

**TM 990/301
MICROTERMINAL**

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TM 990/301 MICROTERMINAL

1. GENERAL

The Texas Instruments Microterminal offers all of the features of a minicomputer front panel at reduced cost. The Microterminal, intended primarily to support the Texas Instruments TM 990/100M and TM 990/180M microcomputers, allows the user to do the following:

- Read from ROM or read/write to RAM
- Enter/display Program Counter
- Execute user program in free running mode or in single instruction mode
- Halt user program execution
- Enter/display Status Register
- Enter/display Workspace Pointer (this term is unique to the Texas Instruments 9900 microprocessor)
- Enter/display CRU data (this term is unique to the Texas Instruments 9900 microprocessor)
- Convert hexadecimal quantity to signed decimal quantity
- Convert signed decimal quantity to hexadecimal quantity

2. SPECIFICATIONS

- Power Requirements
 - +12V ($\pm 3\%$), 50 mA
 - 12V ($\pm 3\%$), 50 mA
 - +5V ($\pm 3\%$), 150 mA
- Operating Temperature: 0°C to 50°C (+32° to +122°F)
- Operating Humidity: 0 to 95 percent, non-condensing
- Shock: Withstand 2 foot vertical drop

3. INSTALLATION AND STARTUP

To install the Microterminal onto a TM 990/100M or TM 990/180M microcomputer, do the following:

- Attach jumpers to J13, J14, and J15 on the TM 990/100M or to J4, J5, and J6, on the TM 990/180M board to route voltages to the Microterminal. Set jumper J7 on the TM 990/100M or jumper J13 on the TM 990/180M to the EIA position.
- Attach the EIA cable from the Microterminal to connector P2. Signals between the Microterminal and the microcomputer are listed as in Table 1.
- To initialize the system, actuate the microcomputer RESET switch, then press the microterminal **CLR** key.

NOTE

If the user has installed the *optional* filter capacitor on the RESTART input, this capacitor must be removed for proper operation (e.g., if C5 is installed on the TM 990/100M or TM 990/180M microcomputer, this capacitor must be removed).

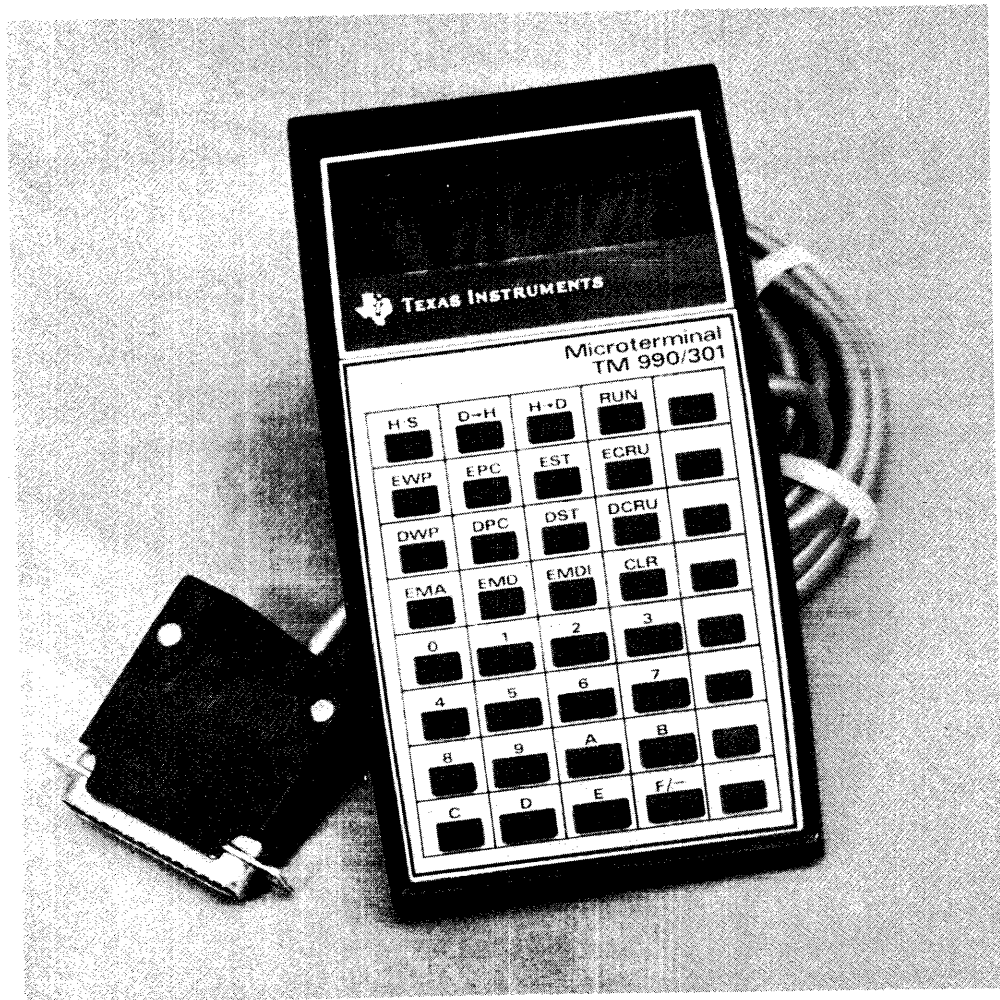


FIGURE 1. TM 990/301 MICROTERMINAL

TABLE 1. EIA CABLE SIGNALS

EIA Connector Pin	Interface Signal	At TM 990/100M/180M	
		P2 Pin	Signal
2	TERMINAL DATA OUT	-2	RS232 RCV
3	TERMINAL DATA IN	-3	RS232 XMT
7	GND	-7	GND
12	+12V	-12	+12V
13	-12V	-13	-12V
14	+ 5V	-14	+ 5V
16	HALT	-16	RESTART

CAUTION

Before attaching the Microterminal to a power source, verify voltage levels between ground and EIA connector pins 12, 13, and 14 at connector P2 on the board. Voltage should not exceed values in Table 1.

4. KEY DEFINITIONS

4.1 DATA KEYS

CLR Clear Key – Depressing this key blanks display, initializes and sends initialization message (ASCII code for A and ASCII code for Z) to host microcomputer.

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.
F/- Hexadecimal Data Keys – Data is entered with the most significant digit (MSD) first. Depressing any one of these keys shifts that value into the right-hand display digit. All digits already in the data display are left shifted. For all operations other than decimal to hexadecimal conversion, the fourth digit from the right is shifted off the end of the right-hand display field when a data key is depressed. For a decimal to hexadecimal conversion, the fifth display digit from the right, rather than the fourth, is shifted off the end of the data field.

4.2 INSTRUCTION EXECUTION

H/S Pressing this key while a program is running (run displayed) will halt program execution. The address of the next instruction will be displayed in the four left-hand display digits, and the contents of that address will be displayed in the four right-hand digits. Pressing this key while the program is halted, will execute a single instruction using the values in the Workspace Pointer (WP), Program Counter (PC), and Status Register (ST), and the displays will be updated to the next memory address and contents at that address.

RUN Pressing this key initiates program execution at the current values in the WP, PC; run is displayed in the three right-hand display digits.

4.3 ARITHMETIC

H→D The signed hexadecimal data contained in the four right-hand display digits is converted to signed decimal data. Note that the most significant bit of the fourth display digit from the right is the sign bit (1 = negative). The conversion limits are minus 32,768₁₀ (8000₁₆) to plus 32,767 (7FFF₁₆). Two H→D key depressions are required. The sequence is:

1. Depress **H→D**.
2. Enter data via four hex data key depressions.
3. Depress **H→D**. The results of the conversion are displayed in the five right-hand display digits.

D→H The decimal data contained in the five right-hand display digits is converted to hexadecimal. The conversion limits are the same as for hexadecimal to decimal conversion. If the decimal number is negative, press the F/- key first to begin with a negative sign. The sequence is:

1. Depress **D→H**.
2. Enter data via hex data key depressions.
3. Depress **D→H**. The results of the conversion are displayed in the four right-hand display digits.

4.4 REGISTER ENTER/DISPLAY

- EWP** Pressing this key causes the value displayed in the four right-hand digits to be entered into the WP.
- DWP** Pressing this key causes the WP contents to be displayed in the four right-hand display digits.
- EPC** Pressing this key causes the value displayed in the four right-hand digits to be entered into the PC.
- DPC** Pressing this key causes the PC contents to be displayed in the four right-hand display digits.
- EST** Pressing this key causes the value displayed in the four right-hand digits to be entered into the ST.
- DST** Pressing this key causes the ST contents to be displayed in the four right-hand display digits.

4.5 CRU DISPLAY/ENTER

- DCRU** Pressing this key causes the data at the designated Communications Register Unit (CRU) addresses to be displayed. Designate from one to 16 CRU bits at a specified CRU address by using four hexadecimal digits. The first digit is the count of bits to be displayed. The next three digits are the CRU address (equal to bits 3 to 14 in register 12 for CRU addressing). When **DCRU** is depressed, the bit count and address are shifted to the left-hand display, and the right-hand display will contain the values at the selected CRU output addresses. The output value will be zero-filled on the left, depending upon bit count entered. If less than nine bits, the value will be contained in the left two hexadecimal digits. If nine or more, the value will be right justified in all four hexadecimal digits.
- ECRU** Pressing this key enters a new data value at the CRU addresses and bit count shown in the left display after depressing **DCRU**. The new value is entered from the keyboard and displayed in the right-hand display. Pressing **ECRU** enters this value onto the CRU at the address shown in the left display.

CAUTION

Avoid setting new values at the TMS 9902 on the TM 990/100M/180M through the CRU (TMS 9902 is at CRU address 004016), as this device controls I/O functions.

4.6 MEMORY ENTER, DISPLAY, INCREMENT

- EMA** Pressing this key will cause (1) the memory address (MA) in the right-hand display to be shifted to the left-hand display and (2) the contents of that memory address to be displayed in the right-hand display.
- EMD** Pressing this key causes the value in the right-hand display to be entered into the memory address contained in the left-hand display. The contents of that location will then be displayed in the four right-hand display digits (entered then read back).
- EMDI** Pressing this key causes the same action as described for the **EMD** key; it also increments the memory address by two and displays the contents at that new address. The memory address is displayed on the left and the contents at that address is displayed on the right.

5. EXAMPLES

5.1 EXAMPLE 1, ENTER PROGRAM INTO MEMORY

Enter the following program starting at RAM location FE0016. Set the workspace pointer to FF0016 and the status register to 200016. Single step through the program and verify execution. Then execute the program in free run mode and verify execution. Then halt program execution.

NOTE

In the following examples, XXXX indicates memory contents at current value in Memory Address Register.

<u>OPCODE</u>	<u>INSTRUCTIONS</u>		
04C0	CLR	R0	CLEAR WORKSPACE REGISTER 0
0580	INC	R0	INCREMENT WORKSPACE REGISTER 0
0280	CI	R0, >00FF	CHECK FOR COUNT 255
00FF			
16FC	JNE	\$-6	JUMP TO INC R0 IF NOT DONE
10FF	JMP	\$-0	STAY HERE WHEN FINISHED

	<u>KEY ENTRIES</u>	<u>DISPLAY</u>
Clear Display	Depress <input type="button" value="CLR"/>	
Enter PC Value	Depress <input type="button" value="F/-"/> <input type="button" value="E"/> <input type="button" value="0"/> <input type="button" value="0"/>	<input type="text" value="FE00"/>
Enter into PC	Depress <input type="button" value="EPC"/>	<input type="text" value="FE00"/>
Display PC	Depress <input type="button" value="DPC"/>	<input type="text" value="FE00"/>
Enter ST Value	Depress <input type="button" value="2"/> <input type="button" value="0"/> <input type="button" value="0"/> <input type="button" value="0"/>	<input type="text" value="2000"/>
Enter into ST	Depress <input type="button" value="EST"/>	<input type="text" value="2000"/>
Display ST	Depress <input type="button" value="DST"/>	<input type="text" value="2000"/>
Enter WP Value	Depress <input type="button" value="F/-"/> <input type="button" value="F/-"/> <input type="button" value="0"/> <input type="button" value="0"/>	<input type="text" value="FF00"/>
Enter Into WP	Depress <input type="button" value="EWP"/>	<input type="text" value="FF00"/>
Display WP	Depress <input type="button" value="DWP"/>	<input type="text" value="FF00"/>
Enter MA Value	Depress <input type="button" value="F/-"/> <input type="button" value="E"/> <input type="button" value="0"/> <input type="button" value="0"/>	<input type="text" value="FE00"/>
Enter Into MA	Depress <input type="button" value="EMA"/>	<input type="text" value="FE00xxxx"/>
Enter CLR 0 Opcode	Depress <input type="button" value="0"/> <input type="button" value="4"/> <input type="button" value="C"/> <input type="button" value="0"/>	<input type="text" value="FE0004C0"/>
Enter data, increment MA	Depress <input type="button" value="EMDI"/>	<input type="text" value="FE02xxxx"/>
Enter INC 0 Opcode	Depress <input type="button" value="0"/> <input type="button" value="5"/> <input type="button" value="8"/> <input type="button" value="0"/>	<input type="text" value="FE020580"/>
Enter Data, Increment MA	Depress <input type="button" value="EMDI"/>	<input type="text" value="FE04xxxx"/>
Enter CI Opcode	Depress <input type="button" value="0"/> <input type="button" value="2"/> <input type="button" value="8"/> <input type="button" value="0"/>	<input type="text" value="FE040280"/>
Enter Data, Increment MA	Depress <input type="button" value="EMDI"/>	<input type="text" value="FE06xxxx"/>

		KEY ENTRIES	DISPLAY
ENTER CI			
Immediate Operand	Depress	0 0 F F	FE06 00FF
Enter Data,			
Increment MA	Depress	EMDI	FE08 xxxx
Enter JNE \$-6			
Opcode	Depress	1 6 F C	FE08 16FC
Enter Data,			
Increment MA	Depress	EMDI	FE0A xxxx
Enter			
JMP \$-0 Opcode	Depress	1 0 F F	FE0A 10FF
Enter Data,			
Increment MA	Depress	EMDI	FE0C xxxx

The program has now been entered into RAM. Since the PC, ST and WP values have been previously set, the program can be executed in single step mode by depressing the H/S key.

			DISPLAY (AFTER)	EXECUTES INSTRUCTION
	Depress	H/S	FE02 0580	CLR RO
	Depress	H/S	FE04 0280	INC RO
	Depress	H/S	FE08 16FC	CI RO, >00FF
	Depress	H/S	FE02 0580	JNE \$-6

This cycle will continue until R0 reaches the count of 255 at which point the program will continuously execute at location FE0A₁₆ because it is a jump to itself.

To verify this, depress:

DISPLAY

The program should now be "looping to self" at location FE0A₁₆. To verify this, depress:

Now examine the memory location corresponding to Register 0.

Depress

Depress

This illustrates that FF₁₆ did become the final contents of WPO. Note that, when the program was being entered into RAM, was used rather than because of the rather desirable feature of automatic address incrementing. The advantage of using is that the actual contents of the addressed memory location are displayed after key depression (echoed back after being entered).

5.2 EXAMPLE 2, HEXADECIMAL TO DECIMAL CONVERSIONS

Convert 8000_{16} to a decimal number

Depress	<input type="text" value="CLR"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Depress	<input type="text" value="H→D"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Depress	<input type="text" value="8"/>	<input type="text" value="0"/>	<input type="text" value="000"/>
Depress	<input type="text" value="H→D"/>	<input type="text" value="-3"/>	<input type="text" value="2768"/>

Convert 0020_{16} to a decimal number

Depress	<input type="text" value="CLR"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Depress	<input type="text" value="H→D"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Depress	<input type="text" value="2"/>	<input type="text" value="0"/>	<input type="text" value="20"/>
Depress	<input type="text" value="H→D"/>	<input type="text" value="3"/>	<input type="text" value="32"/>

5.3 EXAMPLE 3, DECIMAL TO HEXADECIMAL CONVERSIONS

Convert 45_{10} to hex

Depress	<input type="text" value="CLR"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Depress	<input type="text" value="D→H"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Depress	<input type="text" value="4"/>	<input type="text" value="5"/>	<input type="text" value="45"/>
Depress	<input type="text" value="D→H"/>	<input type="text" value="2"/>	<input type="text" value="D"/>

Convert -1024_{10} to hex

Depress	<input type="text" value="CLR"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Depress	<input type="text" value="D→H"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Depress	<input type="text" value="F/-"/>	<input type="text" value="1"/>	<input type="text" value="024"/>
Depress	<input type="text" value="D→H"/>	<input type="text" value="FC"/>	<input type="text" value="00"/>

5.4 EXAMPLE 4, ENTER VALUE ON CRU

Send a bit pattern to the CRU at CRU address (bits 3 to 14 of R12) 090_{16} with a bit count of 9 containing a value of 5 (000000101_2).

Depress	<input type="text" value="CLR"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Depress	<input type="text" value="9"/> <input type="text" value="0"/> <input type="text" value="9"/> <input type="text" value="0"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text" value="9090"/>
Depress	<input type="text" value="DCRU"/>	<input type="text" value="9090"/>	<input type="text" value="YYYY"/>
Depress	<input type="text" value="0"/> <input type="text" value="0"/> <input type="text" value="0"/> <input type="text" value="5"/>	<input type="text" value="9090"/>	<input type="text" value="0005"/>
Depress	<input type="text" value="ECRU"/>		

The data will be entered into the onboard TMS 9901 of the TM 990/100/180M. To verify the data on the TMS 990, do the following:

Depress	<input type="text" value="CLR"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Depress	<input type="text" value="9"/> <input type="text" value="0"/> <input type="text" value="9"/> <input type="text" value="0"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text" value="9090"/>
Depress	<input type="text" value="DCRU"/>	<input type="text" value="9090"/>	<input type="text" value="0005"/>

YYYY indicates value at the current CRU address. Note that a operation is always required to specify bit count/CRU address.

5.5 EXAMPLE 5. ENTER, VERIFY VALUE AT MEMORY ADDRESS

Enter 0040_{16} into location FE20 and verify that it got there.

Depress	<input type="text" value="CLR"/>		
Depress	<input type="text" value="F"/> <input type="text" value="E"/> <input type="text" value="2"/> <input type="text" value="0"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text" value="FE20"/>
Depress	<input type="text" value="EMA"/>	<input type="text" value="FE20"/>	<input type="text" value="xxxx"/>
Depress	<input type="text" value="0"/> <input type="text" value="0"/> <input type="text" value="4"/> <input type="text" value="0"/>	<input type="text" value="FE20"/>	<input type="text" value="0040"/>
Depress	<input type="text" value="EMD"/>	<input type="text" value="FE20"/>	<input type="text" value="0040"/>

The contents of address FE20 are verified by an echo of data from memory to display following the pressing of . If it is desired to view and enter data at address FE22, depress .

6. DEVICE SERVICE ROUTINE CODING

6.1 INTRODUCTION

When used with the Texas Instruments TM 990/100M or TM 990/180M Microcomputers, the Microterminal requires no special user coding because the software device service routine required to accommodate the Microterminal is resident in *TIBUG*, the debug monitor used on these boards. If the user utilizes any other microcomputer in conjunction with the Microterminal, a device service routine must be coded by the user to accommodate the Microterminal.

6.2 HARDWARE OPERATION

The Microterminal interfaces to any microcomputer utilizing the signals indicated in Table 2. The block diagram is shown in Figure 2.

TABLE 2. MICROTERMINAL INTERFACE SIGNALS

Signal Name	Maximum Voltage	Level	Connector
+5V	6V	POWER	P1 - 14
+12V	+14V	POWER	P1 - 12
-12V	-14V	POWER	P1 - 13
GROUND	-	GROUND	P1 - 7
TERMINAL DATA IN	+14V	RS-232-C	P1 - 3
TERMINAL DATA OUT	+14V	RS-232-C	P1 - 2
HALT	+6V	OPEN COLLECTOR NPN	P1 - 16

The Microterminal receives +12V, -12V, +5V and ground from the host microcomputer. Great care must be taken not to exceed the maximum rated voltages; otherwise, permanent damage to the Microterminal might occur. TERMINAL DATA OUT is an RS-232-C, 110 baud output from the Microterminal. A serial bit stream will be output from the Microterminal utilizing TERMINAL DATA OUT for commands and data from the Microterminal. Refer to Figure 3 for the format of commands and data. It should be noted that commands utilize one RS-232-C character (one start bit, a five bit command, two "don't care" bits, a parity bit and three stop bits), but a 16-bit data word utilizes four RS-232-C characters because only four data bits are included in an RS-232-C Microterminal data character. The software significance of commands and data is defined in paragraph 6.3. It should be noted that the Microterminal sends two unique ASCII characters (an A and Z) over TERMINAL DATA OUT when the **CLR** key is depressed. TERMINAL DATA OUT utilizes standard RS-232-C voltage levels:

- 12.0 volts \geq Logic 1 $>$ 6.0 volts
- -6.0 volts $>$ Logic 0 \geq -12.0 volts

TERMINAL DATA IN is a RS-232-C, 110-baud input to the Microterminal. A serial bit stream of data is required from the host microcomputer to update LED displays in situations defined in paragraph 6.3. Figure 3 defines the format of a Microterminal input data character (one start bit, four data bits, three "don't care" bits, an even parity bit and two stop bits). As in the case of Microterminal output data, four data characters are required to form a 16-bit word. The voltage levels required on TERMINAL DATA IN are RS-232-C standard (the same levels defined for TERMINAL DATA OUT). The frequency of TERMINAL DATA IN, as with any terminal device must not vary more than 2 per cent from its proper rate (110 baud).

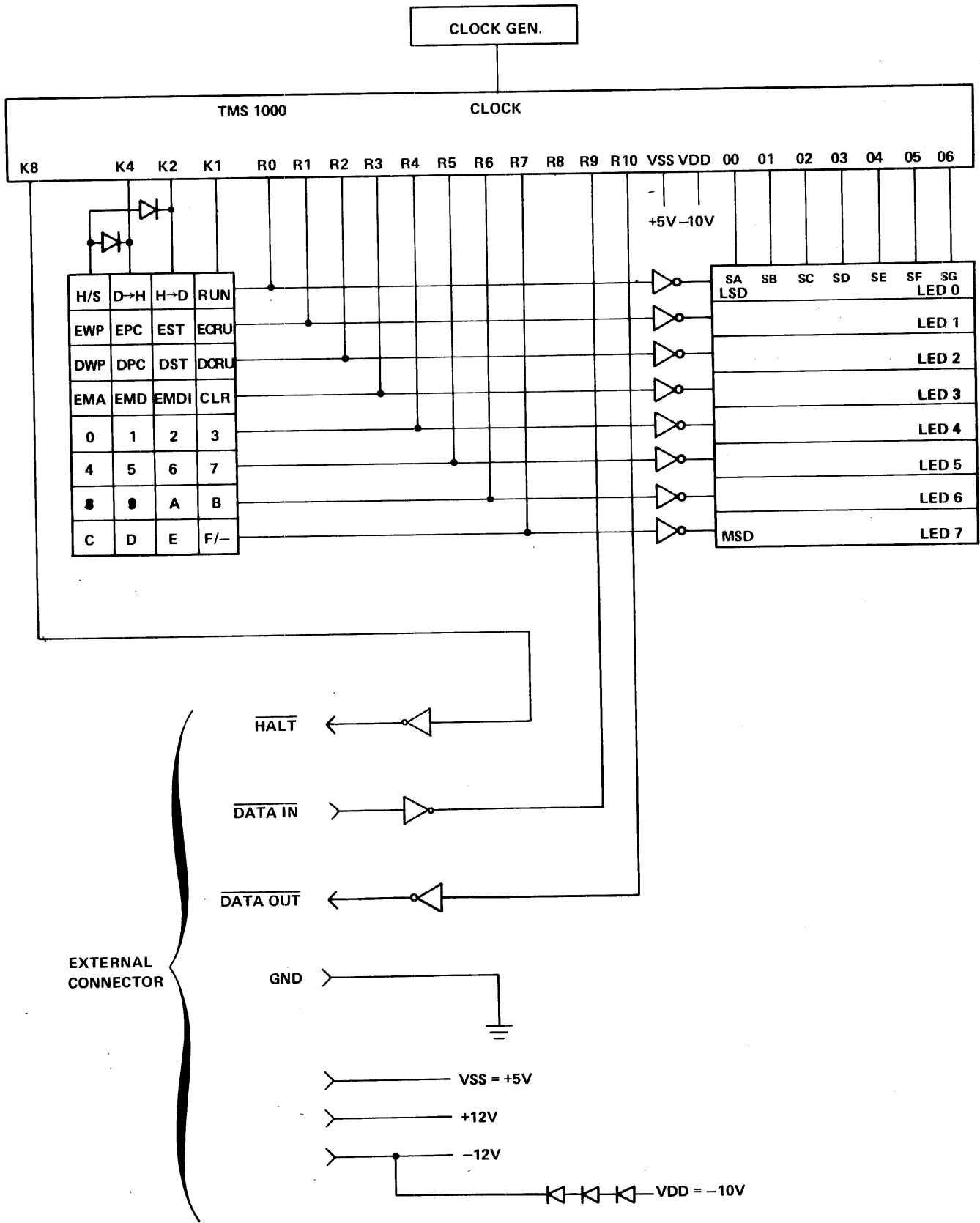
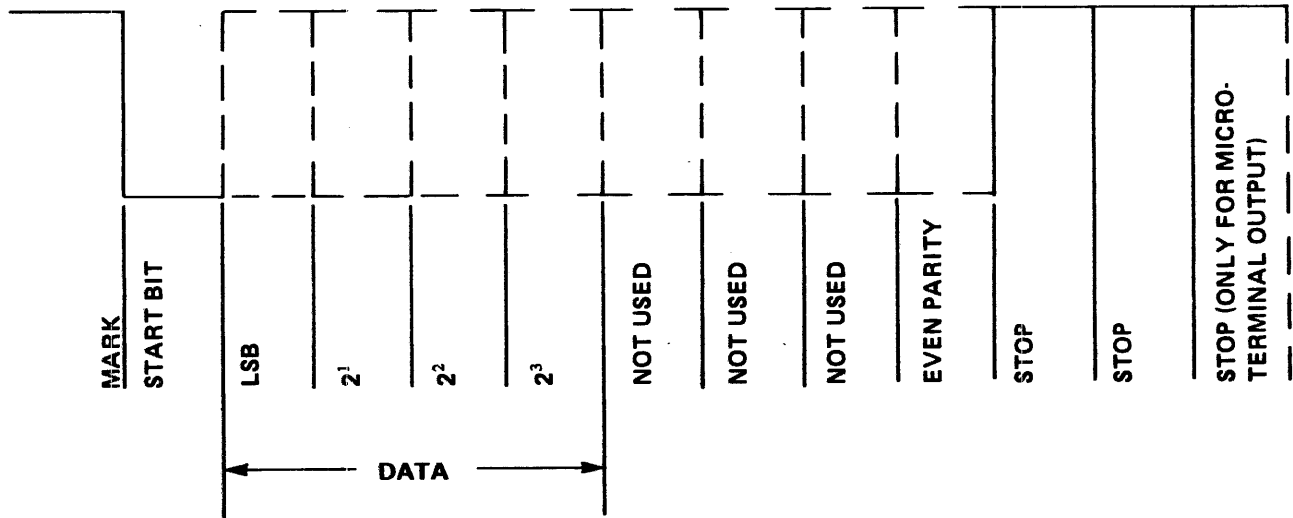
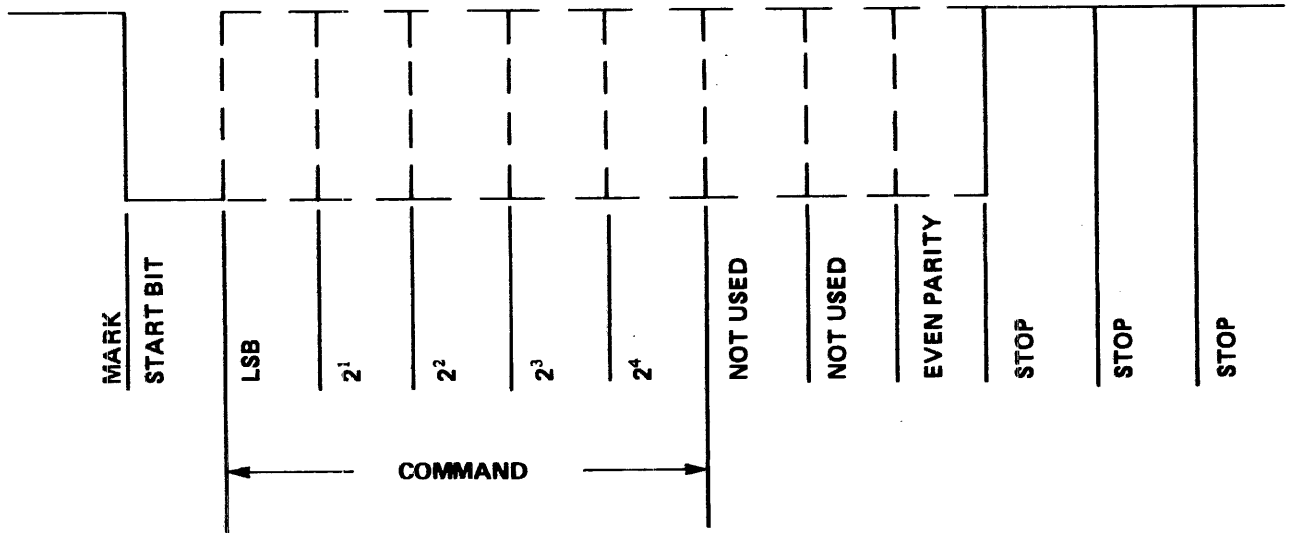


Figure 2. Microterminal Block Diagram



DATA CHARACTER

**NOTE: DATA WORDS ARE SENT MSD FIRST, LSD LAST
 MICROTERMINAL OUTPUT DATA WORDS CONTAIN 3 STOP BITS
 990/100M OUTPUT DATA WORDS CONTAIN 2 STOP BITS**



COMMAND CHARACTER

NOTE: THE INDICATED BIT POLARITY IS THAT OUTPUTTED OR SEEN BY THE SOFTWARE. THE INTERFACE BETWEEN THE MICROTERMINAL AND MICROCOMPUTER IS OF INVERSE POLARITY.

Figure 3. Character Format

$\overline{\text{HALT}}$ is the open collector output of a NPN transistor (pin 16 as shown in Table 1). This signal must be connected to a 1K resistor that is pulled up to 5 volts on the host microcomputer. $\overline{\text{HALT}}$ becomes active low for 30 μsec when the user depresses $\overline{\text{H/S}}$ on the Microterminal while a user program is being executed. $\overline{\text{HALT}}$ provides one source for $\overline{\text{LOAD}}$, a nonmaskable interrupt, on the TM 990/100M Microcomputer. Since the purpose of the $\overline{\text{HALT}}$ signal is to halt program execution, the user will be required to provide an interrupt to the host microcomputer when $\overline{\text{HALT}}$ becomes active low. The logic levels for $\overline{\text{HALT}}$ are:

Logic 1 = +5V Supply Level

GROUND \leq Logic 0 < 0.8V

Since $\overline{\text{HALT}}$ is an NPN transistor output, great care must be taken not to short the signal to a voltage.

6.3 SOFTWARE OPERATION

The Microterminal is internally controlled by a TMS 1000 microprocessor which does the following:

- Scans the keyboard to detect and process key depressions
- Refreshes the 7-segment LED displays
- Outputs commands to the host microcomputer to specify the function that the microcomputer must perform
- Outputs any required data to the microcomputer
- Outputs two unique characters (ASCII A and ASCII Z) when $\overline{\text{CLR}}$ is depressed
- Lowers $\overline{\text{LOAD}}$ for 30 μsec to halt program execution
- Receives input data from the host microcomputer for display

Figure 4 is the TMS 1000 software flowchart. The host microcomputer must receive and decode commands, receive any required data coming after the command, output any required data to the Microterminal and interrupt program execution when $\overline{\text{HALT}} = 0$.

The required communication between the Microterminal and host microcomputer is shown in Table 3. As an example of the communication sequence, consider the following case of the user desiring to utilize the EMA function (display contents and address of designated memory address):

1. The user enters a memory address using four hex (0 to F) key depressions. The TMS 1000 detects and displays these four hexadecimal entries.
2. The user depresses $\overline{\text{EMA}}$. The TMS 1000 sends a command character (00_{16}) over the interface via $\overline{\text{TERMINAL DATA OUT}}$ to specify the EMA operation.
3. The host microcomputer receives and decodes the command character. The microcomputer must now prepare to receive four data characters and assemble them into a 16-bit memory address register specifying the address of the desired memory location. The command contains three stop bits with the start bit of the first data character coming after the third stop bit of the command character. The start bit of each data character comes after the third stop bit of the preceding data character.

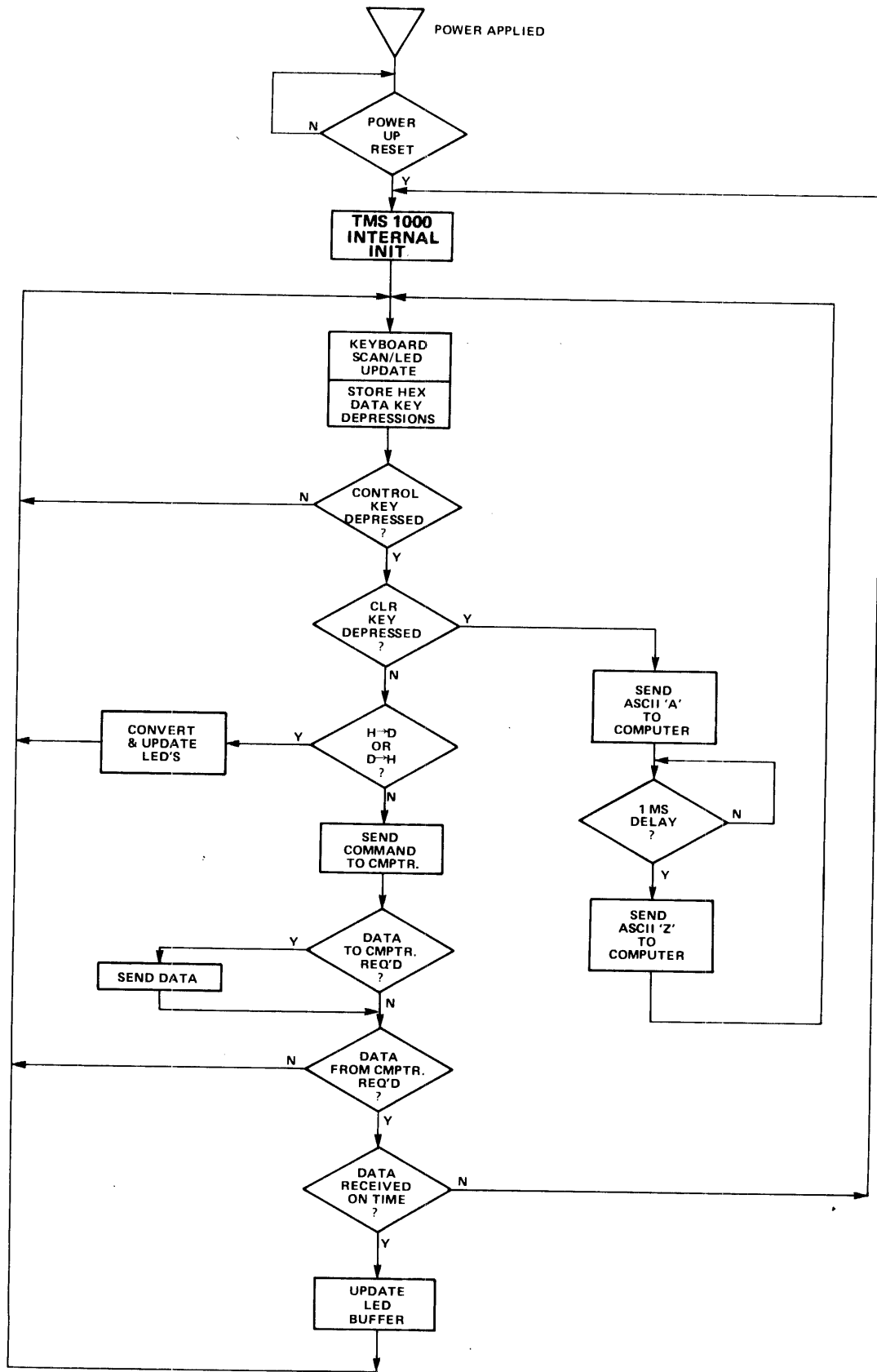


Figure 4. TMS 1000 Software Flowchart

TABLE 3. MICROTERMINAL CONTROL SEQUENCE

Key Depressed	Hexadecimal Code	Microterminal Sends	Microcomputer Sends In Response
EWP	06 ₁₆	Command (1 EIA Character) Data to Enter (4 EIA Characters)	— —
EST	04 ₁₆	Command (1 EIA Character) Data to Enter (4 EIA Characters)	— —
EPC	02 ₁₆	Command (1 EIA Character) Data to Enter (4 EIA Characters)	— —
DWP	0C ₁₆	Command (1 EIA Character)	*Data to be displayed (4 EIA Characters)
DST	0A ₁₆	Command (1 EIA Character)	*Data to be displayed (4 EIA Characters)
DPC	08 ₁₆	Command (1 EIA Character)	*Data to be displayed (4 EIA Characters)
EMA	00 ₁₆	Command (1 EIA Character) Address (4 EIA Characters)	*Data to be displayed (4 EIA Characters)
EMD	14 ₁₆	Command (1 EIA Character) Data to Enter (4 EIA Characters)	*Data to be displayed (4 EIA Characters)
EMDI	12 ₁₆	Command (1 EIA Character) Data to Enter (4 EIA Characters)	*Data to be displayed (4 EIA Characters)
DCRU	0E ₁₆	Command (1 EIA Character) Bit Count/Address (4 EIA Characters)	*Data to be displayed (4 EIA Characters)
ECRU	10 ₁₆	Command (1 EIA Character) Data (4 EIA Characters)	— —
CLR		ASCII A (1 EIA Character) ASCII Z (1 EIA Character)	— —
RUN	16 ₁₆	Command (1 EIA Character)	—
H/S	(Unit in Run Mode)	$\overline{\text{HALT}} = 0$ For 30 μsec	**PC to be displayed (4 EIA Characters) Data to be displayed (4 EIA Characters)
H/S	18 ₁₆ (Unit not in Run Mode)	Command (1 EIA Character)	*PC to be displayed (4 EIA Characters) Data to be displayed (4 EIA Characters)

*First character must be received by the Microterminal within 5 milliseconds after the end of the third stop bit of the command word is sent by the Microterminal. Each succeeding character must be received by the Microterminal within 5 milliseconds after the end of the second stop bit of the preceding data character is received from the microcomputer.

**First EIA character must be received by the Microterminal between 6 to 10 milliseconds of $\overline{\text{HALT}}$ becoming active low. Each succeeding character must be received by the Microterminal within 6 to 10 milliseconds of center point of second stop bit of the preceding character.

4. The host microcomputer fetches the 16-bit data word from the memory location specified by the contents of the memory address register.
5. This data is output from the microcomputer via four data characters on the TERMINAL DATA IN signal. The start bit for the first data character must occur before five ms has elapsed after receiving the third stop bit of the last memory address character from the Microterminal. Each of the remaining three data characters from the microcomputer must present a start bit within 5 milliseconds after the second stop bit of the preceding microcomputer data character. Longer time delays will cause the Microterminal to detect a data transmission error and blank the display.
6. The Microterminal displays the receive data.

The following points must be noted by the user who wishes to code a device service routine for the Microterminal:

- When data characters follow a Microterminal command character, each start bit follows the third stop bit of the previous character.
- All required input data to the Microterminal must occur within the required time frame; otherwise, the Microterminal will detect a data transmission error and blank the display.
- Command and data characters are of the format shown in Figure 3. When the Microterminal outputs a command followed by data, each character has three stop bits followed by the start bit of the next character.
- A 16-bit data word requires four data characters of the form shown in Figure 3.
- The Microterminal will always output two characters in succession (an ASCII A and ASCII Z) when **CLR** is depressed. For the user that might have several different types of terminal devices, these two characters might serve as an ID for the Microterminal.
- HALT must be wired to an interrupt in order to halt program execution.

6.4 LISTING OF SAMPLE MICROTERMINAL DEVICE SERVICE ROUTINE

Enclosed is a listing of a stand-alone device service routine for the Microterminal utilizing the TM 990/100M Microcomputer as the host device. A stand-alone service routine rather than *TIBUG* is included to focus understanding on the Microterminal functions (i.e., *TIBUG* contains many functions besides the Microterminal routines). Refer to Figures 5 to 10 for detailed program flow of parts of the stand-alone device service routine. Table 4 explains DSR assembly language action in response to keys pressed on the Microterminal. Note the following points about the stand-alone device service routine.

- Since this program is of a stand-alone nature, it is not necessary to use the A and Z character output by the Microterminal to identify itself when **CLR** is depressed. These two characters will be ignored because they will be recognized as invalid commands by the microcomputer command scanner.
- When the RESET pushbutton is depressed, the TM 990/100M will begin execution at the Program Counter location specified by the contents of memory location 0002₁₆ with the workspace pointer specified by the contents of memory location 0000₁₆.

- LOAD is the entry point when the nonmaskable interrupt of the TMS 9900 is activated by the HALT signal (from the Microterminal) becoming low or the output from a TM 990/100M circuit activated two instructions after a LREX instruction (or two instructions are executed after the LREX instruction, then LOAD is entered). LOAD is used to halt program execution or for single instruction execution.

TABLE 4. DSR ACTION TO KEY COMMANDS

Microterminal Key Command	DSR Action And Comment			Listing Source Line
EPC	INPT	R14	XOP1, INPUT PC TO R14	079
	JMP	MTIN	TO COMMAND SCANNER	080
EST	INPT	R15	XOP1, INPUT ST TO R15	081
	JMP	MTIN	TO COMMAND SCANNER	082
EWP	INPT	R13	XOP1, INPUT UP TO R13	083
	JMP	MTIN	TO COMMAND SCANNER	084
DPC	OTPT	R14	XOP0, OUTPUT PC FROM R14	085
	JMP	MTIN	TO COMMAND SCANNER	086
DST	OTPT	R15	XOP0, OUTPUT ST FROM R15	087
	JMP	MTIN	TO COMMAND SCANNER	088
DWP	OTPT	R13	XOP0, OUTPUT WP FROM R13	089
	JMP	MTIN	TO COMMAND SCANNER	090
EMA	INPT	R8	XOP1, INPUT ADDR TO R8	091
	MOV	*R8, R9	DATA AT ADDR TO R9	098
	OTPT	R9	XOP0, OUTPUT (R9)	125
	JMP	MTIN	TO COMMAND SCANNER	126
EMD	INPT	R9	XOP1, INPUT DATA TO R9	093
	MOV	R9, *R8	TO MEMORY INDIRECT R8	094
	MOV	*R8, R9	TO R9 INDIRECT R8	098
	OTPT	R9	XOP0, OUTPUT (R9)	125
	JMP	MTIN	TO COMMAND SCANNER	126
EMDI	INPT	R9	XOP1, INPUT DATA TO R9	096
	MOV	R9, *R8+	TO MEMORY, INDIRECT R8, INCREMENT R8 TO NEXT ADDR.	097
	MOV	*R8, R9	(NEXT M.A.) TO R9	098
	OTPT	R9	XOP0, OUTPUT (R9)	125
	JMP	MTIN	TO COMMAND SCANNER	126
STEP (H/S)	SETO	@STEPFG	SET STEP FLAG	104
	CLR	@HALTFG	CLEAR HALT FLAG	105
	LREX		CAUSE LOAD INTERRUPT WHICH GOES TO STEP ROUTINE	106
				195-202

TABLE 4. DSR ACTION TO KEY COMMANDS (Concluded)

Microterminal Key Command	DSR Action And Comment	Listing Source Line
DCRU	*DO LOAD ROUTINE	195-202
	INPT R10 XOP1, GET BIT COUNT	108
	. AND CRU ADDR	
	.	
	*MOVE CRU ADDR TO R12	110-112
	*EXECUTE MOVE (CRU) TO R9	113-116
ECRU	OTPT R9 XOP0, OUTPUT (R9)	125
	JMP MTIN TO COMMAND SCANNER	126
	INPT R9 XOP1, CRU DATA TO R9	118
	.	
	*EXECUTE MOVE (R9) TO CRU	119, 120
	JMP MTIN TO COMMAND SCANNER	121
RUN	RTWP BRANCH *R14 WITH (R13) = ADDR. OF WP AND (R15) = STATUS REG	077
HALT (H/S)	SETO R0 SET DELAY FLAG	122
	OTPT R14 XOP0, OUTPUT VALUE OF PC	123
	MOV *R14, R9 MOVE DATA AT PC TO R9	124
	OTPT R9 OUTPUT (R9)	125
	JMP MTIN TO COMMAND SCANNER	126

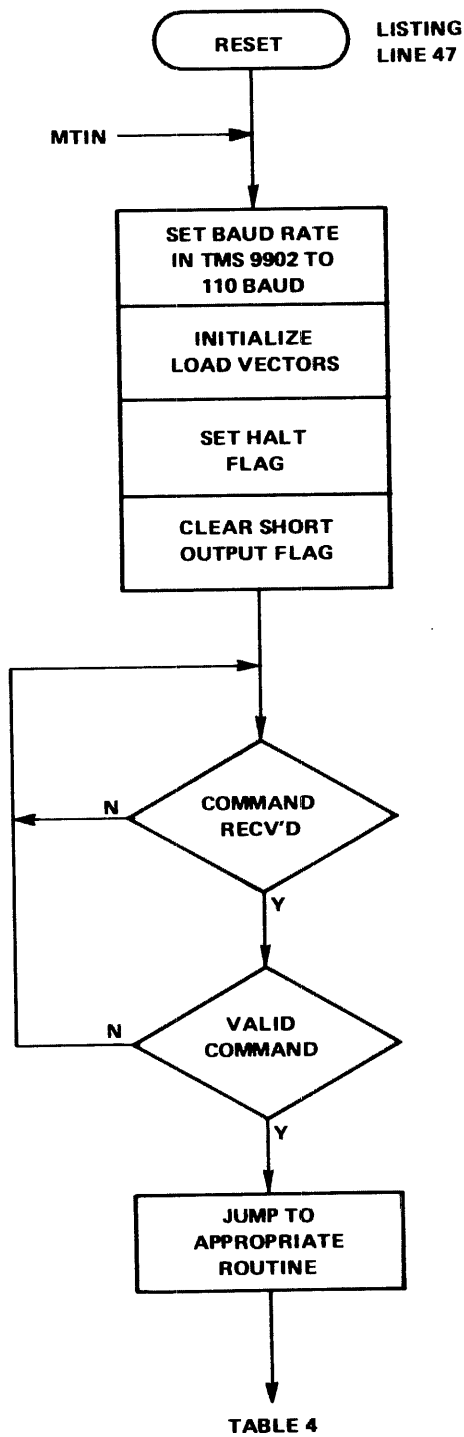


Figure 5. Microterminal Initialization and Command Scanner

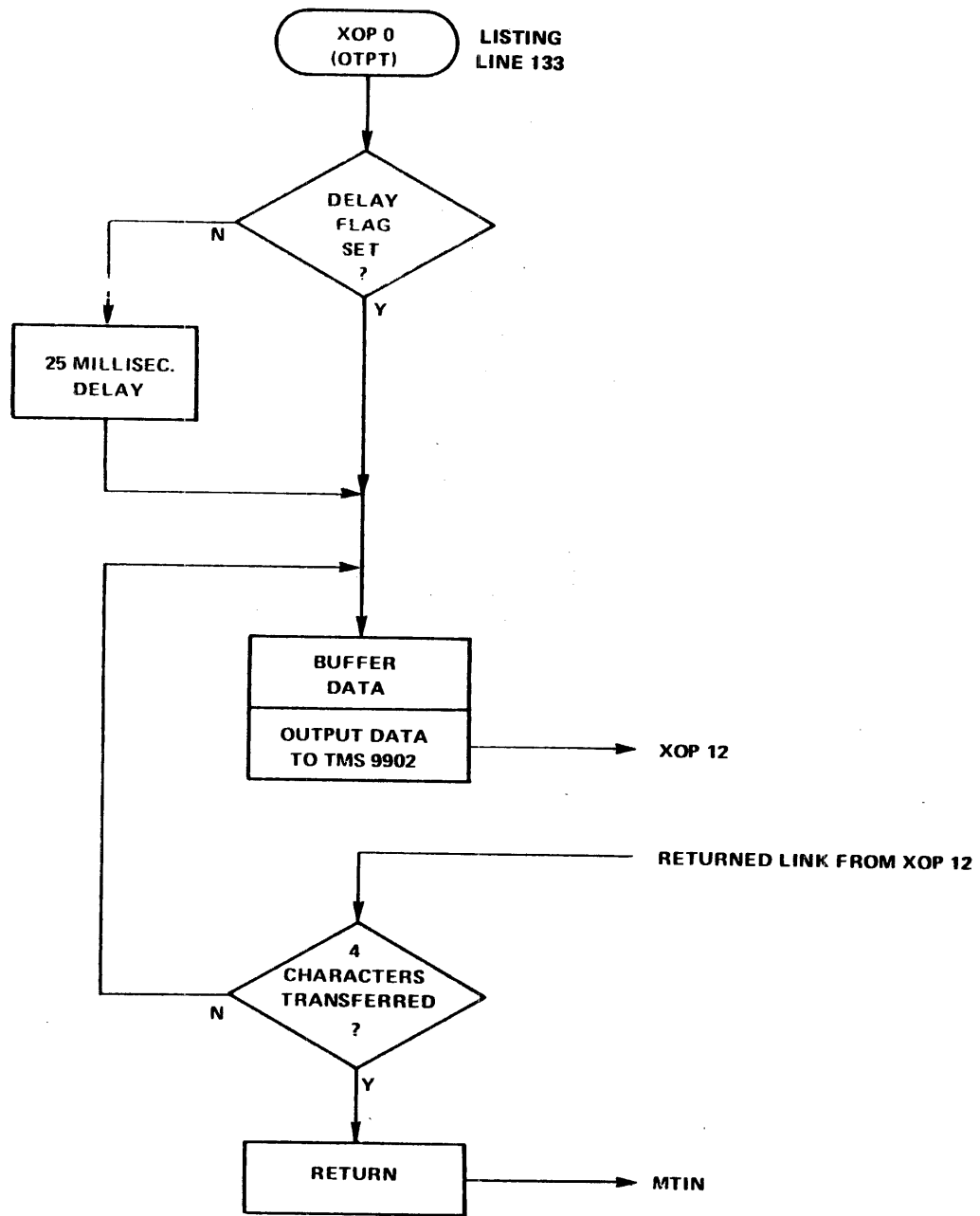


Figure 6. Output Data to Microterminal

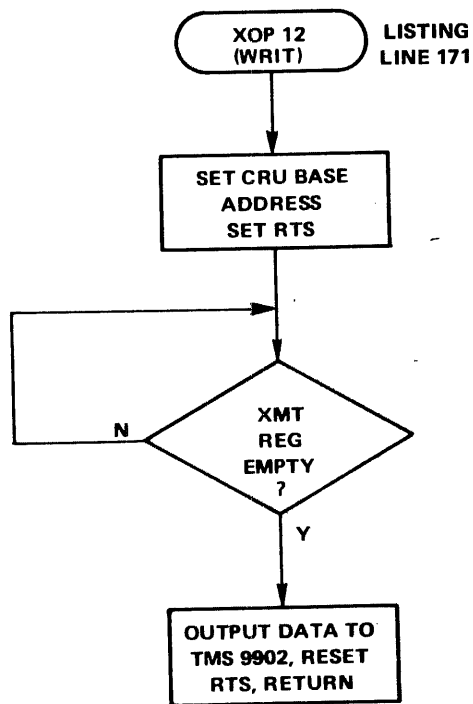


Figure 7. Output Data to TMS 9902 (to Microterminal)

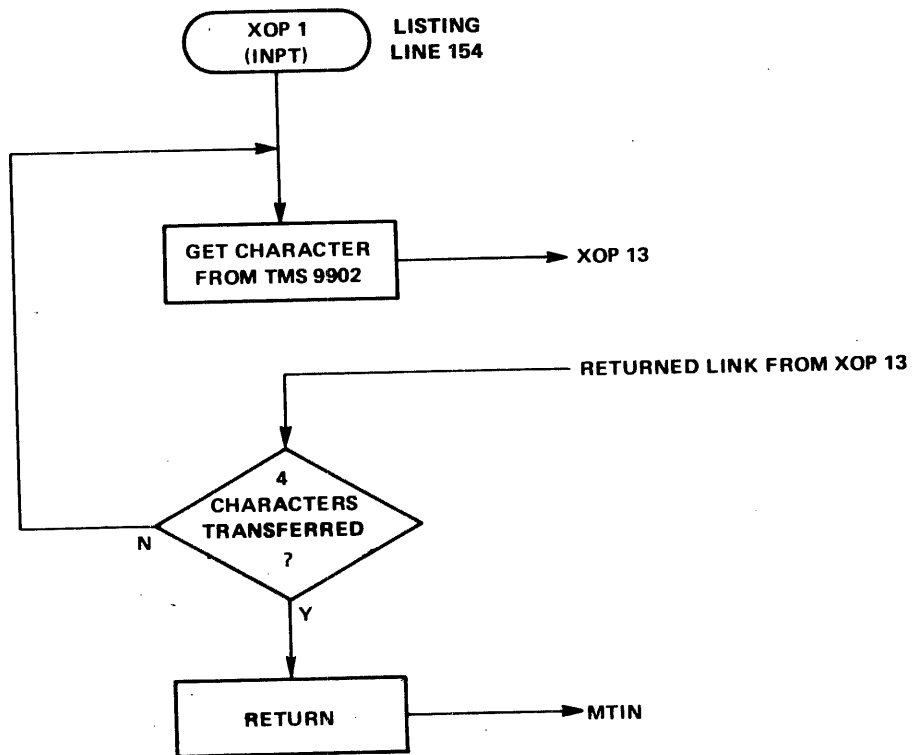


Figure 8. Input Data From Microterminal

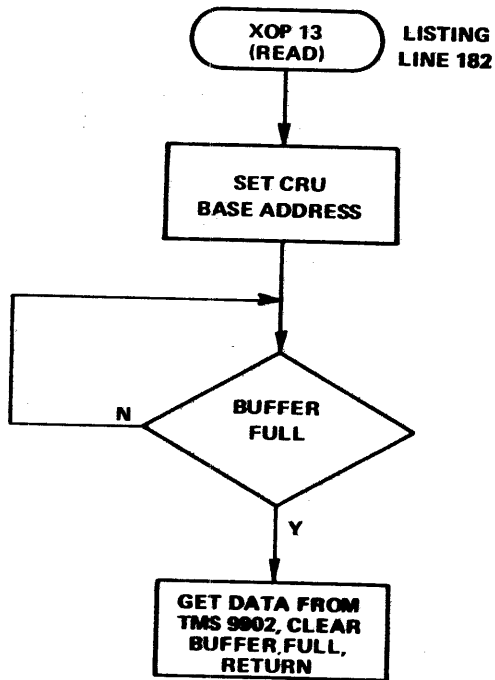


Figure 9. Get Data From TMS 9902 (from Microterminal)

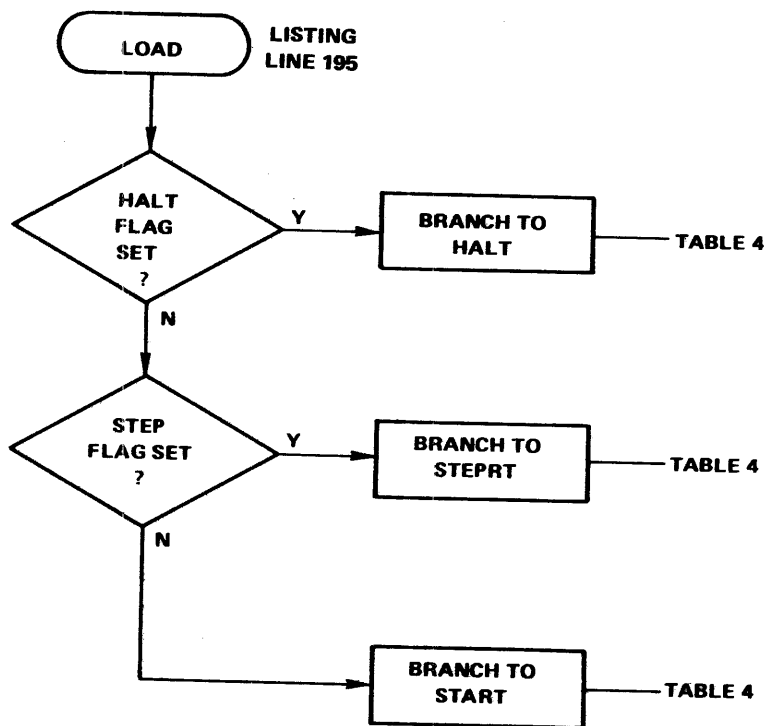


Figure 10. Load Signal Execution

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 * THIS IS A STAND ALONE DEVICE SERVICE ROUTINE FOR THE *
 * TEXAS INSTRUMENTS TM990/301 MICROTERMINAL UTILIZING THE *
 * TEXAS INSTRUMENTS TM990/100M MICROCOMPUTER AS THE HOST *
 * DEVICE.THE 990/100M UTILIZES MEMORY LOCATIONS 00 THRU *
 * 80(ALL NUMBERS ARE HEX)FOR INTERRUPT VECTORS AND XOP *
 * VECTORS,MEMORY LOCATIONS 80 THRU 7FF FOR EXECUTABLE *
 * CODE AND MEMORY LOCATIONS FE00 THRU FFFF FOR RAM STORAGE *
 * THE DATA INTERFACE BETWEEN THE MICROTERMINAL AND *
 * TM990/100M IS RS232C SERIAL.A TMS9902 ACIA IS UTILIZED *
 * ON THE TM990/100M AS THE UART DEVICE. *

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                                IDT      'MCTER'
0008 LINK EQU R11
000C CRUBAS EQU R12
FFB0 MREGS EQU >FFB0
FFD4 XREGS EQU >FFD4
FFC6 IREGS EQU >FFC6
FFF8 STEPPG EQU >FFF8
FFFA HALTFG EQU >FFFA
                                DXOP    DTPT,0
                                DXOP    INPT,1
                                DXOP    READ,13
                                DXOP    WRIT,12
                                DATA   MREGS,INIT  RESET VECTORS
0000 FFB0
0002 ----
                                DATA   >FFFF,>FFFF,>FFFF,>FFFF,>FFFF,>FFFF
0004 FFFF
0006 FFFF
0008 FFFF
000A FFFF
000C FFFF
000E FFFF
                                DATA   >FFFF,>FFFF,>FFFF,>FFFF,>FFFF,>FFFF,>FFFF,>FFF
0010 FFFF
0012 FFFF
0014 FFFF
0016 FFFF
0018 FFFF
001A FFFF
001C FFFF
001E 0FFF
                                DATA   >FFFF,>FFFF,>FFFF,>FFFF,>FFFF,>FFFF,>FFFF,>FFF
0020 FFFF
0022 FFFF
0024 FFFF
0026 FFFF
0028 FFFF
002A FFFF
002C FFFF
002E 0FFF
                                DATA   >FFFF,>FFFF,>FFFF,>FFFF,>FFFF,>FFFF,>FFFF,>FFF
0030 FFFF
0032 FFFF
0034 FFFF
0036 FFFF
0038 FFFF
003A FFFF

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0030 FFFF
003E 0FFF
0031 0040 FFD4 DATA XREGS,DTPTEN XDP0 VECTORS
0042 ----
0032 0044 FFD4 DATA XREGS,INPTEN XDP1 VECTORS
0046 ----
0033 0048 FFFF DATA >FFFF,>FFFF,>FFFF,>FFFF
004A FFFF
004C FFFF
004E FFFF
0034 0050 FFFF DATA >FFFF,>FFFF,>FFFF,>FFFF,>FFFF,>FFFF,>FFFF,>FFF
0052 FFFF
0054 FFFF
0056 FFFF
0058 FFFF
005A FFFF
005C FFFF
005E 0FFF
0035 0060 FFFF DATA >FFFF,>FFFF,>FFFF,>FFFF,>FFFF,>FFFF,>FFFF,>FFF
0062 FFFF
0064 FFFF
0066 FFFF
0068 FFFF
006A FFFF
006C FFFF
006E 0FFF
0036 0070 FFC6 DATA IREGS,WENTRY
0072 ----
0037 0074 FFC6 DATA IREGS,RENTRY
0076 ----
0038 0078 FFFF DATA >FFFF,>FFFF,>FFFF,>FFFF
007A FFFF
007C FFFF
007E FFFF
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0047 0080 020C INIT LI CRUBAS,>80 LOAD CRU BASE REG
0082 0080
0002♦♦0080
0048 0084 1D1F SBO 31 INITIALIZE UART
0049 0086 3220 LDCR @CR,8
0088 ----
0050 008A 1E0D SBZ 13
0051 008C 3320 LDCR @BR,12 SET BAUD RATE
008E ----
0052 0090 0202 LI 2,>FFFC INITIALIZE LOAD VECTORS
0092 FFFC
0053 0094 04C1 CLR 1
0054 0096 CCB1 MOV ♦1+,*2+

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0055	0098	0201		LI	1,LOAD	
	009A	----				
0056	009C	0481		MOV	1,*2	
0057	009E	2F42	MTIN	READ	2	GET MICROTERMINAL COMMAND
0058	00A0	0400		CLR	0	CLEAR SHORT OUTPUT FLAG
0059	00A2	0720		SETO	0HALTF6	SET HALT FLAG
	00A4	FFFA				
0060	00A6	06C2		SWPB	2	RIGHT JUSTIFY COMMAND
0061	00A8	0242		ANDI	2,>1E	STRIP OFF UNDEFINED BITS
	00AA	001E				
0062	00AC	0282		CI	2,>18	CHECK FOR INVALID COMMAND
	00AE	0018				
0063	00B0	15F6		JST	MTIN	DISREGARD INVALID COMMAND
0064	00B2	0222		AI	2,JMTB	ADD COMMAND AND JUMP TABLE BIAS
	00B4	----				
0065	00B6	0452		B	*2	GO EXECUTE SPECIFIED FUNCTION
0066	00B8	10--	JMTB	JMP	EMA	JUMP TABLE
	00B4**00B8					
0067	00BA	10--		JMP	EPC	
0068	00BC	10--		JMP	EST	
0069	00BE	10--		JMP	EMP	
0070	00C0	10--		JMP	DPC	
0071	00C2	10--		JMP	DST	
0072	00C4	10--		JMP	DWP	
0073	00C6	10--		JMP	DCRU	
0074	00C8	10--		JMP	ECRU	
0075	00CA	10--		JMP	EMDI	
0076	00CC	10--		JMP	EMD	
0077	00CE	0380		RTWP		
0078	00D0	10--		JMP	STEP	
0079	00D2	2C4E	EPC	INPT	14	GET PC
	00BA**100B					
0080	00D4	10E4		JMP	MTIN	GO AWAIT NEXT COMMAND
0081	00D6	2C4F	EST	INPT	15	GET ST
	00BC**100C					
0082	00D8	10E2		JMP	MTIN	
0083	00DA	2C4D	EMP	INPT	13	GET WP
	00BE**100D					
0084	00DC	10E0		JMP	MTIN	
0085	00DE	2C0E	DPC	DTPT	14	OUTPUT PC
	00C0**100E					
0086	00E0	10DE		JMP	MTIN	
0087	00E2	2C0F	DST	DTPT	15	OUTPUT ST
	00C2**100F					
0088	00E4	10DC		JMP	MTIN	
0089	00E6	2C0D	DWP	DTPT	13	OUTPUT WP
	00C4**1010					
0090	00E8	10DA		JMP	MTIN	
0091	00EA	2C48	EMA	INPT	8	GET MEMORY ADDRESS REG
	00B8**1018					
0092	00EC	10--		JMP	EMDI1	GO EXECUTE FUNCTION
0093	00EE	2C49	EMD	INPT	9	GET DATA
	00CC**1010					
0094	00F0	0609		MOV	9,*8	STORE DATA IN MEMORY
0095	00F2	10--		JMP	EMDI1	

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0096 00F4 2C49 EMDI INPT 9 GET DATA
0097 00CA**1014
0097 00F6 CE09 MOV 9,*8+ STORE DATA IN MEMORY AND AUTO INC
0098 00F8 C258 EMDI1 MOV *8,9 GET DATA FROM MEMORY
0098 00EC**1005
0098 00F2**1002
0099 00FA 10-- JMP HALT1
0100 00FC 2C0E STEPRT DTPT 14 OUTPUT PC
0101 00FE C25E MOV *14,9 GET PC MEMORY DATA
0102 0100 0700 SETD 0 SET DELAY FLAG
0103 0102 10-- JMP HALT1
0104 0104 0720 STEP SETD @STEPFG SET STEP FLAG
0104 0106 FFF8
0104 00D0**1019
0105 0108 04E0 CLR @HALTFG CLEAR HALT FLAG
0105 010A FFFA
0106 010C 03E0 LREX FIRE LOAD INTERRUPT
0107 010E 0330 RTMP EXECUTE USER CODE
0108 0110 2C4A DCRU INPT 10 GET BIT COUNT AND CRU ADDRESS
0108 00C6**1024
0109 0112 04C9 CLR 9 CLEAR DATA REG
0110 0114 C30A MOV 10,12
0111 0116 024C ANDI 12,>0FFF SAVE CRU ADDRESS
0111 0118 0FFF
0112 011A 0A1C SLA 12,1 PUT IN PROPER WORD POSITION
0113 011C 09CA SRL 10,12 STRIP OUT ZEROS
0114 011E 0A6A SLA 10,6
0115 0120 022A AI 10,>3409 SET UP STCR OP CODE
0115 0122 3409
0116 0124 048A X 10 EXECUTE STCR
0117 0126 10-- JMP HALT1
0118 0128 2C49 ECRU INPT 9 GET DATA
0118 00C8**102F
0119 012A 022A AI 10,>FC00 SET UP LDCR OP CODE
0119 012C FC00
0120 012E 048A X 10 EXECUTE LDCR
0121 0130 10B6 JMP MTIN
0122 0132 0700 HALT SETD 0 SET DELAY FLAG
0123 0134 2C0E DTPT 14 OUTPUT PC
0124 0136 C25E MOV *14,9 GET PC MEMORY DATA
0125 0138 2C09 HALT1 DTPT 9 OUTPUT DATA
0125 00FA**101E
0125 0102**101A
0125 0126**1008
0126 013A 10B1 JMP MTIN
0127 *
0128 *
0129 * MICROTERMINAL OUTPUT-XOP R,0 *
0130 * CONVERTS 1 MICROTERMINAL 16 BIT OUTPUT WORD TO 4 EIA *
0131 * OUTPUT WORDS. *
0132 *
0133 013C C01D DTPTEN MOV *13,0 CHECK DELAY FLAG
0133 0042**013C
0134 013E 16-- JNE BDLY BYPASS DELAY IF FLAG SET
0135 0140 0200 LI 0,>0F00 25 MS DELAY

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0136 0142 0F00
0136 0144 0600 DLY DEC 0
0137 0146 16FE DLY
0138 0148 0200 EDLY LI 0,4 LOAD NUMBER OF TRANSFERS
0138 014A 0004
0138 013E→1604
0139 014C C25B MOV +11,9 MOVE DATA TO REG9
0140 014E C049 CNOT MOV 9,1 MOVE DATA TO REG1
0141 0150 09C1 SRL 1,12 SAVE MSD
0142 0152 0A81 SLA 1,8 LEFT JUSTIFY
0143 0154 0221 AI 1,>3000 ADD CODE BIAS
0143 0156 3000
0144 0158 2F01 WRIT 1 CALL TIBUG OUTPUT ROUTINE
0145 015A 0A49 SLA 9,4 SHIFT IN NEW DIGIT
0146 015C 0600 DEC 0 DECREMENT WORD COUNT
0147 015E 16F7 JNE CNOT GO BACK IF NOT FINISHED
0148 0160 0380 RTWP
0149
0150 * MICROTERMINAL INPUT-XOP R,1
0151 * CONVERTS 1 MICROTERMINAL 16 BIT INPUT WORD TO 4 EIA INPUT
0152 * WORDS.
0153
0154 0162 0201 INPTEN LI 1,>0004 LOAD NUMBER OF TRANSFERS
0154 0164 0004
0154 0046→0162
0155 0166 04DB CLR +11 CLEAR DATA
0156 0168 C15B CNIN MOV +11,5 MOVE DATA TO REG5
0157 016A 0A45 SLA 5,4 SHIFT TO LEFT
0158 016C C6C5 MOV 5,+11 PUT DATA IN MEMORY
0159 016E 2F43 READ 3 GET EIA WORD
0160 0170 0A43 SLA 3,4 LEFT JUSTIFY
0161 0172 09C3 SRL 3,12
0162 0174 E6C3 SOC 3,+11 SET ONES IN DATA WORD
0163 0176 0601 DEC 1 DECREMENT WORD COUNT
0164 0178 16F7 JNE CNIN GO BACK IF NOT FINISHED
0165 017A 0380 RTWP
0166
0167 * WRITE CHARACTER-XOP R,12
0168 * TRANSFER THE CHARACTER IN THE LEFT BYTE OF REGISTER R TO
0169 * THE UART.
0170
0171 017C 020C WENTRY LI CRUBAS,>0080 SET CRU BASE ADDRESS
0171 017E 0080
0171 0072→017C
0172 0180 1D10 SBO 16 SET RTS
0173 0182 1F16 TB 22 CHECK XMT REG EMPTY
0174 0184 16FB JNE WENTRY GO BACK IF NOT EMPTY
0175 0186 321B LDCR +11,8 OUTPUT DATA TO UART
0176 0188 1E10 SBZ 16 RESET RTS
0177 018A 0380 RTWP
0178
0179 * READ CHARACTER-XOP R,13
0180 * PUTS THE CHARACTER ASSEMBLED IN THE UART INTO REGISTER R.
0181
0182 018C 020C RENTRY LI CRUBAS,>0080 SET CRU BASE ADDRESS

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018E 0030
0076♦♦018C✓
0183 0190 1F15          TB      21          CHECK BUFFER FULL
0184 0192 16FC          JNE    RENTRY      GO BACK IF BUFFER NOT FULL
0185 0194 04DB          CLR    +11         CLEAR DATA
0186 0196 361B          STCR   +11;8      GET DATA FROM UART
0187 0198 1E12          SBZ    18         CLEAR BUFFER FULL
0188 019A 0380          RTWP
0189
0190 *****
0191 * LOAD ROUTINE-THIS ROUTINE IS ENTERED IF A LREX INSTRUCTIO
0192 * IS EXECUTED(THERE IS A TWO INSTRUCTION DELAY AFTER THE LR
0193 * BEFORE THIS ROUTINE IS ENTERED)OR IF THE LOAD SIGNAL FROM
0194 * THE MICROTERMINAL BECOMES ACTIVE LOW.
0195 *****
0195 019C 0201          LOAD   LI      1,HALTFG          CHECK HALT FLAG
0196 019E FFFA
009A♦♦019C✓
0196 01A0 C091          MOV    +1,2
0197 01A2 13--          JEQ   LOAD1        JUMP IF NOT SET
0198 01A4 0460          B     @HALT        GO EXECUTE HALT FUNCTION
0199 01A8 0641          LOAD1 DECT 1        CHECK STEP FLAG
01A2♦♦1302
0200 01AA C091          MOV    +1,2
0201 01AC 13--          JEQ   LOAD2        JUMP IF NOT SET
0202 01AE 0460          B     @STEPRT      GO EXECUTE STEP FUNCTION
0203 01B2 0460          LOAD2 B     @INIT   REINITIALIZE FOR INVALID LOA
01B4 0030✓
01AC♦♦1302
0204 01B6 0638          BR    DATA >0638    TMS9902 DATA RATE REG CONTENTS
003E♦♦01B6✓
0205 01B8 62          CR    BYTE >62      TMS9902 CONTROL REG CONTENTS
0206          END    INIT
0038♦♦01B8✓

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