

# Key to Practical 4

## Calculator (Part 1)

### Step 1

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RemoveSpace    ; Save registers on the stack.
                movem.l d0/a0/a1,-(a7)

                ; A1 points to the destination string.
                ; (Destination string = Source string)
                movea.l a0,a1

\loop          ; Load a character of the string into D0 and increment A0.
                move.b  (a0)+,d0

                ; If the character is a space, branch to \loop.
                cmpi.b #',',d0
                beq     \loop

                ; Otherwise, the character is copied into the destination string
                ; and the destination pointer is incremented.
                ; If the character that has just been copied is not null,
                ; branch to \loop.
                move.b d0,(a1)+
                bne     \loop

\quit          ; Restore registers from the stack and return from subroutine.
                movem.l (a7)+,d0/a0/a1
                rts

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**Step 2**

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IsCharError      ; Save registers on the stack.
                  movem.l d0/a0,-(a7)

\loop           ; Load a character of the string into D0 and increment A0.
                  ; If the character is null, return false (no error).
                  move.b  (a0)+,d0
                  beq     \false

                  ; Compare the character to the '0' character.
                  ; If it is lower, return true (it is not a digit).
                  cmpi.b #'\0',d0
                  blo    \true

                  ; Compare the character to the '9' character.
                  ; If it is lower or equal, branch to \loop (it is a digit).
                  ; If it is higher, return true (it is not a digit).
                  cmpi.b #'\9',d0
                  bls    \loop

\true            ; Return Z = 1 (error).
                  ; (The BRA instruction does not modify Z.)
                  ori.b  #%00000100,ccr
                  bra    \quit

\false           ; Return Z = 0 (no error).
                  andi.b #%11111011,ccr

\quit            ; Restore registers from the stack and return from subroutine.
                  ; (The MOVEM and RTS instructions do not modify Z.)
                  movem.l (a7)+,d0/a0
                  rts

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**Step 3**

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IsMaxError      ; Save registers on the stack.
                movem.l d0/a0,-(a7)

                ; Get the length of the string (in D0).
                jsr      StrLen

                ; If the length is longer than 5 characters, return true (error).
                ; If the length is shorter than 5 characters, return false (no error).
                cmpi.l #5,d0
                bhi    \true
                blo    \false

                ; If the length is equal to 5 characters:
                ; Successive comparisons with '3', '2', '7', '6' and '7'.
                ; If longer, return true (error).
                ; If shorter, return false (no error).
                ; If equal, compare to the next character.
                cmpi.b #'3',(a0) +
                bhi    \true
                blo    \false

                cmpi.b #'2',(a0) +
                bhi    \true
                blo    \false

                cmpi.b #'7',(a0) +
                bhi    \true
                blo    \false

                cmpi.b #'6',(a0) +
                bhi    \true
                blo    \false

                cmpi.b #'7',(a0)
                bhi    \true

\false          ; Return Z = 0 (no error).
                ; (The BRA instruction does not modify Z.)
                andi.b #%11111011,ccr
                bra    \quit

\true           ; Return Z = 1 (error).
                ori.b  #%00000100,ccr

\quit           ; Restore registers from the stack and return from subroutine.
                ; (The MOVEM and RTS instructions do not modify Z.)
                movem.l (a7)+,d0/a0
                rts

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