

FUNCTION #22

The changes to your copy of Text Editor 21 listed below include a new function not programmed for the original version. The DELETE key calls this new function which will delete any character at the cursor position without moving the cursor over one space to the right. (The SPACE BAR will also delete characters, but then the cursor moves over to the next position.)

This Delete function is particularly useful when you want to erase the last character of a line. Normally the cursor would do an automatic Carriage Return after entering a space, but by using the DELETE key, the cursor will stay where it is. Of course you may always change characters by simply positioning the cursor under the character to be changed, then typing the new character.

One problem that arose with the enabling of the DELETE key was that it is affected by the SHIFT key. For that reason, the DELETE key would only work while the keyboard was in the Upper and Lower Case mode. While holding the SHIFT key down, or while the keyboard is set for Upper Case only, the second half of the DELETE key, the underline, becomes active.

As underlining is not a function of Text Editor 21,