## NEWSLETTER OF THE TI PROGRAMMABLE CALCULATOR CLUB.

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Welcome back to the TI PPC NOTES. With the appearance of our first issue in 1981 we begin our second year of existence, the sixth year if you take in account the SR-52-Notes. Somewhere in this issue you'll find how you can get hold of the back issues of SR-52-Notes. This in response to many inquiries.

A short re-statement of the goals and purpose of the TI PPC NOTES: To disseminate member-generated software, programming aids and tricks, to report on hardware modifications, new hardware, to tell you about books, programs and other material related to programmable calculators that has been published, to report on news about our beloved machines. All this with respect to algebraic or AOS system machines, such as the TI-58/59, TI-57, EC-4000, SR-52, SR-56, TI-55.... Because the great majority of our members own either a 58 or a 59, most of our software will be for those machines. But we will try to bring you material for the less known machines too, if members contribute it.

Every piece of software is reviewed by at least two independent reviewers, who check not only for validity of equations and formulas used, but also for adherence to proper programming techniques to ensure correct execution and friendliness toward the user.

Some of our members have been under the false impression that one of the goals of the TI PPC NOTES was to promote correct usage of Sheakespeare's beautiful language. It should be clear by now that I butcher our beloved English with unbridled abandon. But I will continue to make up for this flaw in my education by trying to write in an informal, easy-going style, devoid of all "obfuscation and blasse phrasology."

We will continue to be independent of Texas Instruments Inc, in spite of my personal contract with them as a teacher of TI-59 seminars in the TIPPP program. We agreed that I can and will wear two hats: One, as the editor of the TI PPC NOTES. I may laud or condemn TI products or practices, and two, as a TI contract teacher, I will promote everything TI. This to clarify my position vis-a-vis allusions by some of my friends to the fact that I was "maybe taken in by them." Just you wait, you scoffers. I'll fix your wagon in the pre-April 1-issue. It will creep up to you with stealth, like a thief in the night and you will not even be aware of it until it is too late. You are warned!

The FAST MODE keeps on to be practical and members are learning how to use it, in spite of its limitations. You will find again some very useful programs in this issue that employ the FAST MODE: three SFF programs, two random integers programs and the "star" contribution, a method to use up to three levels of subroutines in FAST MODE.

An add for a cigarette company shows an elegantly dressed woman smoking one of the company's brands. The caption reads: "You have come a long way, baby." This, rather sexist remark, applies equally well to the calculator-computer technology that evolved in our live time. In the November 24, 1980 issue of Future Computing Illustrated I saw a comparison between the (1955) IBM 650 computer and the modern TI-59 calculator. The IBM-650 had 2000 tubes, needed 17.7 KVA of power to operate, had a volume of 270 ft<sup>3</sup>

and its weight was 5650 lbs. The "lowly" 59 has the equivalent of 166500 transistors, needs only 0.00018 KVA of power, occupies only 0.017 ft of space and weighs a mere 0.67 lbs. The memory capacity is of the same order, while the 59 is about ten times faster. But the price of the IBM, in 1955 dollars was \$ 200000, while the TI-59 costs not even \$ 225 in 1980 dollars. Assuming similar technical advances, the power of an IBM 370/168 should be available in a hand-held computer by the year 2000.

Maurice E.T. Swinnen.

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BOOKS.- In v5n8p3 we told you about the CALCULATOR CALCULUS book by George McCarthy, and available through EduCalc Mail Store, 27963 Cabot Road, So.Laguna CA 92677, USA. That book, by the way, is their # E-45, and costs \$ 14.95. The same firm sells also the following calculator-related books:

POCKET PROGRAMMABLE CALCULATORS IN CHEMISTRY, by Barnes/Waring, Stock # E-44, 363 p, softbound, \$ 16.95. Contains 29 programs, the equations used, instructions, register contents and a sample problem. Each program in both algebraic and RPN logic.

POCKET CALCULATOR SUPPLEMENT FOR CALCULUS, by Rosser/de Boor, Stock # E-32, 291 p, softbound, \$ 11.50. Programs are given for the TI-57 and the HP-33E.

APPLIED MATHEMATICAL PHYSICS WITH POCKET CALCULATORS, by Robert Eisberg, Stock # E-22, 176 p, softbound, \$ 14.50. Programs are given for the SR-56 and the HP-25.

COMBINATORIAL ALGORITHMS FOR COMPUTERS AND CALCULATORS, by Nijenhuis/Wilf, 302 p, hardbound, \$ 25.95, Stock # E-25. Contains a ready-to-use collection of FORTRAN subroutines for the solution of combinatorial problems, such as "what is the minimum length of road connecting the 48 state capitals?" or "estimate the probability that a shuffled deck contains no straight." 62 algorithms in total.

TRIGONOMETRY USING CALCULATORS, by Elich/Elich, Stock # E-36, 359 p, hardbound, \$ 17.95. A text book, suitable for self-study. Treats both algebraic and RPN logic scientific calculators.

FINANCIAL ANALYSIS USING CALCULATORS, by Greynolds/Aronofski/Frame, Stock # E-28, 427 p, softbound, \$ 13.95. A book for the practicing professional. Works on a non-programmable machine but programmability is desirable nontheless. Many exercises and application problems.

CALCULATOR MATHEMATICS FOR THE REAL ESTATE PROFESSIONAL, by Lawrence Rosen, Stock # E-24, 223 p, hardbound, \$ 19.95. A very practical book. Examples given for both algebraic and RPN machines.

THE HANDHELD CALCULATOR - USE AND APPLICATION, by Hyatt/Feldmnan, Stock # E-43, 256 p, softbound, \$ 14.95. Introductory text for both algebraic and RPN logic entry.

SCIENTIFIC ANALYSIS ON THE POCKET CALCULATOR, by Jon Smith, Stock # E-33, 450 p, hardbound, \$ 18.95. For both RPN and algebraic logic machines. I am most impressed with this book, that deals with evaluation of functions, Fourier analysis, numerical integration, linear system simulation, Chebyshev and rational approximation, roots, statistics and probability, matrix analysis, complex numbers and functions and financial calculations. The book is from the famous Wiley-Interscience series.

COUNTDOWN: SKYDIVER, ROCKET AND SATELLITE MOTION ON PROGRAMMABLE CALCULATORS, by Eisberg/Hyde, Stock # E-27, 107 p, softbound \$ 7.95. May be used with almost any programmable calculator, even the least expensive ones.

HOW TO PROGRAM YOUR PROGRAMMABLE CALCULATOR, by Snover/Spikell, Stock # E-29, 271 p, softbound, \$ 7.95. A practical problem solver. All the programs are given for the TI-57 or EC-4000 (Radio Shack, a twin to the TI-57) Covers evaluation functions, looping and decision making. Over 160 examples and exercises with solutions for business, finance, science, math and gambling. Contains also programs for the HP-33E.

TAKE A CHANCE WITH YOUR CALCULATOR - PROBABILITY PROBLEMS FOR PROGRAMMABLE CALCULATORS, by Lennart Rade, Stock # E-39, 163 p, softbound, \$ 9.95. The programs are given for the HP-25, but the text is applicable to any calculator. Explains all the aspects of probability in a clear fashion.

COMPUTATIONAL ANALYSIS WITH THE HP-25 POCKET CALCULATOR, by Peter Henrici, Stock # E-26, 280 p, softbound, \$ 17.95. Although intended for the HP-25, each of the 30 programs are given with method, flow diagram, examples, storage, operating instructions and timing, such that they are easily adapted to other calculators.

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ENERGY ANALYSIS WITH A POCKET CALCULATOR, by G.A. Patterson, Stock # E-70, 107 p, softbound, \$ 9.95. Basic Science Press.

ENGINE THERMODYNAMICS WITH A POCKET CALCULATOR, by G.A. Patterson, Stock # E-71, 120 p, sofbound, \$ 13.95.

BASIC FLUID SYSTEMS ANALYSIS, by G.A. Patterson, Stock # E-72, 85 p, softbound, \$ 12.95. The above three books for programmable calculators.

ARITHMETIC AND CALCULATORS, by Chinn/Dean/Tracewell, Stock # E-23, 488 p, softbound, \$ 11.95. This book is, in my opinion, the ideal book for those who feel they are deficient in math and who sometimes have trouble understanding what we are talking about in the TI PPC NOTES. It is intended to be used with any type of algebraic-entry calculator. It has many practical examples, covers mathematics from the ground up, and teaches real-world applications. I highly recommend it.

PROGRAMMING PROGRAMMABLE CALCULATORS, by Harold Engelsohn, Stock # 74, 211 p, soft-bound, \$ 11.95. Written especially for those who have trouble understanding the TI manual. Intended for the SR-52, SR-56, TI-57, TI-58, TI-59, EC-4000, PR-100 (Commodore), and for the APF programmable. It gives plenty of detail, examples and flow charts.

PROGRAMMABLE POCKET CALCULATORS, by Mullish/Kochan, Stock # 75, 254 p, softbound, \$ 9.95. This excellent book is intended only for programmables that use RPN logic: Novus Math PR, Sinclair Sci. Pro., HP 25, 25C, 55, 65, 19C, 29C and 33E.

CELESTIAL NAVIGATION WITH A POCKET CALCULATOR, by Jonah Slocum, Stock # 73, 116 p, softbound, \$ 14.95. For yachtsmen, pilots, navigators. Usable for both RPN and algebraic-entry calculators. Teaches astronomy, plane navigation, spherical navigation, time measurement and astronomical triangles. Many examples and programs in both RPN and algebraic.

In all the above descriptions, the word ALGEBRAIC is used to denote the AOS system as used in the TI calculators.

PLEASE DO NOT WRITE TO ME, THE EDITOR, IF YOU WANT TO PURCHASE THESE BOOKS. WRITE TO THE EDUCALC MAIL STORE, 27963 CABOT ROAD, SOUTH LAGUNA CA, 92677, USA.

If you order any books, it never hurts mentioning the TI PPC NOTES as the place where you found out about those books.

HAND-HELD CALCULATORS AND THE AIR FORCE. The Dec 4, 1980, issue of Electronics, page 34, runs an article about the Air Force wanting to purchase 4,000 hand-held calculators to be used instead of the on-board fuel management computers. The Air Force hopes to save the tidy sum of \$ 40 million dollars in fuel this way. What they are looking for are modified programmable printing calculators with aircraft characteristics encoded in read-only memory which can accept real-time data. The machine would then print out altitude, air speed, and engine management for minimum fuel use. For those familiar with airplane types, the numbers given are:the C-141, the C-5A, the B-52 and the KC-135. The purchase of the printing calculators is expected to cost around \$ 1.3 million. The whole thing is expected to pay for itself in less than a month. Seems to me that either a TI-59 with a special module or an HP-41C could fill the bill perfectly. The Air Force expects delivery by August 1981.

THE TI-59 AND SALES.- My friend Ray Cummins, in Beaufort, N.C., brings to my attention a sales program produced by RAB, Radio Advertising Bureau, Inc., 484 Lexington Ave., New York, N.Y. 10027, tel.: (212) 599-6666. This special program, on three magnetic cards comes with a nice instruction manual and is intended to analyze the "reach" and "frequency" of newspapers, alone or in combination with a radio-broadcast station. It shows the user how to improve the efficiency of a newspaper-only campaign. The SONAR (for Synthesis of Newspapers and Radio) system costs \$ 350.00 and is available from the address above.

49 ACCOUNTS.- Wm C. Carpenter, Bakersfield CA, is the author of this practical program.

It allows you to keep inventory on 49 different items, accounts, what have you. In its present form it permits you to record the item number, a descriptor, the date and an amount. Of course, you may modify the program yourself, to accommodate it to your particular needs.

The program and the stored data may be recorded on two mag cards. That means, you need two mag cards for each list		
of up to 49 items, accounts	50.	?
On top of that, you may store a "master" name, that is	30173736.	METS
the name of that particular list. Pressing of one user-defined	0.00	?DATE
key will recall and print the entire list of accounts and all	0.00	? AMT
its data. Zero containing accounts are skipped.	···	. ::::::
Instructions:	a m	
Key in the program in partitioning 6 OP 17 and record on side	49.	•
1 of a mag card. Keep that card as a 'master.''	131415.	ABC
To use the program:	113.81	DATE
1. Load the master card, bank 1.	9.75	AMT
2. Enter a one- or two-digit account number and press A.		
Account numbers may range from 1 through 49.	3.	
3. Enter a one- to ten-digit numeric OR the code for up to four	151436.	CBS
letters or characters. This is intended to be the descriptor.	112.81	
Press B.	15.12	DATE
4. Enter the date in the form MMDD.YY and press D.	1.0.1.	AMT
5. Enter a value (money) up to 99,999.99. Press C.		
Errors are corrected by repeating the step before entering	2.	
another account number. CAUTION: dates and values occupying	391415.	NBC
too many places may interfere by cross sums or printing	111.81	DATE
erratic information, as they share the same place register.	112.69	AMT
6. To enter the file name, enter 50, press A, enter the code		
for a four-letter descriptor and press B.	1.	
7. To obtain the entire list, press E. If you want the master	241428.	T Park
list name included, press 2 E.	110.81	IBM
Items 2, 3, 4 and 5 may be repeated as often as needed, up		DATE
to 49 times per two mag cards.	67.25 0	HMT
8. Record the entire list, program and data, on two mag cards.	0.	AMT
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If it is required to recall <u>part</u> of an entire list, STF 0 from the keyboard, enter the account number and press A, B, C and D. Use the RST key to restore to normal, that is automatic, operation.

The print out listing is complete when 0.AMT is printed.

SPEEDY FACTOR FINDERS.- Robert Caldwell's program on v5n9-10p9 will not run as shown.

That was due to a typo. (mea culpa, mea maxima culpa)

Steps 161 through 168 need to be changed as follows:

161: 1 0 D 2 D 1 0 D

Robert's program also has the same quirk that Bill Skillman found in a former Louder/Vanderburgh program, published in 52-Notes: It prints an unwanted "1", following the print out of the highest prime factor, but only some of the time. It does it with 103569859 but not with 987654321. (see 52-Notes v3n11p4)

Bill Skillman rewrote his speedy factor finder (SFF) in Fast Mode. (he finally made the plunge) The results are 1 min 29 sec and 1 min 8 sec for both test numbers respectively. As you might recall, the former record in v5n9-10p8 was 1 min 33sec and 1 min 11 sec by Bjorn Gustavsson.

The instructions for Bill's program, the first of the series, are: Read card, side 1 and press A. Insert card again, press CE and enter the number. Press R/S and see the number and its factors printed. If hand-held, R/S each factor and CE. In both cases, printer and hand-held, the last factor is flashed.

Note the peculiar sequence in steps 034 through 037. Bill says it is faster than EQ followed by GTO.Bill uses 0P 69 to produce a non-halting flasher.

I keep reporting them in chronological order, folks. That is, the time of arrival counts. The next one is from Palmer 0. Hanson. In fact, I received two from Palmer: one on December 7 and another, and faster one, on December 18, 1980. Palmer's program executes at an "incredible" speed: 1 min 17 sec and 59 sec respectively. And it may be worked both in Fast Mode and in Normal Mode. (This is case you get sick from all that "speed freaking"). His instructions are: Fast mode:

- 1. Load side 1. Press RST R/S to get into Fast Mode.
- 2. Reload side 1, followed by side 2. DISPLAY WILL FLASH. IGNORE IT.
- 3. Enter number and press R/S. Display stops with a flashing 1. Factors are printed with a question mark.
- 4. To recover number and prime factors when no printer is available, press CLR SBR 309. Displays number. Press R/S. Displays first factor. Press R/S.....
- 5. To test another integer after using steps 3 and 4: Enter number and press R/S.

Palmer's program is the famous Louder/Vanderburgh program from v3n11p4 in Fast Mode.

Normal Mode:

- 1. Load sides 1 and 2 of the mag card.
- 2. Enter number and press A. See number and prime factors printed. Stops with flashing "1" in the display.
- 3. Read out the integer and primes if no printer available: Press B, displays number. Press R/S to see first prime. press R/S again.....Flashing "1" means END.

The next one to arrive is by our mathematician in Sweden: Björn Gustavsson. His program runs neck on neck with Palmer's with respect to speed: 1 min 16 sec and 59 sec again. Bjorn's technique is completely different from any program I have seen so far. It requieres a very short program, but data to be loaded in registers 01 through 52. Watch out for his sequences, such as DSZ 56 082. Key in as: DSZ STO 56 GTO 082, and delete the STO and the GTO commands.

His instructions are, for Fast Mode only:

- 1. Load bank 1. Press A to get into Fast Mode.
- 2. Load bank 1 again. A "3" will be displayed. Enter bank 3; a "4" will be displayed. Enter bank 4. Paper advances.
- 3. Enter the number (integer) and press R/S. Integer and prime factors printed.

This should do it for now with respect to SFF programs. But it is by no means the end of this chapter. Faster SFF programs will arrive, using new algorithms. Palmer Hanson has been dilligently at work over the holidays, he writes me. I'll let you know the results in next issue.

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/SEE BJÖRN'S SFF PROGRAM ON PAGE 8./

Tom Wysmuller sends me a Navy Technology Transfer Sheet which can be of ASTRONOMY. interest to the astronomers, amateur and otherwise, among our members: BACKUP DOCUMENTATION PACKAGE FOR FACT SHEET ARTICLE "COMPUTER ALMANAC TURNS HAND CALCULATOR INTO NAVIGATIONAL TOOL." ALMANAC FOR COMPUTERS, 1980. I inquired at the office of Dr. P. Kenneth Seidelman, who is the director for the Nau-Almanac Office of the U.S. Naval Observatory, Washington DC 20390. I was informed that the same office offers a complete copy of the nautical almanac at the bargain price of \$ 5.00 US. Make your checks payable to the Naval Observatory. Use the same addresss as above. If you want to inquire by phone, use: (202) 254-4571. The fact sheet # is 051003. It contains 16 pages: calendar 1980, navigational tables, astronomical tables, stellar tables.

I am willing to purchase the almanac for members who live outside the US and send it by means of any of the postal rates you deem adequate. Please send enough money to cover postage. I will return any excess.

THREE LEVELS OF SUBROUTINES IN FAST MODE ?- Dave Leising accomplished this "impossible" feat by working some special TI-59 calisthenics over the holidays. He calls it FAST MODE SYNTHETIC SUBROUTINE PROTOCOL.

Dave is quick to outline some associated penalties which one has to "endure":

- 1. Register 00, or any other of the user's choice, is reserved for use as the subroutine return register.
- 2. A subroutine call requires ten program steps.
- 3. The x-register is used upon subroutine call. It is, however, undisturbed during subroutine return.
- 4. Control program operations require 28 locations of program memory.

The panalties may or may not be outweighed by the advantages of having subroutine capability available in the Fast Mode. But subroutines have been missing dearly in Fast Mode programs. So, I think it is a very handy enhancement of this type of programming. It wont be long before we'll see it used in real programs, as opposed to this demonstration program Dave wrote.

To call a subroutine, place in the X-register a number of the form ABC.DEF, in which ABC is the absolute address of the start of the called subroutine and in which DEF is the absolute address of the return. This is immediately followed by a GTO PQR in which PQR is the absolute address of the Control Program, Call Routine.

Every subroutine is ended by a GTO STU in which STU is the absolute address of the Control Program, Return Routine.

The breakdown of the demonstration program is as follows:

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000 through 029 Initialize Fast Mode and Load Cards.
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030 through 044 Subroutine Control: Call Routine.

045 through 057 Subroutine Control: Return Routine.

058 through 148 Demonstration: Main Program.

149 through 225 Demonstration: Subroutine 1.

226 through 310 Demonstration: Subroutine 2.

311 through 359 Demonstration: Subroutine 3.

User instructions for the demonstration program are:

- 1. Load card side 1. Press RST R/S. You have acquired Fast Mode.
- 2. Load card sides 1 and 2. Pres R/S twice to accomplish dummy reads for the non-existent card sides 3 and 4.
- 3. Demo program will execute, printing out an indented Structured-Program format dynamic illustration of its own operation.
- 4. At completion, press R/S to repeat execution. Or press RST GTO 058 TRACE R/S to observe the details of operation.

The program operates by using four three-digit fields of register 00 to store absolute addresses. The address required at any given time is shifted into the integer portion of register 00, where it becomes active for indirect GTO.

+SEE THE PROGRAM LISTING NEXT PAGE.+

The first 12 issues, volume 1 from June 76 to December 76, and volume 2 from January 77 to May 77, deal exclusively with the SR-52. But starting with the June issue of 77, the newsletter deals more and more with the TI-59. These are: Volume 2, June through December 77, 7 issues; volume 3, January through December 78, 12 issues: volume 4, January through March 79, 3 issues. A grand total of 22 issues that deal with the TI-59. This is a total of 130 typewritten pages for \$ 22.00 US.

Please, do not write to me for these back issues of the 52-Notes. Write Richard instead at the above address and don't forget to include your check or money order.

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Three levels of SBR, Dave Leising.

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SFF program, Björn Gustavsson.

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100 RANDOM INTEGERS.- In v5n8p1 I posed the problem of "generating at least 100 nonrepetetive random integers, predetermined between an upper and

a lower limit." I said that the problem "had me completely stomped." It had me stumped also, of course. Up to this writing I recieved two solutions: one by Richard Snow and another one by Jeff Rosedale. The first one is ultra-fast: it produces 100 integers in about 2 min 40 sec. The second one is slower: 100 integers take about 17 min 40 sec. But Jeff's program can handle up to 300 integers and with slight modifications could generate about 990 integers. Richard's program is limited to a maximum of 100 integers.

Several people questioned the practicallity of such a program. But, suppose you have 100 employees, as the original requestor has. And suppose you have to write shift schedules for those employees. This means, who will work the first shift, who the second, etc. You could write the name of each of the employees on a separate piece of paper and draw them from the hat. The first 25 would be assigned to the first shift, the next 25 to the second one, the following 25 to the third shift and the rest to the swing shift, that is the work shift that replaces the shift on regular days off. This is the way (or some variation of it) that has been used in most places. At regular intervals a new "random" list is drawn, to give people variation in their work.

Some enterprising outfit publishes little booklets with computer-generated lists of random numbers. By assigning a number to each employee and then opening the booklet at random, one can periodically generate a new random work assignment list.

I have seen once a TI-59 program to generate 100 random integers. But is was extremely slow, as after each randomly selected integer, it checked to see if that one had already been generated. If not it would be printed. If yes, it would generate a new random integer, check it again, and so on. A really endless task, which would become more tedious the longer the list of random integers was. Generating 100 integers was almost an overnight proposition.

In Richard's program a different approach has been employed. Richard credits it to an article he once saw in Personal Computing. Only the difference between each one of 100 integers is randomly produced. The range of random integers ( max-min) is divided by the number of random integers left to be generated. (contents of register 00 in a DSZ loop) The result is fed to a random number generator making sure that at least a "1" is being generated. The small random number is subtracted from the range of random integers in HIR 03 but added to the previously computed random integer. This produces a list of increasing random integers which are stored in the t-register and in registers 01 to 99 in reverse order.

The next part of his program shuffles the contents of the registers in another DSZ loop. The contents of each register is exchanged with that of the t-register. Finally the shuffled contents of all the registers including the t-register are listed.

The FAST MODE was added to the program to speed up the process. Its speed increased from an original 5½ minutes to 2 min 35 sec. Prompting was added to make the program "friendlier-to-the-user."

User instructions:

- Key in the program and record it on one card side. Besides the usual difficulties of keying in HIRs(I hope everybody knows by now how to do it) watch out for step 162. This is not an ordinary CLR (code 25) but a 2nd CLR (code 20)
- 2. Enter a number between 0 and  $10^{12}$  and press A. If that seed is not satisfactory, the printer will prompt you for a new seed, by printing ENTER SEED.
- 3. Insert card side 1 again.
- 4. ENTER MIN is printed. Enter the minimum random number to be generated and press R/S.
- 5. ENTER MAX is printed. Enter the maximum random number to be generated and press R/S. This number should be at least 100 more than the minimum entered.

  Both MIN and MAX can be negative values, if desired.
- 6. Wait almost 3 minutes for program execution, after which the printer will list the 100 integers with the number of the register they were stored in.
- 7. To produce a new list, press R/S and repeat steps 4 and 5.

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Jeff Rosedale calls his program NONREPRNDINTLIST, for Non-Repetitious Random Integer List. It can handle up to 300 integers. The lower limit of this list can be any number. All the integers in the list will be found between the lower limit you selected and the number of integers your requested, minus one. For example, if you enter 250 as the lower limit and 100 as the number of integers wanted, the range will be from 250 to 349, inclusive.

The method used is as follows: Registers 00 through 29 contain each ten ones, i.e. "1111111111". Each "1" represents the number between o and 9 (position near the decimal point) and its register # is multiplied by 10 and added to itself to obtain the numbers from 0 to 299. Each random number is assigned one of these numbers. When it is generated, it is checked against its number. If the "1" is there, it will be printed. If not, another random number will be generated. When it is printed, the corresponding "1" is deleted, to avoid it being printed again. This process continues until all the random integers are printed. This way all the memories become zeroed.

The program may be modified to handel up to 990 integers. All you have to do is to convert the working registers, R30 to R35, to HIRs. You will have to use R99 instead of R35, because of the IND function it provides. HIRs have no IND functions. Then you will have to store ones in registers R00 through R98.

The present program fits nicely on one mag card, sides 1 and 4. An extended list will need two mag cards.

Instructions:

Load registers 00 through 29 with the number "1111111111". That is, enter ten ones in the display and key: STO 01, STO 02....until you are blue in the face, or whatever your particular skin color becomes after strenuous exercise. Or, you can do it the easy way by means of this short routine. Press LRN and put this program in user memory:

LBL A CMS 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 30 X:T

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Press LRN again to go out of the LRN mode and press A. The program will take about 20 sec to put ones in registers 00 through 29. It will stop with "30" in the display.

Now press LRN again and key in the program below, all 88 steps. Press LRN again.

Record the program on side I and the data on side 4 of one and the same mag card.

To run the program, that is to produce a list of random integers, do as follows:

- 1. Enter the number of integers required and press A.
- 2. Enter the lower limit of the range and press B.
- 3. Enter a seed, a number between 0 and 1, and press C. Then have a little patience.

000 76 LBL 013 13 C 026 31 001 11 A 014 42 STD 027 95 002 42 STD 015 33 33 028 59 I 003 31 31 016 43 RCL 029 42 S 004 42 STD 017 33 33 030 34 005 30 30 018 22 INV 031 85 006 92 RTN 019 39 CDS 032 43 R 007 76 LBL 020 22 INV 033 32 008 12 B 021 59 INT 034 95 009 42 STD 022 42 STD 035 34 010 32 32 023 33 33 036 34 011 92 RTN 024 65 × 037 55 012 76 LBL 025 43 RCL 038 01	039 00 0 052 28 LOG 040 75 - 053 59 INT 054 42 STO 055 36 36 36 043 35 35 056 35 172 044 95 = 057 65 × 046 01 1 059 35 35 046 01 1 059 35 35 047 00 0 059 35 35 048 35 + 061 22 INV 050 95 = 051 22 INV	064 01 1 076 95 = 077 22 INV 066 95 = 078 74 SM* 067 59 INT 079 35 35 068 67 E9 080 43 RCL 069 00 00 081 34 34 070 16 16 082 99 PRT 071 43 RCL 083 97 DSZ 072 36 36 084 30 30 073 55 - 085 00 00 074 01 1 086 16 16 075 00 0 0 087 91 R/S
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HYPERBOLIC FUNCTIONS. - Paul B. Wright, 16860 Slover, Fontana CA, 92335, has written a superprogram by that name. Unfortunately, it contains 25 pages of text and program listings, so that I would have to dedicate two issues to it. Paul is willing to send you a copy, if you send him \$ 5.00 US to cover copying and postage. A description follows:

The hyperbolic functions are of real variables using the Gudermannian Function. Tables of db vs Hyperbolic Functions as well as db vs Voltage (Current) and Power Ratios are generated and may be chosen for either manual or automatic operation. (with or without the printer) The function to be tabulated may be started at any value and have any chosen incremental db step.

The functions programmed are: decibells (db);  $\Theta$  in nepers;  $\phi$ , the Gudermannian of  $\phi$  abbreviated gd $\phi$ ; Sinh $\phi$ ; Tanh $\phi$ ; Tanh $\phi$ /2; Cosh $\phi$ <sup>2</sup>; k, a voltage (current) ratio; k<sup>2</sup>, a power ratio; the reciprocals of the hyperbolic and k functions; Return Loss; Reflection Loss; Voltage Standing Wave Ratio; (VSWR). Tables of db and db vs VSWR may also be generated. The total program package has 25 pages and is comprised of the following:

- 1. A brief theory of the Gudermannian Function and the relationships with the trigonometric and hyperbolic functions.
- 2. Two tables that summarize all of the functions used in the program and from which concise definitions of the various functions may be obtained. Two algorithms are given that make it possible to get hyperbolic functions using the Gudermannian Functions from ordinary trigonometric functions. It is not necessary to use the definitions in terms of the exponential functions to get the hyperbolic functions. The Gudermannian is more efficient and much more economical of programming space.
- 3. Eleven examples are given to show the usage of the algorithm, tables and program instructions in the design of : minimum loss, T,  $\pi$ , bridged T, lattice networks together with the T to  $\pi$  and  $\pi$  to T transformations. Return, reflection losses and VSWR are included.
- 4. A 32 section index of instructions.
- 5. 181 Instructions for the 32 sections.
- 6. A 476 step program that may be recorded on sides 1 and 2 of a mag card. Either degrees or radians may be used in the calculations, which will work with or without the printer. Even a non-programmable calculator may be used, be it at a slower pace. Besides calculating hyperbolic functions this program gives db, VSWR and loss as a bonus. When given one function, any or all other functions may be obtained.

Please DO NOT WRITE TO ME FOR THIS PROGRAM. Write Paul Wright instead, at the address mentioned above and don't forget to send Paul some compensation for his time and effort.

ASTRONOMY- David Bartholomew tells me that he has had trouble to have the HP programs in the Astronomy package give the correct answers. I don't have my HP-67 anymore, so I am unable to check it.

Those members who have purchased the package (translation from Display) would you please write me if you experienced problems with the HP programs and if they gave you answers different from the ones for the TI-59? Of course, I would be even more grateful if you could send me (eventual) corrections.

INTERPOLATION.- by Fred Fullam, Jr. This program is handy when straight-line interpolation or rationing is desired. For example, if you know two values from a table and you want to know a value between them. Suppose at 32 degrees F the value is  $3.16 \times 10^6$ , while at 100 degrees F the value has decreased to  $1.76 \times 10^6$ . We would like to now the value at 75 degrees F.

The instructions are for calculator use only, without the printer: Initialize, press A. When "1" appears in the display, enter 32 and press R/S. When a "2" appears, enter 3.16 EE 6 and press R/S. When a "3" appears, enter 100 and press R/S. Now a "4" will appear. Enter 1.76 EE 6 and press R/S. When finally a "5" appears, enter 75 and press B. The result appears as 2.27 x  $10^6$ . You can now interpolate any value. For example, enter 50 and press B. The result is  $2.78 \times 10^6$ , etc.

For a new set of interpolations, initialize by pressing A again.

OBLIQUE TRANSFORM, by Fred Fullam, Jr. This program is used when drawing three-dimensional figures. It will transform three-dimensional information (x, y, z) into two-dimensional information (x, y) such that the three-dimensional figure can be drawn on a two-dimensional plane.

The formulas used are:

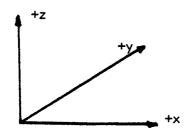
 $x^2 = x^3 + y^3$  (F) cos A and  $y^2 = z^3 + y^3$  (F) sin A.

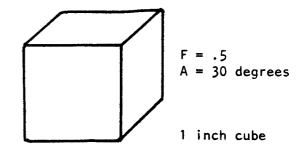
in which x3, y3 and z3 are the three-dimensional values and

x2 and y2 are the two-dimensional values.

F =forshortening factor, ususally between .5 and 1.

A = projection angle, usually between 30 and 60 degrees.





## Instructions:

Enter the forshortening factor F and press E. This initializes the program.

When a "1" appears in the display, enter x3 and press R/S.

When a "2" appears, enter y3 and press R/S.

When a "3" appears, enter z3 and press R/S.

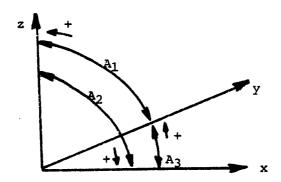
x2 will now appear in the display.

Press B and y2 will appear in the display.

Of course, you can enhance this program by adding PRT statements in strategic places.

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ORTHOGRAPHIC PROJECTION, - by Fred Fullam, Jr. This program is similar to the Oblique program, except that it allows the object to be rotated about each of the 3-D axis. As before, the three-dimensional coordinate system is:



but three angles have been added: Al is the angle the object is totated through around the x-axis. Al is the rotation angle about the y-axis, while Al is the rotation angle about the z-axis. The signs for the angles follow the right-hand rule: point the thumb of the right hand in the positive direction of the axis and the fingers of the right hand point in the positive angle direction.

The formulas used are as follows:

 $x^2 = \cos A^2 \cos A^3 + \sin A^3 + \sin A^2 y^3$ 

y2 = (sinA1 sinA3 - cosA1 sinA2 cosA3) x3 + (sinA1 cosA3 + cosA1 sinA2) y3 + (cosA1 cosA2) z3.

These formulas rotate the object about the x-axis first, then the y-axis and finally about the z-axis.

To operate the program, which is for calculator-only use, initialize by pressing E. When "11" appears in the display, enter angle A1 and press R/S. When a "12" appears enter angle A2 and press R/S. When a "13" appears, enter angle A3 and press R/S.

When a "1" appears, enter x3 and press R/S. When a "2" appears, enter y3 and press R/S. When a "3" appears, enter z3 and press R/S.

x2 appears now in the display. Press B to obtain y2.

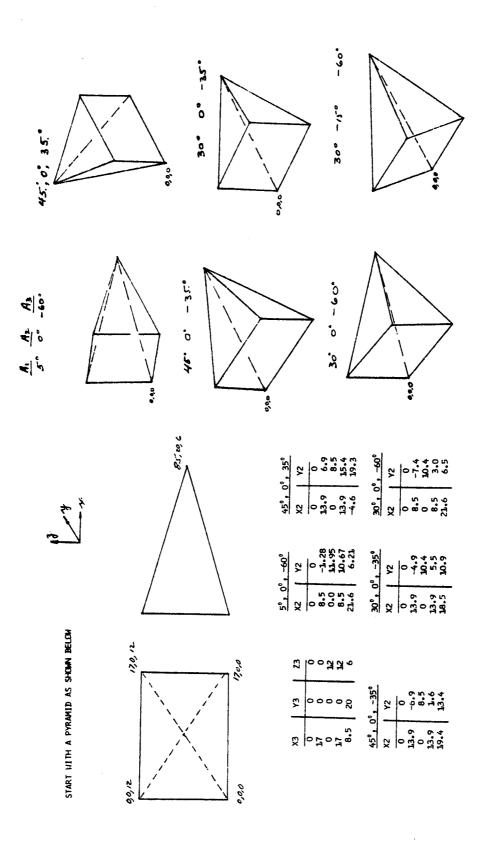
To obtain the next point, remember that the three angles have been entered already. So, just press A. When a "1" appears, enter x3 and press R/S. When a "2" appears enter y3 and press R/S. When a "3" appears, enter z3 and press R/S. X2 will appear in the display. Press B to obtain y2, etc. etc. for all the subsequent points. Start each time by pressing A.

Two possible enhancements come to mind: inclusion of PRT statements and a scaling factor routine. The latter was published in one of the issues of the TI PPC NOTES in 1980: v5n6p8-9.

On the next page are given several examples of how a pyramid may be rotated about the three axis, in order to obtain different views of that object.

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Orthographic Projection, Fred Fullam. EXAMPLES.



REPARTITIONING THE TI-58C: By now you have heard of the extra 32 steps (480-511) or four memories in the TI-58. Unfortunately these steps are usually accessible only from the keyboard using the STF IND...sequence. But in the TI-58C, the memory corresponding to steps 480 to 487 is used by the constant memory feature to set the partition, the FIX n display mode, and to check for memory loss at turn-on. By changing the contents of this memory the TI-58C can be repartitioned so that these 32 steps or four memories are directly accessible.

The first 13 digits of this memory store an unscaled ln 10. If this number is not present at turn-on, the calculator erases all data and program memory to protect the user from unsuspected memory loss. Instead the user suffers from known memory loss.

The next two digits of the memory (i.e. the first digit of step 480 and the last digit of step 481) set the partition at turn-on. By writing the proper key-codes in these steps, the TI-58C can be partitioned like a TI-59 or entirely new partitions may be generated. First, steps 480-481 must be accessed. To do this, write in program memory LBL A FIX 0 R/S, enter 609.000000609 into the display, and press A. Then press STF IND 7 INV LRN. You should be at step 480. Write [x] RCL in steps 480-481. Then cycle the on-off switch, press 0p 16 and you will see a partition of 0.09. This partition means you have no memories and 1200 program steps. Of course there is no hardware beyond step 511- any code you see in these steps seems to be miscellaneous garbage (electrons that got lost in the circuits, perhaps). Now you can repartition to any of the primary partitions in Table 1 by simply going to steps 480-481, entering the proper code and cycling the on-off switch.

However, the most useful partitions are those pseudo-59 partitions in the table. To access them, get into one of the first four primary partitions then simply repartition from the keyboard via Op 17 as you would with a TI-59. These give the TI-58C user an extra 32 steps (480-511) or an extra four memories. For instance, a partition of 479.59 gives 480 program steps and four valid (hard-ware-backed) memories numbered 56 to 59. Memory 59 (or steps 480,481) must be used with care since any change in FIX n or partitioning will alter the contents (but note that the reverse is true only if the on-off switch is cycled) and ln 10 must be restored before turn-off or the calculator will be cleared at turn-on. Also, at turn-off, a psuedo-59 partition will revert to the corresponding primary partition.

The last digit of step 480 stores the FIX n display mode. This digit will equal n+2 in a FIX n display for 04n47. In FIX 9 or FIX 8 this digit will be a zero, but in FIX 8 the first digit of step 480 will be increased by one without affecting the partition. This brings up an important point. A Partition of 0.39 in FIX 9 and a partition of 0.49 in FIX 8 both store code 20 41 in steps 480 and 481, but the calculator goes into the correct partition and FIX n at turn-on. How does the calculator determine which partition and FIX n is correct? I was afraid you'd never ask. Well, in the FIX 8 case the keycode 20 is actually the hexidecimal keycode 1A. (This was determined through other means. None of the hex keycodes ending in A do anything new). Putting a 1 in the last digit of step 480 gives a sort of FIX -1 display. This rounds off the display (but not the display register) to the tens' place and adds a negative sign. Thus, a 5 is displayed as -10 in the last three places of the display and a 2.3 is displayed as -00. In an exponential display, if the most significant digit (MSD) is less than 5, the display shows 0.00; if the MSD is greater than or equal to 5, the display will show 0.XX where XX is the exponent +1.

That's about all there is to repartitioning the TI-58C. Doing something useful with all this is left as an exercise for the reader. Patrick W. Acosta

Code in

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Step		Primary	Memor-		Pseudo-50
480	481	Partition	ies	Pgm. Steps	Partition***
90	41**	239.39*	90	240	
80	41	159.99*	100	163	
70	41	79.09*	110	80	
60	41	'Ó.19*	120	O	
50	41	0.09	0	1200	too day
40	41	0.19	0	1120	<del></del>
<b>3</b> 0	41	0.29	0	1040	
20	41	0.39	0	960	959.00
10	加	0.49	0	880	879.09
00	41	0.59	0	800	799.19
90	40	0.69	0	720	719.29
80	40	0.79	0	640	6 <b>39.3</b> 9
70	40	0.89	0	<i>5</i> 60	<b>55</b> 9•49
- 60	40	479.00	0	480	479.59
50	40	399.09	10	400	399.69
₽C	40	319.19	20	320	319.79
30	40	239.29	30	240	2 <b>3</b> 9.89
20	40	159.39	40	160	159.99
10	40	79.49	50	80	
00	40	0.59	60	0	

<sup>\*\*</sup>Any keycode from 42 to 49 may be substituted for 41 with identical results.

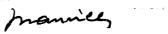
FILTER DESIGN.— The journal "r.f. design" in their Nov/Dec 1980 issue on pages 22 through 31 published an excellent article and TI-59 program titled NARROWBAND BUTTERWORTH OR CHEBYSHEV FILTER DESIGN USING THE TI-59 CALCULATOR. The program permits the design of one of the two above filters of any ripple, orders 2 through 9. Formulas and charts are given. Although the program works perfectly, a few "disturbing" sequences were spotted. For example, I saw the following: 0 STO 06 0 STO 07 ... all the way to 0 STO 15. We all know that, once you have a zero in the display, it is not going to disappear from it, unless you overwrite it with something else. So, the author could have saved himself and his "victims" quite a lot of unnecessary zero punching.

What is a little more "disturbing", however, is, that the author says in his initialization instruction: Press 4 OP 17 CLR. Then press either B for Butterworth or C for Chebyshev. I know you have the solution already. Just write 4 OP 17 as the first steps in both LBL B and LBL C, of course. Or, if you want to be fancy, write SBR 000 in both LBL B and LBL C. Then write, starting at step 000: 4 OP 17 CLR RTN. The author is Lee R. Watkins, Martin Marietta, Waterloo, CO. He acknowledges the help of F. Stillwell in condensing the program to a more efficient form.

CODEC PROGRAM COMPANDS SAMPLES FOR µ-LAW SIMULATION. - Clive McCarthy, Northern Telecom Inc. Santa Clara, CA.

Electronics, Dec 18, 1980, pp 114-115. This clever program simulates the operation of a pulse-coded-modulation encoder that conforms to the industry-standard u-255 companding law. Given a sinusoidal input signal of any amplitude, phase, and frequency, the program finds the corresponding binary output data from the standard approximation of a logarithmic compression curve.

Telecommunications engineers note this TI-59/PC100 program.



<sup>\*</sup>These partitions allow pseudo-59 partitions to be accessed via Op 17.

<sup>\*\*\*</sup>Pseudo-59 partitions have the usual number of memories and program steps.