D, I, H, X, L, and G field specifications in a FORMAT statement
- l. EXTERNAL statement
- m. Single- or double-word integers and logical data

FORTRAN IV is detailed in the FORTRAN IV Reference Manual (98 A 9902 035).

SECTION 29 — BASIC

BASIC is a popular, easy-to-use programming language for a wide variety of business and scientific applications. The simplicity of BASIC, plus its conversational operation, permit the inexperienced operator to perform useful programming with just a few hours of training. The computer responds to all commands entered by the user, thus reinforcing the learning process. If the operator makes an error, diagnostics report the type of error, and corrections can be made immediately.

For the experienced programmer, the Varian version of BASIC includes expanded instructions and capabilities. The advanced features permit wider-range programming applications, retaining the inherent simplicity of the language.

Only 8K memory and a TTY are required for using BASIC in Varian 620/L system. Even dedicated computers can perform general computation when not used for other primary functions.

The distinguishing features of BASIC include:

- a. Arithmetic operators +, -, *, /, \uparrow
- b. Logical operators AND, OR, NOT
- c. Relational operators >, <, \geq , \leq , =, \neq
- d. Optional computed GOTO and GOSUB statements
- e. Parameter-passing on GOSUB allowed
- f. SUB statement for defining parameters
- g. CALL statement for linking to assembler language subroutines
- h. Recursive execution of subroutines allowed
- i. STOP statement causes a program pause
- j. Complete matrix operations and trig functions

Operational features of the language are:

- a. Immediate syntax-checking and diagnosis of statements
- b. Immediate, single-statement execution when requested (calculator mode)
- c. Optional TTY or high speed paper tape I/O
- d. Optimum memory utilization through operator library selection

BASIC is detailed in the Varian 620 BASIC Reference Manual (98 A 9952 031).

SECTION 30 — REPORT PROGRAM GENERATOR IV (RPG IV)

RPG IV is a business-oriented language and system for the 620/L computer system. It simply and efficiently produces problem-solving and report-generation programs.

The RPG IV compiler is an advanced version of RPG systems now widely used throughout industry for commercial applications. Application programs written in the RPG IV language are far more concise than the equivalent programs written in COBOL. In typical instances, only a fourth or a third of the program steps are required, resulting in faster processing and a reduction in the amount of memory required to store the program.

RPG IV improves on common RPG languages by providing many automatic features as well as powerful procedural statements. Each statement is written free-form, simplifying the programmer's task.

An application program written in the RPG IV language consists of a series of statements. Each statement is a concise directive; the number of names and labels is small, yet meaningful. Such functions as automatic scaling of numeric data, sequence-checking, control break testing, and auditing of input records and fields are built into the language, relieving the programmer of these tasks through multiple directives.

Two-Stage Operation

The Varian RPG IV system operates in two stages.

First Stage

The first stage is the preparation of the

specific application program that will produce a required report or an update of an existing report. To use RPG IV, a series of statements are written, defining the data to be processed, calculations to be performed, and the contents and format of the finished report or output file. These statements, which make up the RPG IV source program, are transferred to punched cards, one statement per card.

Using a loader program supplied by Varian, the RPG IV compiler program is loaded into the computer memory. The cards representing the RPG IV source program are then read by the card reader and the individual statements processed by the compiler program to produce a second deck of punched cards representing the RPG IV object program.

The object program is a translation of the source program. It consists of a series of machine instructions that are executed by the computer in performing the application. The computer also produces a printed output of the original source program for reference and debugging.

Second Stage

The second stage is the loading and execution of the RPG IV object program that does the processing of actual data into finished reports or output files. The object program produced by the first stage is read into memory, along with a run-time support program supplied by Varian. The users' data files on punched cards are then read by the card reader and processed by the computer.

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Printed Output

The principal output is a printed record, prepared on the line printer, in finished form ready for distribution.

In certain applications, the program can also output a portion or all of the processed data, on punched cards, to be used as input

data for later processing. Typical would be a record of an updated end-of-the-month inventory, which would then be used as a start-of-the-month inventory record at the end of the following month.

RPG IV is detailed in the Varian RPG IV system user's manual (98A 9947 030).

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standard character codes

Symbol	ASCII	Printer	Mag Tape	Hollerith	FORTRAN
@	300	00	32	0-2-8	77
A	301	01	61	12-1	13
B	302	02	62	12-2	14
C	303	03	63	12-3	15
D	304	04	64	12-4	16
E	305	05	65	12-5	17
F	306	06	66	12-6	20
G	307	07	67	12-7	21
H	310	10	70	12-8	22
I	311	11	71	12-9	23
J	312	12	41	11-1	24
K	313	13	42	11-2	25
L	314	14	43	11-3	26
M	315	15	44	11-4	27
N	316	16	45	11-5	30
O	317	17	46	11-6	31
P	320	20	47	11-7	32
Q	321	21	50	11-8	33
R	322	22	51	11-9	34
S	323	23	22	0-2	35
T	324	24	23	0-3	36
U	325	25	24	0-4	37
V	326	26	25	0-5	40
W	327	27	26	0-6	41

Standard Character Codes (1 of 3)

Symbol	ASCII	Printer	Mag Tape	Hollerith	FORTRAN
X	330	30	27	0-7	42
Y	331	31	30	0-8	43
Z	332	32	31	0-9	44
[	333	33	75	12-5-8	76*
\	334	34	36	0-6-8	76*
]	335	35	55	11-5-8	76*
↑	336	36	17	7-8	76*
			(Note)		
←	337	37	20	2-8	76 ¹
blank	240	40	20	No Punch	00
!	241	41	52	11-2-8	51
"	242	42	35	0-5-8	62
#	243	43	37	0-7-8	63
\$	244	44	53	11-3-8	60
%	245	45	57	11-7-8	64
&	246	46	77	12-7-8	65
'	247	47	14	4-8	66
(	250	50	34	0-4-8	52
)	251	51	74	12-4-8	53
*	252	52	54	11-4-8	47
+	253	53	60	12	45
,	254	54	33	0-3-8	54
-	255	55	40	11	46
.	256	56	73	12-3-8	51
/	257	57	21	0-1	50

Standard Character Codes (2 of 3)

standard character codes

Symbol	ASCII	Printer	Mag Tape	Hollerith	FORTRAN
0	260	60	12	0	01
1	261	61	01	1	02
2	262	62	02	2	03
3	263	63	03	3	04
4	264	64	04	4	05
5	265	65	05	5	06
6	266	66	06	6	07
7	267	67	07	7	10
8	270	70	10	8	11
9	271	71	11	9	12
:	272	72	15	5-8	67
;	273	73	56	11-6-8	70
<	274	74	76	12-6-8	76*
=	275	75	13	3-8	55
>	276	76	16	6-8	76 ²
?	277	77	72	12-2-8	76

Note: End-of-file for mag tape.

*: Undefined character.

1: Form control: Return to col 1.

2: Tab control: Skip to col 7.

} FORTRAN System only

Standard Character Codes (3 of 3)

Teletype Character	DATA 620/i Internal Code	Teletype Character	DATA 620/i Internal Code
0	260	Y	331
1	261	Z	332
2	262	blank	240
3	263	!	241
4	264	'	242
5	265	#	243
6	266	\$	244
7	267	%	245
8	270	&	246
9	271	'	247
A	301	(	250
B	302	)	251
C	303	*	252
D	304	+	253
E	305	,	254
F	306	.	255
G	307	-	256
H	310	/	257
I	311	:	272
J	312	;	273
K	313		274
L	314	=	275
M	315		276
N	316	?	277
O	317	@	300
P	320		333
Q	321		334
R	322		335
S	323		336
T	324		337
U	325	Rub Out	377
V	326	NUL	200
W	327	SOM	201
X	330	EOA	202

Teletypewriter Character Codes (1 of 2)

TTY character codes

Teletype Character	DATA 620/i Internal Code	Teletype Character	DATA 620/i Internal Code
EOM	203	X-OFF	223
EOT	204	TAPE OFF	
WRU	205	AUX	224
RU	206	ERROR	225
BEL	207	SYNC	226
FE	210	LEM	227
H TAB	211	SO	230
LINE FEED	212	S1	231
V TAB	213	S2	232
FORM	214	S3	233
RETURN	215	S4	234
SO	216	S5	235
SI	217	S6	236
DCO	220	S7	237
X-ON	221		
TAPE AUX			
ON	222		

Teletypewriter Character Codes (2 of 2)

octal decimal conversions

0000 to 0777 (Octal) 0000 to 0511 (Decimal)

Octal Decimal

10000 - 4096
20000 - 8192
30000 - 12288
40000 - 16384
50000 - 20480
60000 - 24576
70000 - 28672

	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
0000	0000	0001	0002	0003	0004	0005	0006	0007
0010	0008	0009	0010	0011	0012	0013	0014	0015
0020	0016	0017	0018	0019	0020	0021	0022	0023
0030	0024	0025	0026	0027	0028	0029	0030	0031
0040	0032	0033	0034	0035	0036	0037	0038	0039
0050	0040	0041	0042	0043	0044	0045	0046	0047
0060	0048	0049	0050	0051	0052	0053	0054	0055
0070	0056	0057	0058	0059	0060	0061	0062	0063
0100	0064	0065	0066	0067	0068	0069	0070	0071
0110	0072	0073	0074	0075	0076	0077	0078	0079
0120	0080	0081	0082	0083	0084	0085	0086	0087
0130	0088	0089	0090	0091	0092	0093	0094	0095
0140	0096	0097	0098	0099	0100	0101	0102	0103
0150	0104	0105	0106	0107	0108	0109	0110	0111
0160	0112	0113	0114	0115	0116	0117	0118	0119
0170	0120	0121	0122	0123	0124	0125	0126	0127
0200	0128	0129	0130	0131	0132	0133	0134	0135
0210	0136	0137	0138	0139	0140	0141	0142	0143
0220	0144	0145	0146	0147	0148	0149	0150	0151
0230	0152	0153	0154	0155	0156	0157	0158	0159
0240	0160	0161	0162	0163	0164	0165	0166	0167
0250	0168	0169	0170	0171	0172	0173	0174	0175
0260	0176	0177	0178	0179	0180	0181	0182	0183
0270	0184	0185	0186	0187	0188	0189	0190	0191
0300	0192	0193	0194	0195	0196	0197	0198	0199
0310	0200	0201	0202	0203	0204	0205	0206	0207
0320	0208	0209	0210	0211	0212	0213	0214	0215
0330	0216	0217	0218	0219	0220	0221	0222	0223
0340	0224	0225	0226	0227	0228	0229	0230	0231
0350	0232	0233	0234	0235	0236	0237	0238	0239
0360	0240	0241	0242	0243	0244	0245	0246	0247
0370	0248	0249	0250	0251	0252	0253	0254	0255

	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
0400	0256	0257	0258	0259	0260	0261	0262	0263
0410	0264	0265	0266	0267	0268	0269	0270	0271
0420	0272	0273	0274	0275	0276	0277	0278	0279
0430	0280	0281	0282	0283	0284	0285	0286	0287
0440	0288	0289	0290	0291	0292	0293	0294	0295
0450	0296	0297	0298	0299	0300	0301	0302	0303
0460	0304	0305	0306	0307	0308	0309	0310	0311
0470	0312	0313	0314	0315	0316	0317	0318	0319
0500	0320	0321	0322	0323	0324	0325	0326	0327
0510	0328	0329	0330	0331	0332	0333	0334	0335
0520	0336	0337	0338	0339	0340	0341	0342	0343
0530	0344	0345	0346	0347	0348	0349	0350	0351
0540	0352	0353	0354	0355	0356	0357	0358	0359
0550	0360	0361	0362	0363	0364	0365	0366	0367
0560	0368	0369	0370	0371	0372	0373	0374	0375
0570	0376	0377	0378	0379	0380	0381	0382	0383
0600	0384	0385	0386	0387	0388	0389	0390	0391
0610	0392	0393	0394	0395	0396	0397	0398	0399
0620	0400	0401	0402	0403	0404	0405	0406	0407
0630	0408	0409	0410	0411	0412	0413	0414	0415
0640	0416	0417	0418	0419	0420	0421	0422	0423
0650	0424	0425	0426	0427	0428	0429	0430	0431
0660	0432	0433	0434	0435	0436	0437	0438	0439
0670	0440	0441	0442	0443	0444	0445	0446	0447
0700	0448	0449	0450	0451	0452	0453	0454	0455
0710	0456	0457	0458	0459	0460	0461	0462	0463
0720	0464	0465	0466	0467	0468	0469	0470	0471
0730	0472	0473	0474	0475	0476	0477	0478	0479
0740	0480	0481	0482	0483	0484	0485	0486	0487
0750	0488	0489	0490	0491	0492	0493	0494	0495
0760	0496	0497	0498	0499	0500	0501	0502	0503
0770	0504	0505	0506	0507	0508	0509	0510	0511

1000 to 1777 (Octal) 0512 to 1023 (Decimal)

	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1000	0511	0513	0514	0515	0516	0517	0518	0519
1010	0520	0521	0522	0523	0524	0525	0526	0527
1020	0528	0529	0530	0531	0532	0533	0534	0535
1030	0536	0537	0538	0539	0540	0541	0542	0543
1040	0544	0545	0546	0547	0548	0549	0550	0551
1050	0552	0553	0554	0555	0556	0557	0558	0559
1060	0560	0561	0562	0563	0564	0565	0566	0567
1070	0568	0569	0570	0571	0572	0573	0574	0575
1100	0576	0577	0578	0579	0580	0581	0582	0583
1110	0584	0585	0586	0587	0588	0589	0590	0591
1120	0592	0593	0594	0595	0596	0597	0598	0599
1130	0600	0601	0602	0603	0604	0605	0606	0607
1140	0608	0609	0610	0611	0612	0613	0614	0615
1150	0616	0617	0618	0619	0620	0621	0622	0623
1160	0624	0625	0626	0627	0628	0629	0630	0631
1170	0632	0633	0634	0635	0636	0637	0638	0639
1200	0640	0641	0642	0643	0644	0645	0646	0647
1210	0648	0649	0650	0651	0652	0653	0654	0655
1220	0656	0657	0658	0659	0660	0661	0662	0663
1230	0664	0665	0666	0667	0668	0669	0670	0671
1240	0672	0673	0674	0675	0676	0677	0678	0679
1250	0680	0681	0682	0683	0684	0685	0686	0687
1260	0688	0689	0690	0691	0692	0693	0694	0695
1270	0696	0697	0698	0699	0700	0701	0702	0703
1300	0704	0705	0706	0707	0708	0709	0710	0711
1310	0712	0713	0714	0715	0716	0717	0718	0719
1320	0720	0721	0722	0723	0724	0725	0726	0727
1330	0728	0729	0730	0731	0732	0733	0734	0735
1340	0736	0737	0738	0739	0740	0741	0742	0743
1350	0744	0745	0746	0747	0748	0749	0750	0751
1360	0752	0753	0754	0755	0756	0757	0758	0759
1370	0760	0761	0762	0763	0764	0765	0766	0767

	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1400	0768	0769	0770	0771	0772	0773	0774	0775
1410	0776	0777	0778	0779	0780	0781	0782	0783
1420	0784	0785	0786	0787	0788	0789	0790	0791
1430	0792	0793	0794	0795	0796	0797	0798	0799
1440	0800	0801	0802	0803	0804	0805	0806	0807
1450	0808	0809	0810	0811	0812	0813	0814	0815
1460	0816	0817	0818	0819	0820	0821	0822	0823
1470	0824	0825	0826	0827	0828	0829	0830	0831
1500	0832	0833	0834	0835	0836	0837	0838	0839
1510	0840	0841	0842	0843	0844	0845	0846	0847
1520	0848	0849	0850	0851	0852	0853	0854	0855
1530	0856	0857	0858	0859	0860	0861	0862	0863
1540	0864	0865	0866	0867	0868	0869	0870	0871
1550	0872	0873	0874	0875	0876	0877	0878	0879
1560	0880	0881	0882	0883	0884	0885	0886	0887
1570	0888	0889	0890	0891	0892	0893	0894	0895
1600	0896	0897	0898	0899	0900	0901	0902	0903
1610	0904	0905	0906	0907	0908	0909	0910	0911
1620	0912	0913	0914	0915	0916	0917	0918	0919
1630	0920	0921	0922	0923	0924	0925	0926	0927
1640	0928	0929	0930	0931	0932	0933	0934	0935
1650	0936	0937	0938	0939	0940	0941	0942	0943
1660	0944	0945	0946	0947	0948	0949	0950	0951
1670	0952	0953	0954	0955	0956	0957	0958	0959
1700	0960	0961	0962	0963	0964	0965	0966	0967
1710	0968	0969	0970	0971	0972	0973	0974	0975
1720	0976	0977	0978	0979	0980	0981	0982	0983
1730	0984	0985	0986	0987	0988	0989	0990	0991
1740	0992	0993	0994	0995	0996	0997	0998	0999
1750	1000	1001	1002	1003	1004	1005	1006	1007
1760	1008	1009	1010	1011	1012	1013	1014	1015
1770	1016	1017	1018	1019	1020	1021	1022	1023

Octal-Decimal Integer Conversions (1 of 4)

octal decimal conversions

	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
2000	1024	1025	1026	1027	1028	1029	1030	1031
2010	1032	1033	1034	1035	1036	1037	1038	1039
2020	1040	1041	1042	1043	1044	1045	1046	1047
2030	1048	1049	1050	1051	1052	1053	1054	1055
2040	1056	1057	1058	1059	1060	1061	1062	1063
2050	1064	1065	1066	1067	1068	1069	1070	1071
2060	1072	1073	1074	1075	1076	1077	1078	1079
2070	1080	1081	1082	1083	1084	1085	1086	1087
2100	1088	1089	1090	1091	1092	1093	1094	1095
2110	1096	1097	1098	1099	1100	1101	1102	1103
2120	1104	1105	1106	1107	1108	1109	1110	1111
2130	1112	1113	1114	1115	1116	1117	1118	1119
2140	1120	1121	1122	1123	1124	1125	1126	1127
2150	1128	1129	1130	1131	1132	1133	1134	1135
2160	1136	1137	1138	1139	1140	1141	1142	1143
2170	1144	1145	1146	1147	1148	1149	1150	1151

	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
2400	1280	1281	1282	1283	1284	1285	1286	1287
2410	1288	1289	1290	1291	1292	1293	1294	1295
2420	1296	1297	1298	1299	1300	1301	1302	1303
2430	1304	1305	1306	1307	1308	1309	1310	1311
2440	1312	1313	1314	1315	1316	1317	1318	1319
2450	1320	1321	1322	1323	1324	1325	1326	1327
2460	1328	1329	1330	1331	1332	1333	1334	1335
2470	1336	1337	1338	1339	1340	1341	1342	1343
2500	1344	1345	1346	1347	1348	1349	1350	1351
2510	1352	1353	1354	1355	1356	1357	1358	1359
2520	1360	1361	1362	1363	1364	1365	1366	1367
2530	1368	1369	1370	1371	1372	1373	1374	1375
2540	1376	1377	1378	1379	1380	1381	1382	1383
2550	1384	1385	1386	1387	1388	1389	1390	1391
2560	1392	1393	1394	1395	1396	1397	1398	1399
2570	1400	1401	1402	1403	1404	1405	1406	1407

2000 1024
to to
2777 1535
(Octal) (Decimal)

Octal Decimal
10000 - 4096
20000 - 8192
30000 - 12288
40000 - 16384
50000 - 20480
60000 - 24576
70000 - 28672

	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
2200	1152	1153	1154	1155	1156	1157	1158	1159
2210	1160	1161	1162	1163	1164	1165	1166	1167
2220	1168	1169	1170	1171	1172	1173	1174	1175
2230	1176	1177	1178	1179	1180	1181	1182	1183
2240	1184	1185	1186	1187	1188	1189	1190	1191
2250	1192	1193	1194	1195	1196	1197	1198	1199
2260	1200	1201	1202	1203	1204	1205	1206	1207
2270	1208	1209	1210	1211	1212	1213	1214	1215
2300	1216	1217	1218	1219	1220	1221	1222	1223
2310	1224	1225	1226	1227	1228	1229	1230	1231
2320	1232	1233	1234	1235	1236	1237	1238	1239
2330	1240	1241	1242	1243	1244	1245	1246	1247
2340	1248	1249	1250	1251	1252	1253	1254	1255
2350	1256	1257	1258	1259	1260	1261	1262	1263
2360	1264	1265	1266	1267	1268	1269	1270	1271
2370	1272	1273	1274	1275	1276	1277	1278	1279

	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
2600	1408	1409	1410	1411	1412	1413	1414	1415
2610	1416	1417	1418	1419	1420	1421	1422	1423
2620	1424	1425	1426	1427	1428	1429	1430	1431
2630	1432	1433	1434	1435	1436	1437	1438	1439
2640	1440	1441	1442	1443	1444	1445	1446	1447
2650	1448	1449	1450	1451	1452	1453	1454	1455
2660	1456	1457	1458	1459	1460	1461	1462	1463
2670	1464	1465	1466	1467	1468	1469	1470	1471
2700	1472	1473	1474	1475	1476	1477	1478	1479
2710	1480	1481	1482	1483	1484	1485	1486	1487
2720	1488	1489	1490	1491	1492	1493	1494	1495
2730	1496	1497	1498	1499	1500	1501	1502	1503
2740	1504	1505	1506	1507	1508	1509	1510	1511
2750	1512	1513	1514	1515	1516	1517	1518	1519
2760	1520	1521	1522	1523	1524	1525	1526	1527
2770	1528	1529	1530	1531	1532	1533	1534	1535

3000 1536
to to
3777 2047
(Octal) (Decimal)

	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
3000	1536	1537	1538	1539	1540	1541	1542	1543
3010	1544	1545	1546	1547	1548	1549	1550	1551
3020	1552	1553	1554	1555	1556	1557	1558	1559
3030	1560	1561	1562	1563	1564	1565	1566	1567
3040	1568	1569	1570	1571	1572	1573	1574	1575
3050	1576	1577	1578	1579	1580	1581	1582	1583
3060	1584	1585	1586	1587	1588	1589	1590	1591
3070	1592	1593	1594	1595	1596	1597	1598	1599
3100	1600	1601	1602	1603	1604	1605	1606	1607
3110	1608	1609	1610	1611	1612	1613	1614	1615
3120	1616	1617	1618	1619	1620	1621	1622	1623
3130	1624	1625	1626	1627	1628	1629	1630	1631
3140	1632	1633	1634	1635	1636	1637	1638	1639
3150	1640	1641	1642	1643	1644	1645	1646	1647
3160	1648	1649	1650	1651	1652	1653	1654	1655
3170	1656	1657	1658	1659	1660	1661	1662	1663

	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
3400	1792	1793	1794	1795	1796	1797	1798	1799
3410	1800	1801	1802	1803	1804	1805	1806	1807
3420	1808	1809	1810	1811	1812	1813	1814	1815
3430	1816	1817	1818	1819	1820	1821	1822	1823
3440	1824	1825	1826	1827	1828	1829	1830	1831
3450	1832	1833	1834	1835	1836	1837	1838	1839
3460	1840	1841	1842	1843	1844	1845	1846	1847
3470	1848	1849	1850	1851	1852	1853	1854	1855
3500	1856	1857	1858	1859	1860	1861	1862	1863
3510	1864	1865	1866	1867	1868	1869	1870	1871
3520	1872	1873	1874	1875	1876	1877	1878	1879
3530	1880	1881	1882	1883	1884	1885	1886	1887
3540	1888	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895
3550	1896	1897	1898	1899	1900	1901	1902	1903
3560	1904	1905	1906	1907	1908	1909	1910	1911
3570	1912	1913	1914	1915	1916	1917	1918	1919

	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
3200	1664	1665	1666	1667	1668	1669	1670	1671
3210	1672	1673	1674	1675	1676	1677	1678	1679
3220	1680	1681	1682	1683	1684	1685	1686	1687
3230	1688	1689	1690	1691	1692	1693	1694	1695
3240	1696	1697	1698	1699	1700	1701	1702	1703
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Octal-Decimal Integer Conversions (2 of 4)

octal decimal conversions

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Octal decimal conversions

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6000 to 6777 (Octal)
 3072 to 3583 (Decimal)
 Octal Decimal
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 30000 - 12288
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7000 to 7777 (Octal)
 3584 to 4095 (Decimal)

Octal-Decimal Integer Conversions (4 of 4)

octal decimal conversions

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.003	.005859	.103	.130859	.203	.255859	.303	.380859
.004	.007812	.104	.132812	.204	.257812	.304	.382812
.005	.009765	.105	.134765	.205	.259765	.305	.384765
.006	.011718	.106	.136718	.206	.261718	.306	.386718
.007	.013671	.107	.138671	.207	.263671	.307	.388671
.010	.015625	.110	.140625	.210	.265625	.310	.390625
.011	.017578	.111	.142578	.211	.267578	.311	.392578
.012	.019531	.112	.144531	.212	.269531	.312	.394531
.013	.021484	.113	.146484	.213	.271484	.313	.396484
.014	.023437	.114	.148437	.214	.273437	.314	.398437
.015	.025390	.115	.150390	.215	.275390	.315	.400390
.016	.027343	.116	.152343	.216	.277343	.316	.402343
.017	.029296	.117	.154296	.217	.279296	.317	.404296
.020	.031250	.120	.156250	.220	.281250	.320	.406250
.021	.033203	.121	.158203	.221	.283203	.321	.408203
.022	.035156	.122	.160156	.222	.285156	.322	.410156
.023	.037109	.123	.162109	.223	.287109	.323	.412109
.024	.039062	.124	.164062	.224	.289062	.324	.414062
.025	.041015	.125	.166015	.225	.291015	.325	.416015
.026	.042968	.126	.167968	.226	.292968	.326	.417968
.027	.044921	.127	.169921	.227	.294921	.327	.419921
.030	.046875	.130	.171875	.230	.296875	.330	.421875
.031	.048828	.131	.173828	.231	.298828	.331	.423828
.032	.050781	.132	.175781	.232	.300781	.332	.425781
.033	.052734	.133	.177734	.233	.302734	.333	.427734
.034	.054687	.134	.179687	.234	.304687	.334	.429687
.035	.056640	.135	.181640	.235	.306640	.335	.431640
.036	.058593	.136	.183593	.236	.308593	.336	.433593
.037	.060546	.137	.185546	.237	.310546	.337	.435546
.040	.062500	.140	.187500	.240	.312500	.340	.437500
.041	.064453	.141	.189453	.241	.314453	.341	.439453
.042	.066406	.142	.191406	.242	.316406	.342	.441406
.043	.068359	.143	.193359	.243	.318359	.343	.443359
.044	.070312	.144	.195312	.244	.320312	.344	.445312
.045	.072265	.145	.197265	.245	.322265	.345	.447265
.046	.074218	.146	.199218	.246	.324218	.346	.449218
.047	.076171	.147	.201171	.247	.326171	.347	.451171
.050	.078125	.150	.203125	.250	.328125	.350	.453125
.051	.080078	.151	.205078	.251	.330078	.351	.455078
.052	.082031	.152	.207031	.252	.332031	.352	.457031
.053	.083984	.153	.208984	.253	.333984	.353	.458984
.054	.085937	.154	.210937	.254	.335937	.354	.460937
.055	.087890	.155	.212890	.255	.337890	.355	.462890
.056	.089843	.156	.214843	.256	.339843	.356	.464843
.057	.091796	.157	.216796	.257	.341796	.357	.466796
.060	.093750	.160	.218750	.260	.343750	.360	.468750
.061	.095703	.161	.220703	.261	.345703	.361	.470703
.062	.097656	.162	.222656	.262	.347656	.362	.472656
.063	.099609	.163	.224609	.263	.349609	.363	.474609
.064	.101562	.164	.226562	.264	.351562	.364	.476562
.065	.103515	.165	.228515	.265	.353515	.365	.478515
.066	.105468	.166	.230468	.266	.355468	.366	.480468
.067	.107421	.167	.232421	.267	.357421	.367	.482421
.070	.109375	.170	.234375	.270	.359375	.370	.484375
.071	.111328	.171	.236328	.271	.361328	.371	.486328
.072	.113281	.172	.238281	.272	.363281	.372	.488281
.073	.115234	.173	.240234	.273	.365234	.373	.490234
.074	.117187	.174	.242187	.274	.367187	.374	.492187
.075	.119140	.175	.244140	.275	.369140	.375	.494140
.076	.121093	.176	.246093	.276	.371093	.376	.496093
.077	.123046	.177	.248046	.277	.373046	.377	.498046

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OCTAL	DEC.	OCTAL	DEC.	OCTAL	DEC.	OCTAL	DEC.
.00000	.00000	.000100	.000244	.000200	.000488	.000300	.000732
.00001	.00003	.000101	.000247	.000201	.000492	.000301	.000736
.00002	.00007	.000102	.000251	.000202	.000496	.000302	.000740
.00003	.00011	.000103	.000255	.000203	.000499	.000303	.000743
.00004	.00015	.000104	.000259	.000204	.000503	.000304	.000747
.00005	.00019	.000105	.000263	.000205	.000507	.000305	.000751
.00006	.00022	.000106	.000267	.000206	.000511	.000306	.000755
.00007	.00026	.000107	.000270	.000207	.000514	.000307	.000759
.00010	.00030	.000110	.000274	.000210	.000518	.000310	.000762
.00011	.00034	.000111	.000278	.000211	.000522	.000311	.000766
.00012	.00038	.000112	.000282	.000212	.000526	.000312	.000770
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.00014	.00045	.000114	.000289	.000214	.000534	.000314	.000778
.00015	.00049	.000115	.000293	.000215	.000537	.000315	.000782
.00016	.00053	.000116	.000297	.000216	.000541	.000316	.000785
.00017	.00057	.000117	.000301	.000217	.000545	.000317	.000789
.00020	.00061	.000120	.000305	.000220	.000549	.000320	.000793
.00021	.00064	.000121	.000308	.000221	.000553	.000321	.000797
.00022	.00068	.000122	.000312	.000222	.000556	.000322	.000801
.00023	.00072	.000123	.000316	.000223	.000560	.000323	.000805
.00024	.00076	.000124	.000320	.000224	.000564	.000324	.000808
.00025	.00080	.000125	.000324	.000225	.000568	.000325	.000812
.00026	.00083	.000126	.000328	.000226	.000572	.000326	.000816
.00027	.00087	.000127	.000331	.000227	.000576	.000327	.000820
.00030	.00091	.000130	.000335	.000230	.000579	.000330	.000823
.00031	.00095	.000131	.000339	.000231	.000583	.000331	.000827
.00032	.00099	.000132	.000343	.000232	.000587	.000332	.000831
.00033	.00102	.000133	.000347	.000233	.000591	.000333	.000835
.00034	.00106	.000134	.000350	.000234	.000595	.000334	.000839
.00035	.00110	.000135	.000354	.000235	.000599	.000335	.000843
.00036	.00114	.000136	.000358	.000236	.000602	.000336	.000846
.00037	.00118	.000137	.000362	.000237	.000606	.000337	.000850
.00040	.00122	.000140	.000366	.000240	.000610	.000340	.000854
.00041	.00125	.000141	.000370	.000241	.000614	.000341	.000858
.00042	.00129	.000142	.000373	.000242	.000617	.000342	.000862
.00043	.00133	.000143	.000377	.000243	.000621	.000343	.000866
.00044	.00137	.000144	.000381	.000244	.000625	.000344	.000869
.00045	.00141	.000145	.000385	.000245	.000629	.000345	.000873
.00046	.00144	.000146	.000389	.000246	.000633	.000346	.000877
.00047	.00148	.000147	.000392	.000247	.000637	.000347	.000881
.00050	.00152	.000150	.000396	.000250	.000640	.000350	.000885
.00051	.00156	.000151	.000400	.000251	.000644	.000351	.000888
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.00060	.00183	.000160	.000427	.000260	.000671	.000360	.000915
.00061	.00186	.000161	.000431	.000261	.000675	.000361	.000919
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.00065	.00202	.000165	.000446	.000265	.000690	.000365	.000934
.00066	.00205	.000166	.000450	.000266	.000694	.000366	.000938
.00067	.00209	.000167	.000453	.000267	.000698	.000367	.000942
.00070	.00213	.000170	.000457	.000270	.000701	.000370	.000946
.00071	.00217	.000171	.000461	.000271	.000705	.000371	.000949
.00072	.00221	.000172	.000465	.000272	.000709	.000372	.000953
.00073	.00225	.000173	.000469	.000273	.000713	.000373	.000957
.00074	.00228	.000174	.000473	.000274	.000717	.000374	.000961
.00075	.00232	.000175	.000476	.000275	.000720	.000375	.000965
.00076	.00236	.000176	.000480	.000276	.000724	.000376	.000968
.00077	.00240	.000177	.000484	.000277	.000728	.000377	.000972

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OCTAL	DEC.	OCTAL	DEC.	OCTAL	DEC.	OCTAL	DEC.
.000400	.000976	.000500	.001220	.000600	.001464	.000700	.001708
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.000402	.000984	.000502	.001228	.000602	.001472	.000702	.001716
.000403	.000988	.000503	.001232	.000603	.001476	.000703	.001720
.000404	.000991	.000504	.001235	.000604	.001480	.000704	.001724
.000405	.000995	.000505	.001239	.000605	.001483	.000705	.001728
.000406	.000999	.000506	.001243	.000606	.001487	.000706	.001731
.000407	.001003	.000507	.001247	.000607	.001491	.000707	.001735
.000410	.001007	.000510	.001251	.000610	.001495	.000710	.001739
.000411	.001010	.000511	.001255	.000611	.001499	.000711	.001743
.000412	.001014	.000512	.001258	.000612	.001502	.000712	.001747
.000413	.001018	.000513	.001262	.000613	.001506	.000713	.001750
.000414	.001022	.000514	.001266	.000614	.001510	.000714	.001754
.000415	.001026	.000515	.001270	.000615	.001514	.000715	.001758
.000416	.001029	.000516	.001274	.000616	.001518	.000716	.001762
.000417	.001033	.000517	.001277	.000617	.001522	.000717	.001766
.000420	.001037	.000520	.001281	.000620	.001525	.000720	.001770
.000421	.001041	.000521	.001285	.000621	.001529	.000721	.001773
.000422	.001045	.000522	.001289	.000622	.001533	.000722	.001777
.000423	.001049	.000523	.001293	.000623	.001537	.000723	.001781
.000424	.001052	.000524	.001296	.000624	.001541	.000724	.001785
.000425	.001056	.000525	.001300	.000625	.001544	.000725	.001789
.000426	.001060	.000526	.001304	.000626	.001548	.000726	.001792
.000427	.001064	.000527	.001308	.000627	.001552	.000727	.001796
.000430	.001068	.000530	.001312	.000630	.001555	.000730	.001800
.000431	.001071	.000531	.001316	.000631	.001559	.000731	.001804
.000432	.001075	.000532	.001319	.000632	.001564	.000732	.001808
.000433	.001079	.000533	.001323	.000633	.001567	.000733	.001811
.000434	.001083	.000534	.001327	.000634	.001571	.000734	.001815
.000435	.001087	.000535	.001331	.000635	.001575	.000735	.001819
.000436	.001091	.000536	.001335	.000636	.001579	.000736	.001823
.000437	.001094	.000537	.001338	.000637	.001583	.000737	.001827
.000440	.001098	.000540	.001342	.000640	.001586	.000740	.001831
.000441	.001102	.000541	.001346	.000641	.001590	.000741	.001834
.000442	.001106	.000542	.001350	.000642	.001594	.000742	.001838
.000443	.001110	.000543	.001354	.000643	.001598	.000743	.001842
.000444	.001113	.000544	.001358	.000644	.001602	.000744	.001846
.000445	.001117	.000545	.001361	.000645	.001605	.000745	.001850
.000446	.001121	.000546	.001365	.000646	.001609	.000746	.001853
.000447	.001125	.000547	.001369	.000647	.001613	.000747	.001857
.000450	.001129	.000550	.001373	.000650	.001617	.000750	.001861
.000451	.001132	.000551	.001377	.000651	.001621	.000751	.001865
.000452	.001136	.000552	.001380	.000652	.001625	.000752	.001869
.000453	.001140	.000553	.001384	.000653	.001628	.000753	.001873
.000454	.001144	.000554	.001388	.000654	.001632	.000754	.001876
.000455	.001148	.000555	.001392	.000655	.001636	.000755	.001880
.000456	.001152	.000556	.001396	.000656	.001640	.000756	.001884
.000457	.001155	.000557	.001399	.000657	.001644	.000757	.001888
.000460	.001159	.000560	.001403	.000660	.001647	.000760	.001892
.000461	.001163	.000561	.001407	.000661	.001651	.000761	.001895
.000462	.001167	.000562	.001411	.000662	.001655	.000762	.001899
.000463	.001171	.000563	.001415	.000663	.001659	.000763	.001903
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.000465	.001178	.000565	.001422	.000665	.001667	.000765	.001911
.000466	.001182	.000566	.001426	.000666	.001670	.000766	.001914
.000467	.001186	.000567	.001430	.000667	.001674	.000767	.001918
.000470	.001190	.000570	.001434	.000670	.001678	.000770	.001922
.000471	.001194	.000571	.001438	.000671	.001682	.000771	.001926
.000472	.001197	.000572	.001441	.000672	.001685	.000772	.001930
.000473	.001201	.000573	.001445	.000673	.001689	.000773	.001934
.000474	.001205	.000574	.001449	.000674	.001693	.000774	.001937
.000475	.001209	.000575	.001453	.000675	.001697	.000775	.001941
.000476	.001213	.000576	.001457	.000676	.001701	.000776	.001945
.000477	.001216	.000577	.001461	.000677	.001705	.000777	.001949

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ADDENDUM 1 and 2

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For your convenience, this addendum combines addendum 1 issued in September 1972 and addendum 2 which is being issued at this time (September 1974). All new changes have been included in addendum 2.



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This addendum describes differences between the new systems computer part number 01P1467 - XXX and the old part number 01P1277 - XXX and provides corrections and additions to the handbook which applies to both systems.

New part number 01P1467 has the following standard features which were formerly options: hardware multiply and divide (620-10), real-time clock (-13), power failure/restart (-14), and priority interrupt module (-16).

The following modifications apply to both part numbers unless specifically indicated otherwise.

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Under WRAPAROUND ADDRESSING in second paragraph, change memory timing control card to DM372 and the processor control card to DM337 for new part number.

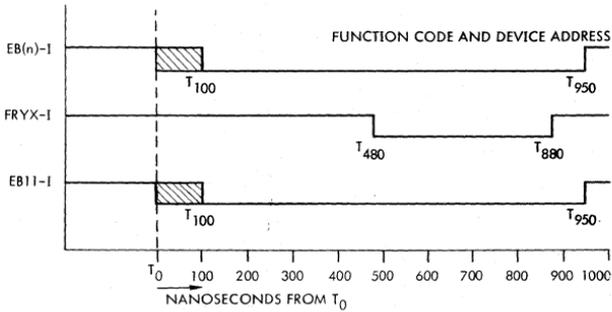
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Add timings for new part number in figure 11-9,
External Control Timing:



T₀ is the start of the execute phase of the external control instruction.

Logic levels: true = 0V dc,
false = +3V dc.

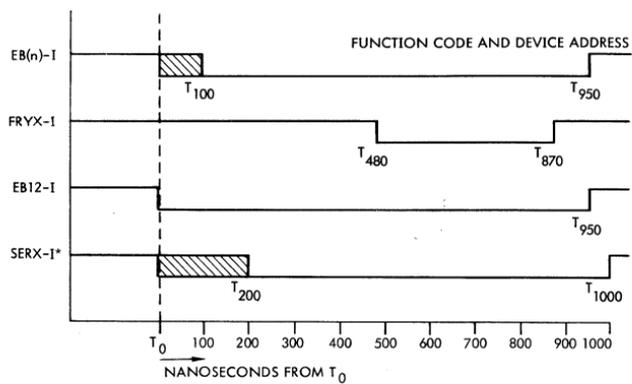
 = time when signal is settling.

VT11-1633 Figure 11-9. External Control Timing

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11-14 Add timings for new part number to figure 11-11 Sense Response Timing:



T₀ is the start of the execute phase of the sense instruction.

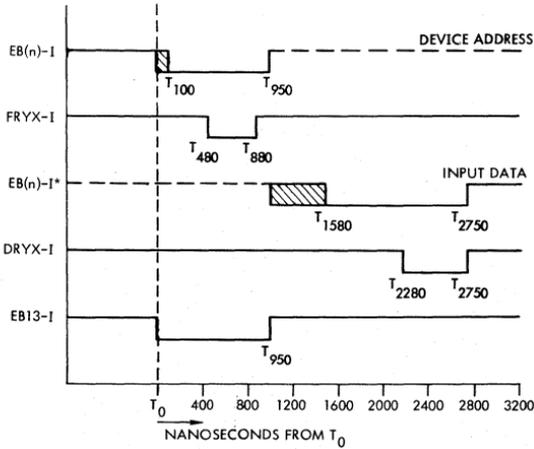
Logic levels: true = 0V dc,
false = +3V dc.

 = time when signal is settling.

* SERX-I is normally on at T₂₀₀; it must be on by T₇₈₀.

VT11-1634 Figure 11-11. Sense Response Timing

Add timings for new part number to figure 11-13, Data-Transfer-In Timing:



T_0 is the start of the execute phase of the data transfer in instruction.

Logic levels: true = 0V dc,
false = +3V dc.

 = time when signal is settling.

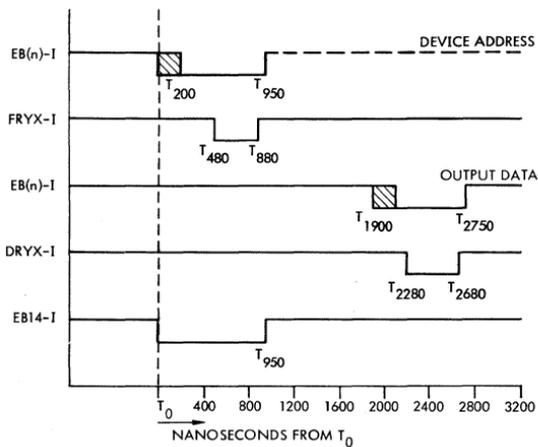
* EB(n)-I (input data) must be off by T_{2900} .

VR11-1635 Figure 11-13. Data Transfer In Timing

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In figure 11-15 add timings below for the new part number:



T_0 is the start of the execute phase of the data transfer out instruction.

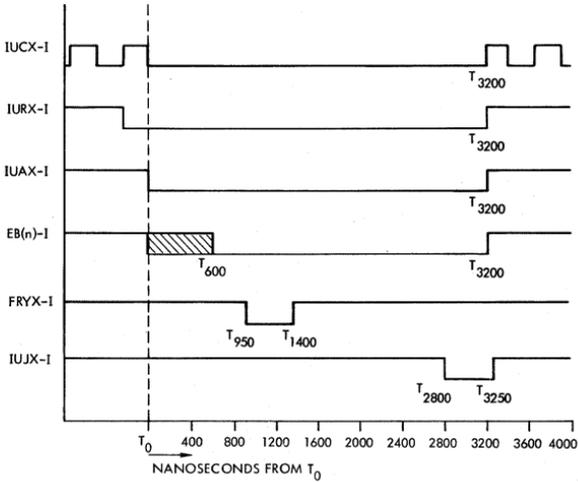
Logic levels: true = 0V dc,
false = +3V dc.

 = time when signal is settling.

VT11-1636 Figure 11-15. Data Transfer Out Timing

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Add these Timings for new part number (label existing figure as applicable to old part number).



T_0 is the start of the timing and interrupt sequence.

Logic levels: true = 0V dc,
false = +3V dc.

 = time when signal is settling.

IURX-I is normally off at T_{3200} ; it must be off by T_{3350} .

EB(n)-I is normally on at T_0 ; it must be on by T_{600} . It is normally off at T_{3200} ; it must be off by T_{3350} .

IUJX-I is present for a jump and mark instruction.

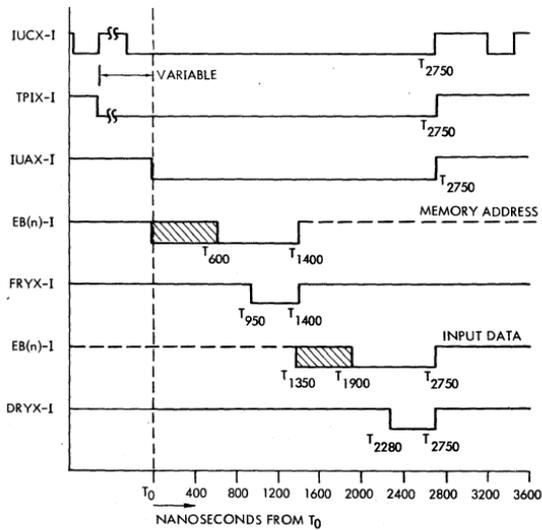
VT11-1642 Figure 11-18. Interrupt Timing

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Add for new part number.



T_0 is the start of the input sequence.

Logic levels: true = 0V dc,
false = +3V dc.

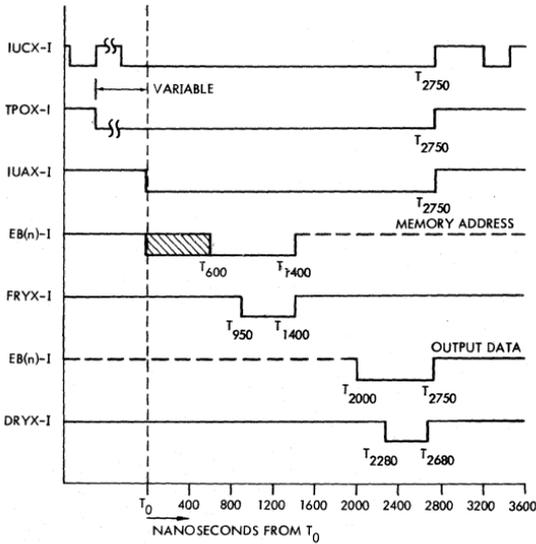
TPIX-I is normally off at T_{2700} ; it must be off by T_{2950} .

EB(n)-I (memory address) is normally on at T_0 ; it must be on by T_{600} . It is normally off at T_{1400} ; it must be off by T_{1600} .

EB(n)-I (input data) is normally on at T_{1350} ; it must be on by T_{1900} . It is normally off at T_{2750} ; it must be off by T_{2950} .

VT11-1641 Figure 11-19. Trap-In Timing

Add for new part number.



T_0 is the start of the output sequence.

Logic levels: true = 0V dc,
false = +3V dc.

 = time when signal is settling.

TPOX-I is normally off at T_{2750} ; it must be off by T_{2950} .

EB(n)-I (memory address) is normally on at T_0 ; it must be on by T_{600} . It is normally off at T_{1400} ; it must be off by T_{1550} .

VT11-1640 Figure 11-20. Trap-Out Timing

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12-7	Under PIM address assignments, change allowed addresses to 040 - 043.
12-12	Change ninth line of the BIC SERVICE ROUTINE to 101101 BIC1, SEN, 0101 BIC2 CK TTY WRITE READY and delete the next line (note: assemblers do not allow continuation of statements beyond one card).
13-3	In B. TRANSFER, change IAR to INA and IBR to INB.
13-17	Add as note "these instructions assume device address is 14", and add models 620-44 through -49.
13-18	Change model number to 620-37.
13-20	Add "Drum uses the same controller as 620-3# disc".
13-23	Replace figure with Instruction set below.

<u>Mnemonic</u>	<u>Octal</u>	<u>Functional Description</u>
A. External Control		
EXC 035	100035	Initialize Printer
EXC 0135	100135	Connect Printer to BIC
B. Sense		
SEN 035	101035	Sense line printer ready
SEN 0135	101135	Sense character buffer ready
C. Transfer		
OME 035	103035	Transfer memrry to printer buffer
OAR 035	103135	Transfer A register to printer buffer
OBR 035	103235	Transfer B register to printer buffer

13-39	Add to figure 13-26 as D. TRANSFER OUT
	OAR ODA 10317DA Transfer contents of A register to buffer relay output contacts
	OBR ODA 10327DA Transfer contents of B register to buffered relay output contacts
	OME ODA 10307DA Transfer memory contents to buffered relay output contacts
14-4	In BOOTSTRAP add as note "Assumes standard device addresses."

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Change c. to "Set P register to 07756" and 4. to "Set A = B = zero, instruction counter = 07770, X = 07000 or 07600, and press SYSTEM RESET. add as note: "The manual bootstrap must be loaded into the top of 4K, regardless of the available memory. The BLD program examines location 0200 first and then location 07756 for the first word of the bootstrap (102637 for high-speed paper tape and 103601 for Teletype paper tape). Location 0200 is the initial address where the bootstrap is loaded. If location 0200 contains 102637 and the manual Teletype bootstrap is being used, or if 0200 is 102601 and the manual high-speed paper-tape bootstrap is used, the BLD program will not operate correctly. Note: Loader Protect is not a standard feature on the 620/L.

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Label existing circuit card information in figure 15-1 as applicable to the old part number, and add the following circuit card numbers for the new part number:

<u>Card Number</u>	<u>Function</u>	<u>Card Number</u>	<u>Function</u>
DM336	CPU Register	DM178	Memory protect
DM339	CPU Control #1	DM184	I/O Buffer
DM340	CPU Control #2	DM372	Memory timing control (MTC)
DM341	CPU Control #3		
DM337	CPU Control #4	DM287	Memory driver/sink switch (DSS)
DM113	Teletype control		
DM342	DMA and Interrupt Trap	DM288	Memory sense inhibit (SI)*
DM338	Multiply/divide & Extended address	DM295	Control panel
		DM301	Memory buffer
DM123-3	Power failure/restart & real-time Clock	DM124-1	PIM

* Memory stack is mounted on SI card

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- 15-7 Add card number for the new part number for the following slots. Others remain the same for both part numbers.

<u>Slot</u>	<u>Card Number</u>	<u>Slot</u>	<u>Card Number</u>
6	DM372	11	DM339
7	DM336	12	DM341
8	DM336	13	DM337
9	DM336	14	DM338
10	DM339	15	DM342

- 15-8 Change figure 15-6 Memory Chassis Expansion
- | | | |
|------------|----|-------------------------|
| Right-half | 6 | Memory stack number |
| Memory | 7 | Sense inhibit |
| Expansion | 8 | Driver/sink switch card |
| 01A1102 | 9* | Memory stack card |
| | 10 | Sense inhibit card |
- 17-1 Delete sections titled PREVENTIVE MODE and CORRECTIVE MODE.
- 17-5 Delete b. under card extenders.
- 20-44 Add to device address 16, 17 moveable-head rotating memory model number 620-37.
- 20-45 In figure 20-2, delete note about 620/f special instructions, and add an extended test after test for immediate addressing.
- 21-12 Add to explanation of DATA, "When there are an odd number of characters in the alphanumeric constant, the last word is left justified and unused positions filled with blanks. When a single alpha constant is used in the address field, DAS 4A and DAS MR left justify with blank fill and DAS 8A right justifies and zero fills."
- 21-18 Add "In DAS 8A NAME card(s) must immediately follow the FORT directive, which must be the first non-comment card."

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Add as Error messages

- *E Symbolic source statement incorrectly formed
- *NS No symbol in the label field of a SET EQU, MAC, or FORM directive. No symbol in the label or variable field of an OPSY directive. No symbol in the variable field of a NAME directive.
- *OP Undefined instruction field. Two No Operation (NOP) instructions are generated and the remainder of the statement is not processed. Illegal nesting of DUP or MAC directives also causes this error.
- *R A relocatable item encountered where an absolute item is required.
- *SZ also a DUP statement specifies that more than three symbolic source statements are to be assembled.
- *UC Undefined characters in expression.

21-28

Add as figure 21-9 title SYMBOL TABLE CAPACITIES

Assembler Version	Memory Size		
	4K	8K	8K+
DAS 4A	150	1450	1450 + n(1300)
DAS 8A	--	440	440 + n(800)
DAS MR	--	20	20 + n(800)

n is the number of 4K memory increments above 8K.

ADDENDUM 2
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This addendum supplements and modifies the interrupt structure information in section 11 of the handbook.

<u>Page</u>	<u>Action</u>
11-22	Under INTERRUPT STRUCTURE in the second paragraph, first sentence, replace IURX-I with IUAX-I.
11-22	Replace the third paragraph, first sentence with the following: They differ in that IURX-I interrupt request branches the program to a subroutine specified by the interrupt address, whereas the two trap requests, TPIX-I and TPOX-I, direct the computer to transfer data to or from the memory address.
11-22	Replace the fourth paragraph with the following: Another difference is that subroutine specified by an IURX-I interrupt request must contain instructions returning the CPU to its original program, whereas the CPU automatically returns to its program after transferring a single word of data in response to a TPIX-I or TPOX-I trap request.
11-22	Replace the fifth paragraph, first sentence with the following: The IURX-I interrupt request can be generated, in theory, by any controller connected to the I/O bus.
11-22	In the second column, replace the second paragraph with the following: Standard Varian 620/L peripheral controllers do not have this capability. If a controller were able to generate an IURX-I, but not an interrupt address, the computer would interpret the lack of an address as an octal 00 and branch the program to the first memory location.

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11-25	Replace the third paragraph of the first column with the following: Recognition of any interrupt request is inhibited under any one of the following conditions:
11-25	Replace condition One with the following: 1. During any Jump, Jump-and-Mark, or Execute for which the Jump condition is met.
11-25	Add the following paragraph after the first paragraph of the second column. Recognition of any trap request is inhibited under any of the following conditions: 1. During the data transfer portion of any I/O instruction and for one cycle following an external control (EXC) instruction. 2. During the operand access cycle of an Increment and Replace instruction (INR, INRI, INRE). 3. During a step (in process). 4. When halted.

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