

# **Instructions**

for the



## **EXTENDED BENTON HARBOR BASIC (Version 10.02.00)**

**Model HC8-13**

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### **INTRODUCTION**

This Manual describes the new and different functions of the Extended Benton Harbor BASIC Program (version 10.02.00). It is not meant to replace the H8 Software Reference Manual, only to supplement it. Read through this Manual to become familiar with the new commands.

It is a good idea to make notes or references to this Manual in your Software Manual to remind you of the new and different commands contained in version 10.02.00 of BASIC. Keep this Manual with the H8 Software Reference Manual.

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## SYSTEM DATA FORMAT

Extended Benton Harbor BASIC (version 10.02.00) contains the three original file types (001, 002, and 003) plus three new file types (004, 005, and 006).

- 001     Memory Image.
- 002     BASIC Programs using Extended Benton Harbor BASIC version 10.01.00.
- 003     Compressed Text.
- 004     BASIC Programs using Extended Benton Harbor BASIC version 10.02.00.
- 005     BASIC Data using Extended Benton Harbor BASIC version 10.02.00.
- 006     BASIC Programs and Data using Extended Benton Harbor BASIC version 10.02.00.

The three original file types (001, 002, and 003), which are explained in the “Tape Files” section of the H8 Software Reference Manual, do not change. The three new file types are explained in the following paragraphs.

### **BASIC PROGRAMS (Type = 004)**

This file type is used by BASIC (version 10.02.00) when you load and dump **programs**. It is the same as file type 002 except that it uses a different format to dump and load the program. This file always has a label record (#0), a table record (#1) that contains a table describing what data has been stored, and a data record (#2) containing the actual data (program text).

### BASIC DATA (Type = 005)

This file type is the same as file type 004 except that it is used to load and dump **data** (program variables).

### BASIC PROGRAM AND DATA (Type = 006)

This file type is the same as file type 004 except that it is used to load and dump both the **program text** and **program variables** together.

### READING THE DISPLAYS

When the H8 computer is reading or writing data on a tape transport, the front panel displays are continually displaying data about the tape operation. The information contained in the "Reading The Displays" section of the H8 Software Reference Manual explains how to read the displays. However, the data-type LED (the one on the right) displays the type of data being read or written. This information is displayed as:

<u>DISPLAY</u>	<u>DATA/TYPE</u>
1	Memory Image
2	BASIC Program Text (version 10.01.00)
3	Compressed Text
4	BASIC Program Text (version 10.02.00)
5	BASIC Program Variables (version 10.02.00)
6	BASIC Program Text and Program Variables (version 10.02.00)

## NEW COMMAND MODE STATEMENTS

The command mode statements in this version (10.02.00) of BASIC either replace or supplement those listed in the H8 Software Reference Manual. Refer to the statements in this Manual when you run version 10.02.00 of Extended Benton Harbor BASIC.

### DUMP

The DUMP statement is the same as the dump statement for Extended Benton Harbor BASIC version 10.01.00 except that it produces a file type 4. A program dumped using the DUMP statement can only be loaded using the LOAD statement.

### LOAD

The LOAD statement is the same as the load statement for Extended Benton Harbor BASIC version 10.01.00 except that the variables in memory are not destroyed when the program (file type 4) is loaded. However, the variables will be cleared to zero if you use the RUN command to execute the program after it is loaded. Therefore, use the CONTINUE statement when you want to run the program without destroying the variables. The LOAD command enters the LOCK mode after it has loaded the program text.

### OLDLOAD

The OLDLOAD statement lets you load programs (file type 2) that were dumped using the old version (10.01.00) of Extended Benton Harbor BASIC. The OLDLOAD statement, unlike the new LOAD statement, destroys the program variables currently in memory. The form of the OLDLOAD statement is:

\*OLDLOAD "name" Ⓢ

### PUT

The PUT statement is a form of dump statement, in that it saves the program variables on tape (file type 5). It does not save the program, only the variables. The "name" that you give to the variables is written on the tape so you can reload the variables in the future using the specified name. The form of the PUT statement is:

\*PUT "name" Ⓢ

The string "name" may consist of up to 80 ASCII characters. Any normal ASCII character string is permitted. Make sure the tape drive is ready before you enter the PUT statement. BASIC starts the drive, writes the data, and stops the drive. You can use CONTROL-C to abort the PUT routine; however, the file will not be complete. A program dumped using the PUT statement can only be loaded using the GET statement.

## GET

The GET statement loads variables (file type 5), previously stored on tape, into memory. The current variables in memory are destroyed, but the program text is not affected. Since the variables are stored in mass storage under a specified name, you can load them from storage using their specified name. The form of the GET statement is:

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*GET "name" Ⓢ
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SURE?

A Y reply to the question "SURE?" causes BASIC to scan the mass storage device until it finds a variable (file type 5) whose name matches the specified string "name." It then destroys current variables in memory and loads the new variables. Any other response cancels the GET routine. If the name in mass storage device is longer than the specified name you enter, a match on the supplied characters in the string "name" is valid. Thus, a program may be dumped (PUT) with extra information entered in the name (such as program version number). This lets you load a program without entering the extra information. The GET command enters the LOCK mode after it has loaded the program variables.

## FDUMP

The FDUMP statement is a combination of the DUMP and PUT statements in that it dumps both the program text and the variables (file type 6). The "name" that you give to the program is written on the tape so that you can reload the program and variables in the future using the specified name. The form of the FDUMP statement is:

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*FDUMP "name" Ⓢ
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The string "name" may consist of up to 80 ASCII characters. Any normal ASCII character string is permitted. Make sure the tape drive is ready before you enter the FDUMP statement. BASIC starts the drive, writes the data, and stops the drive. You can use the CONTROL-C to abort the FDUMP routine; however, the file will be incomplete. A program dumped using the FDUMP statement can only be loaded using the FLOAD statement.

## FLOAD

The FLOAD statement is a combination of the LOAD and GET statements in that it loads both the program and its variables (file type 6) at the same time. Since the program and its variables are stored in mass storage under a specified name, you can load them from storage using the specified name. The form of the FLOAD statement is:

\*FLOAD "name" Ⓢ

SURE?

A Y reply to the question "SURE?" causes BASIC to scan the mass storage device until it finds a program (file type 6) whose name matches the specified string "name." It then destroys the current program in memory and loads the new program text and program variables. Any other response cancels the FLOAD routine. If the name in the mass storage device is longer than the specified name you enter, a match on the supplied characters in the string "name" is valid. Thus, a program may be dumped (FDUMPed) with extra information entered in the name (such as program version). This lets you load a program without entering the extra information. The FLOAD command enters the LOCK mode after it has loaded the program text and the program variables.

## LOCK

The LOCK statement protects your program by preventing the execution of the following command mode statements:

BUILD	SCRATCH
DELETE	CLEAR
LOAD	GET
RUN	FLOAD

It also prevents the entry or deletion of program text. Variables can be changed, but not deleted. The form of the LOCK statement is:

\*LOCK Ⓢ

A lock error (LOCK) is generated if you attempt to enter a “locked out” command mode statement, such as RUN. Use the UNLOCK statement to abort the LOCK mode.

## UNLOCK

The UNLOCK statement aborts the LOCK mode and restores the use of all command mode statements. The form of the UNLOCK statement is:

\*UNLOCK Ⓢ

## ERROR TABLE

The following new error listing is in addition to those errors given in the “BASIC Error Table” in the H8 Software Reference Manual.

BASIC	EXTENDED BASIC	COMMENTS (Cause of Error)
—	LOCK	Data LOCK engaged. Attempting to change data using the RUN, CLEAR, SCRATCH, BUILD, LOAD, DELETE, GET, or FLOAD commands. Or, attempting to add or delete lines of BASIC text.

## OPTIONAL PATCHES

An optional patch is supplied with Extended Benton Harbor BASIC version 10.02.00. This option is for systems that use a terminal device that requires two stop bits (such as the Teletype Model ASR 33). Refer to the "Installing A Patch" section of the H8 Software Reference Manual if you need to use either of these optional patches.



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OPTION PATCH...#1.

2. STOP. A.I.T.S.

USE: THIS PATCH IS INSERTED FOR SYSTEMS WHICH USE A TERMINAL DEVICE REQUIRING 2 STOP BITS. THIS SHOULD NOT BE USED FOR DEVICES WHICH CAN RUN WITH ONLY ONE STOP BIT.

...NOTES: ...NONE.

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...111261...001

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## BASIC UTILITY ROUTINES

The following pages contain a description of several utility routines included in Extended Benton Harbor BASIC version 10.02.00. You can use them with user-written machine language routines called by the USR function. Refer to the section "Entry Points to BASIC Utility Routines" in this Manual.

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 SELECTED SOURCE LISTING. 13:12:47 15-JAN-78

000.000 3 XTEXT MTR

R1 \*\*\* BASIC - \*WINTEK\* BASIC INTERPRETER.  
 R2 \*  
 R3 \* J. G. L., 09/76, FOR \*WINTEK\* CORPORATION,  
 R4 \* LAFAYETTE, IN.  
 R5 \*  
 R6 \* H. W. S., 01/78, FOR HEATH COMPANY.  
 R7 \* HENTON HARBOR, MI.

R9 \*\*\* COPYRIGHT 09/1976, \*WINTEK\* CORPORATION,  
 R0 \* 902 N. 9TH ST.  
 R1 \* LAFAYETTE, IN. 47901  
 R2 \*  
 R3 \* COPYRIGHT 01/1978, HEATH COMPANY,  
 R4 \* HENTON HARBOR, MICH.  
 R5 \* 49022

97 \*\* LOW-MEMORY CELLS USED BY BASIC  
 98  
 99 ORG 7\*3\*UIVEC  
 100  
 040.064  
 101 DS 2 ACCX TYPE  
 040.066 102 ACCX DS 4  
 040.072 103 DS 2 ACCY TYPE  
 040.074 104 ACCY DS 4

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 USR - PERFORM USER ASSEMBLY LANGUAGE FUNCTION. 13:12:47 15-JAN-78

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107 **      USR - CALL USER ASSEMBLY LANGUAGE FUNCTION.
108 *
109 *      THE *USR* FUNCTION IS ACTUALLY A CALL TO A USER-WRITTEN ROUTINE
110 *      WHICH MUST HAVE BEEN PREVIOUSLY LOADED INTO MEMORY BY THE USER.
111 *
112 *      THE ADDRESS OF THE FUNCTION'S ENTRY POINT MUST BE IN *USRFCN*.
113 *
114 *      BASIC MUST HAVE BEEN PREVIOUSLY CONFIGURED SO THAT THE USER
115 *      FUNCTION RESIDES IN MEMORY ABOVE THE STACK POINTER (HIGH MEMORY)
116 *      OR ELSE BASIC WILL OVERLAY THE FUNCTION WITH DATA.
117 *
118 *      THE FUNCTION IS ENTERED WITH A POINTER TO THE SINGLE ARGUMENT (IN
119 *      FLOATING POINT), AND MAY RETURN A FLOATING POINT OR STRING ARGUMENT.
120 *      IF NO RETURN VALUE IS PLACED IN *ACCX*, THEN THE ORIGINAL ARGUMENT
121 *      REMAINS THERE, AND USR( RETURNS ITS ARGUMENT AS ITS VALUE.
122 *
123 *      ENTRY (RC) = *ACCX
124 *      EXIT (ACCX) CONTAINS VALUE
125 *      USES ALL
126
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129 ----- 000 000 000 000 000 000 000 000 000 000 000 000 000 000 000 000
130 *      ADDRESS FOR USER FUNCTION ENTRY POINT
131 *      IF = 0, USR( IS NOT LEGAL

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BASIC - HEATH BASIC INTERPRETER. PAGE  
 ERROR PROCESSING 13:12:47 15-JAN-78

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133 **      ERROR PROCESSING.
134 *
135 *      THESE ERROR PROCESSORS ARE ENTERED WHEN AN ERROR IS DETECTED.
136 *
137 *      CONTROL PASSES DIRECTLY BACK TO COMMAND MODE.
138
139 -----
140 ERR.CC EQU *      CONTROL-C
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142 -----
142 ERR.CH EQU *      CONTROL-R
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144 -----
144 ERR.DE EQU *      DATA EXHAUSTED
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146 -----
146 ERR.DO EQU *      /O
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148 -----
148 ERR.IN EQU *      ILLEGAL NUMBER
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150 -----
150 ERR.IU EQU *      ILLEGAL USAGE
151
152 -----
152 ERR.LK EQU *      DATA LOCK ENGAGED
153
154 -----
154 ERR.NV EQU *      NEXT VARIABLE MISSING
155
156 -----
156 ERR.OV EQU *      OVERFLOW
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158 -----
158 ERR.RE EQU *      RETURN ERROR
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160 -----
160 ERR.SL EQU *      STRING LENGTH
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162 -----
162 ERR.SN EQU *      STATEMENT NUMBER
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164 -----
164 ERR.SY EQU *      SYNTAX ERROR
165
166 -----
166 ERR.IC EQU *      TYPE CONFLICT
167
168 -----
168 ERR.TO EQU *      TABLE OVERFLOW
169
170 -----
170 ERR.SR EQU *      SUBSCRIPT RANGE
171
172 -----
172 ERR.SC EQU *      SUBSCRIPT COUNT
173
174 -----
174 ERR.ND EQU *      NOT DIMENSIONED
175
176 -----
176 ERR.IC EQU *      ILLEGAL CHARACTER
177
178 -----
178 ERR.IU EQU *      UNDEFINED FUNCTION
179
180 -----
180 ERR.IP EQU *      TAPE ERROR

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BASIC - HEATH BASIC INTERPRTER.  
UTILITY SUBROUTINES.

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183 \*\* CVX - COPY VALUE INTO 'X' ACCUMULATOR.

184 \*

185 \* CVX COPIES A 4 BYTE VALUE INTO THE X ACCUMULATOR.

186 \*

187 \* ENTRY (OE) = ADDRESS OF VALUE

188 \*

189 \* EXIT COPIED

190 \*

191 \* USES A,F

192 CVX EQU \*

193

194 \*\* CXV - COPY (ACCX) TO (ACCY)

195 \*

196 \* ENTRY NONE

197 \*

198 \* EXIT NONE

199 \*

200 \* USES A,F,D,E

201 CXV EQU \*

202

203 \*\* CXV - COPY X TO VALUE.

204 \*

205 \* CXV COPIES THE CONTENTS OF THE 'X' ACCUMULATOR INTO A MEMORY LOCATION.

206 \*

207 \* ENTRY (OE) = TARGET ADDRESS

208 \*

209 \* EXIT COPIED

210 \*

211 \* USES A,F

212

213 CXV EQU \*

214

215 \*\* IFIX - SPLIT NUMBER INTO INTEGER AND FRACTION.

216 \*

217 \* IFIX FIXES ((OE)) INTO IN INTEGER.

218 \*

219 \* ENTRY (OE) = ADDRESS OF NUMBER

220 \*

221 \* EXIT (OE) = INTEGRAL PART OF 0<N<=65535

222 \*

223 \* TO.ERM,IN.OTHERWISE

224 IFIX EQU \*

225

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226 **      IFLT = FLOAT NUMBER.
227 *
228 *      ENTRY (DE) = VALUE
229 *      EXIT (ACCX) = NUMBER VALUE
230 *      (DE) = #ACCX-1
231
232
233 IFLT EQU *
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235 **      TDI = TYPE DECIMAL INTEGER.
236 *
237 *      TDI TYPES AN INTEGER AS A 5 PLACE NUMBER. LEADING ZEROS ARE
238 *      SUPPRESSED.
239 *
240 *      ENTRY (DE) = NUMBER
241 *      EXIT TYPED
242 *      USES A,F,D,E
243
244
245 TDI EQU *
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247 **      XCY = EXCHANGE (ACCX) WITH (ACCY)
248 *
249 *      ENTRY NONE
250 *      EXIT NONE
251 *      USES A,F
252
253
254 XCY EQU *
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256 **      ZR0 = ZERO MEMORY.
257 *
258 *      ZR0 ZEROS A FIELD OF MEMORY.
259 *
260 *      ENTRY (HL) = ADDRESS
261 *      (DE) = COUNT
262 *      EXIT NONE
263 *      USES A,F,D,E,H,L
264
265
266 ZR0 EQU *
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FLOATING POINT FORMAT.

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323 *      FPADD = FLOATING POINT ADD.
324 *
325 *      ACCX = ACCX + (DE)
326 *
327 *      ENTRY (DE) = POINTER TO 4 BYTE FP VALUE
328 *      EXIT  ACCX = RESULT
329 *      SUPPLIED VALUE UNCHANGED
330 *      USES  A,F
331
332
333 FPADD EQU *
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335 **     FPSUB = FLOATING POINT SUBTRACT.
336 *
337 *      FPSUB COMPUTES (DE) - ACCX
338 *
339 *      ENTRY (DE) = POINTER TO 4 BYTE FP VALUE
340 *      EXIT  ACCX = RESULT
341 *      SUPPLIED VALUE UNCHANGED
342 *      USES  A,F
343
344
345 FPSUB EQU *
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347 **     FPNRM = FLOATING POINT NORMALIZE.
348 *
349 *      FPNRM NORMALIZES THE CONTENTS OF (ACCX).
350 *
351 *      ENTRY NONE
352 *      EXIT  (ACCX) NORMALIZED
353 *      USES  A,F
354
355
356 FPNRM EQU *
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358 **     FPNEG = FLOATING POINT NEGATE.
359 *
360 *      FPNEG NEGATES THE CONTENTS OF ACCX.
361 *
362 *      ENTRY NONE
363 *      EXIT  (ACCX) = -(ACCX)
364 *      USES  A,F
365
366
367 FPNEG EQU *
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 FLOATING POINT ROUTINES.

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369 \*\* FPMUL - FLOATING POINT MULTIPLY.

370 \*  
 371 \* ENTRY (DE) = ADDRESS OF Y  
 372 \* EXIT ACCX = ACCX \* Y  
 373 \* USES A,F

374  
 375

376 FPMUL EQU \*

378 \*\* FPDIV - FLOATING POINT DIVIDE.

379 \*  
 380 \* ACCX = ACCX/Y

381 \*  
 382 \* ENTRY (DE) = POINTER TO Y  
 383 \* EXIT (ACCX) = RESULT  
 384 \* USES A,F

385  
 386

387 FPDIV EQU \*

BASIC - HEATH BASIC INTERPRETER.  
 ASCII/FLOATING CONVERSION ROUTINES.

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390 \*\* ATF - ASCII TO FLOATING.

391 \*  
 392 \* ATF CONVERTS AN ASCII STRING INTO A FLOATING POINT VALUE  
 393 \* IN ACCX.

394 \*  
 395 \* SYNTAX

396 \*  
 397 \* NNNN [,NNN] IE [++] NN

398 \*  
 399 \* ENTRY (HL) = ADDRESS OF TEXT  
 400 \* EXIT (HL) UPDATED  
 401 \* (ACCX) = VALUE  
 402 \* USES A,F,H,L

403  
 404

405 ATF EQU \*



## ENTRY POINTS TO BASIC UTILITY ROUTINES

### ADDRESSES FOR

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ACCX	040066	ACCY	040074	ATF	101070	CVX	067374
CXY	070023	CXY	070007	ERR.CH	065115	FRW.CC	065105
ERR.D0	065136	ERR.DE	065125	ERR.IC	065333	FRW.TN	065143
ERR.IV	065151	ERR.LK	065157	ERR.ND	065324	FRW.NV	065166
ERR.OV	065175	ERR.RE	065206	ERR.SC	065311	FRW.SI	065214
ERR.SN	065226	ERR.SR	065274	ERR.SY	065237	FRW.IC	065245
ERR.TO	065262	ERR.TP	065355	ERR.UD	065346	FP0.0	106135
FP0.1	106131	FP1.0	106121	FP10.	106125	FPAND	076125
FPDIV	100025	FPMUL	077070	FPNEG	077047	FPNDW	076347
FPSUB	076333	FTA	101355	IFIX	070340	IFLT	070376
NPI	106151	NPI.2	106141	NPI.4	106155	NPI2	106145
PI.4	106161	TDI	074046	USRFCN	106106	XCY	074341
ZRO	074373						