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MOTOROLA MC6845 CRTC SIMPLIFIES VIDEO DISPLAY CONTROLLERS

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The need for displaying visual information by the general business community has found widespread applications. Banks, airports, department stores, and other businesses need rapid display of visual information at points of sale and points of use. Much of this information is generated by people who have only a limited knowledge of the electronics involved. Therefore, they must rely on the equipment used to automatically receive data, digest it, and display it on a video

monitor. Systems could range in complexity from those which display only a few lines of data to complicated word processors. Historically, character printers gave way to line printers. However, obtaining hard copy is cumbersome and slow, and a considerable amount of paper is used. Much of this information is used only momentarily and then discarded, such as inventory checks or airport flight schedules. The efficiency of low cost, high performance video monitors have

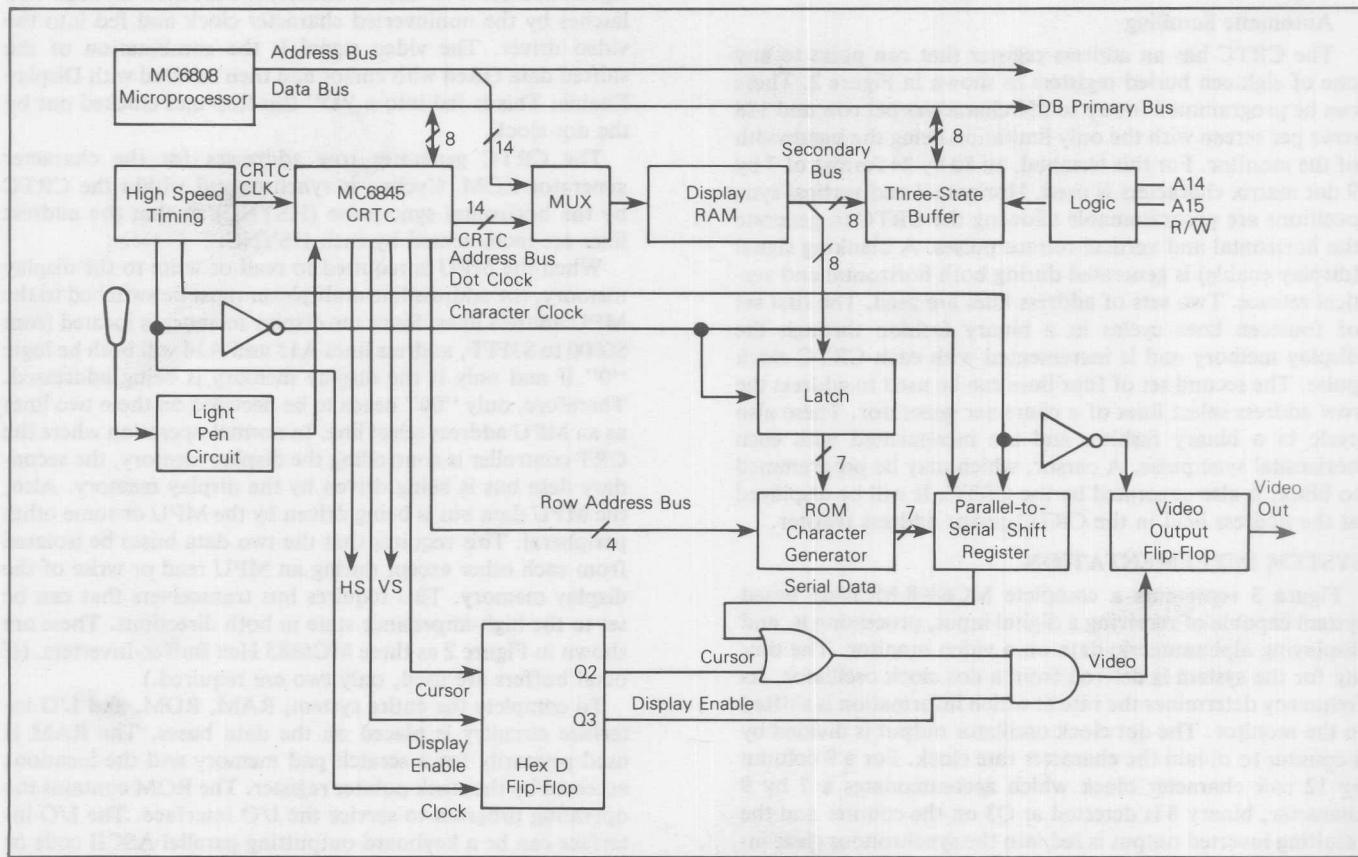


FIGURE 1 — CRT Controller Application

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made the transition from hard copy to visual display even more advantageous. As video monitors have come into general use, the requirement for cost savings in the controller has intensified. LSI circuits have been appearing which meet that need.

The Motorola MC6845 CRT controller (CRTC) can economically solve many of the problems encountered with video monitor displays. This is accomplished by using an innovative design aimed at complete control of the monitor with intervention by the MPU only when new information is put into the display memory. The problems to be solved by the MC6845 in a raster scan video display controller are: cost, number of required components, amount of intervention by MPU, timing and synchronization of signals, and software, among others.

Today, CRT controllers can be built using an MC6845 which require approximately 25 ICs plus the extra chips required for memory. This number represents only a fraction of the parts required just a few years ago when SSI and MSI logic devices were used. CRT controllers were built using SSI and MSI logic devices which required well over one hundred ICs. With the MC6845 approach, the number of ICs can be reduced to approximately 25 plus those required for memory.

To illustrate the capabilities of an MC6845 based terminal, the software and "rough" hardware considerations used in its design are discussed. The terminal, as shown in Figure 1, has the following features:

Blinking Cursor	Move Cursor Up One Line
Carriage Return	Paging
Backspace	Home Cursor
Line Feed	Clear Screen
Automatic Scrolling	

The CRTC has an address register that can point to any one of eighteen buried registers as shown in Figure 2. These can be programmed for up to 256 characters per row and 128 rows per screen with the only limitation being the bandwidth of the monitor. For this terminal, an 80 by 24 format of 7 by 9 dot matrix characters is used. Horizontal and vertical sync positions are programmable allowing the CRTC to generate the horizontal and vertical retrace pulses. A blanking signal (display enable) is generated during both horizontal and vertical retrace. Two sets of address lines are used. The first set of fourteen lines cycles in a binary fashion through the display memory and is incremented with each CRTC clock pulse. The second set of four lines can be used to address the row address select lines of a character generator. These also cycle in a binary fashion and are incremented with each horizontal sync pulse. A cursor, which may be programmed to blink, is also generated by the CRTC. It will be displayed at the address held in the CRTC cursor address register.

SYSTEM IMPLEMENTATION

Figure 3 represents a complete MC6808-MC6845 based system capable of receiving a digital input, processing it, and displaying alphanumeric data on a video monitor. The timing for the system is derived from a dot clock oscillator. Its frequency determines the rate at which information is shifted to the monitor. The dot clock oscillator output is divided by a counter to obtain the character rate clock. For a 9 column by 12 row character block which accommodates a 7 by 9 character, binary 8 is detected at Q3 on the counter and the resulting inverted output is fed into the synchronous clear input of the counter. For a 7 by 9 block, a logic gate could detect binary 6 on Q0, Q1, and Q2. It is important to use a counter with a synchronous clear so the clear pulse will be one dot clock period wide. The character clock (generated by

the rising edge of Q3) serves as a shift/load signal for the output shift register and a clock to latch data from the display memory. The CRTC clock (generated by the trailing edge of Q2) is used to clock the MC6845 CRTC. Each character rate clock increments the address lines (MA0-MA13) of the MC6845. The display memory must be capable of being controlled by either the MPU or the CRTC. Therefore, the address lines for both devices (A0-A13 and MA0-MA13) are routed through multiplexers such as the SN74LS157. The MPU takes control of the display memory only when a new character is to be written. The output of the multiplexer addresses the memory.

As shown in Figure 3, the 8K × 8 static display memory requires 10 address lines for the address bus of the memory elements and 3 address lines for the 3-to-8 line decoder which drives the chip selects of the memory elements. The output of the display memory is fed into an 8-bit latch (74LS374) and is clocked into the latch on the next character clock. This latch helps to prevent address line jitter which could present spurious data to the character generator ROM. The character clock is used to latch data into the SN74LS374. This creates a one character clock delay from the time that an address becomes valid to the memory until data is presented to the character generator ROM. The character clock is also used to load the parallel word from the character generator ROM into the shift register, producing a second character clock delay. Once the shift register is loaded the dot clock is used to serially shift data from the shift register to the video driver.

In order to synchronize both the display enable and cursor output with the shift register output, a two CRTC clock delay must be imposed. Both signals are synchronous with the CRTC address lines. To implement this delay, the two signals (cursor and display enable) are clocked through two latches by the noninverted character clock and fed into the video driver. The video signal is the combination of the shifted data ORed with cursor and then ANDed with Display Enable. This is fed into a "D" flip-flop and clocked out by the dot clock.

The CRTC generates row addresses for the character generator ROM. Cycling is synchronized within the CRTC by the horizontal sync pulse (HSYNC) so that the address lines are incremented by each HSYNC.

When the MPU is required to read or write to the display memory, the address line multiplexer must be switched to the MPU address lines. Since the display memory is located from \$0000 to \$3FFF, address lines A15 and A14 will both be logic "0" if and only if the display memory is being addressed. Therefore, only "00" needs to be decoded on these two lines as an MPU address select line. In normal operation where the CRT controller is controlling the display memory, the secondary data bus is being driven by the display memory. Also, the MPU data bus is being driven by the MPU or some other peripheral. This requires that the two data buses be isolated from each other except during an MPU read or write of the display memory. This requires bus transceivers that can be set to the high-impedance state in both directions. These are shown in Figure 2 as three MC6885 Hex Buffer-Inverters. (If octal buffers are used, only two are required.)

To complete the entire system, RAM, ROM, and I/O interface circuitry is placed on the data buses. The RAM is used primarily for a scratch pad memory and the locations accessed by the stack pointer register. The ROM contains the operating program to service the I/O interface. The I/O interface can be a keyboard outputting parallel ASCII code or row/column information. As long as some method can be programmed to receive digital data and transfer it onto the data bus, the CRT controller, using an MC6845, can display that information on a video display.

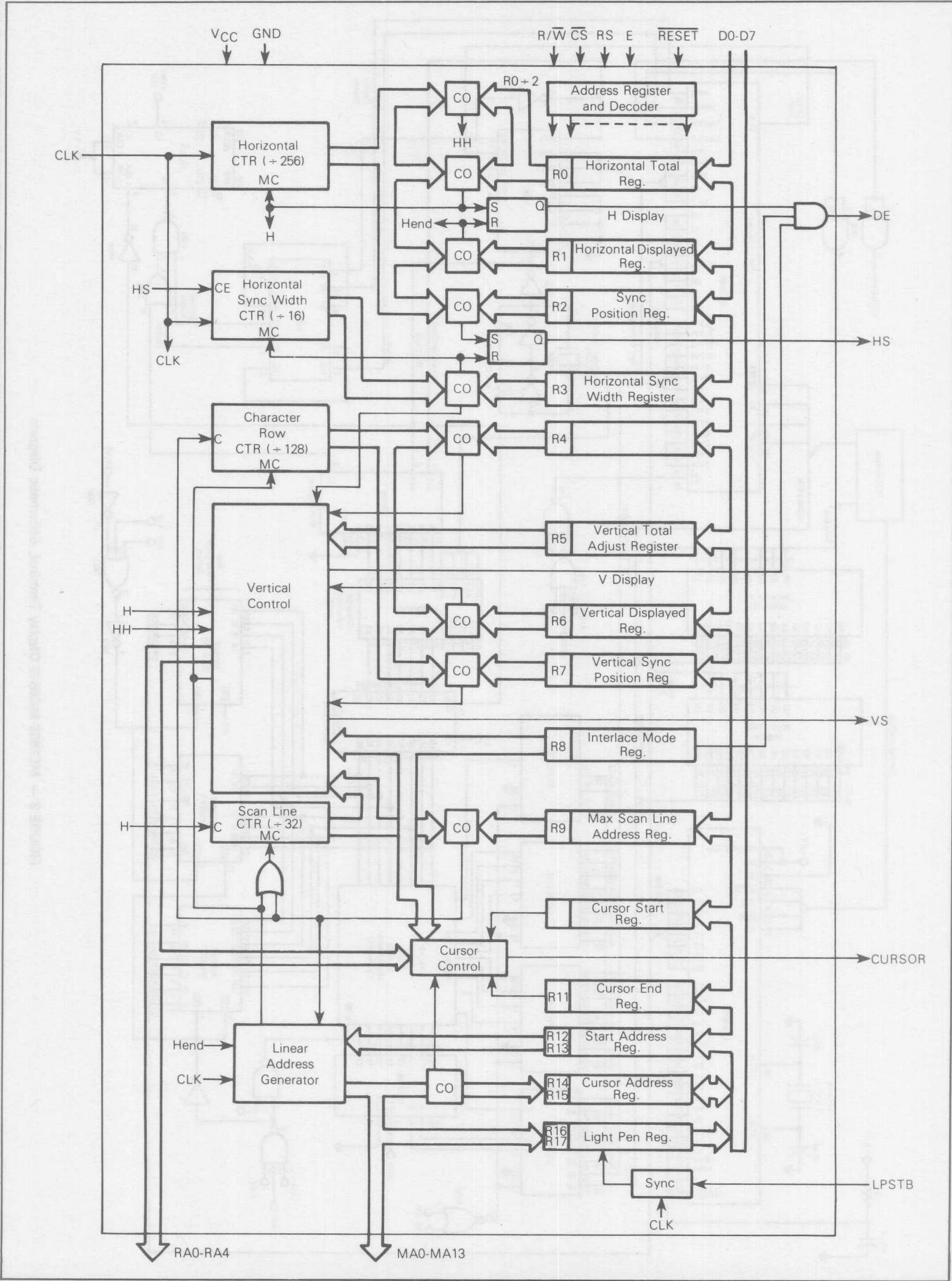


FIGURE 2 — MC6845 CRT Controller Block Diagram

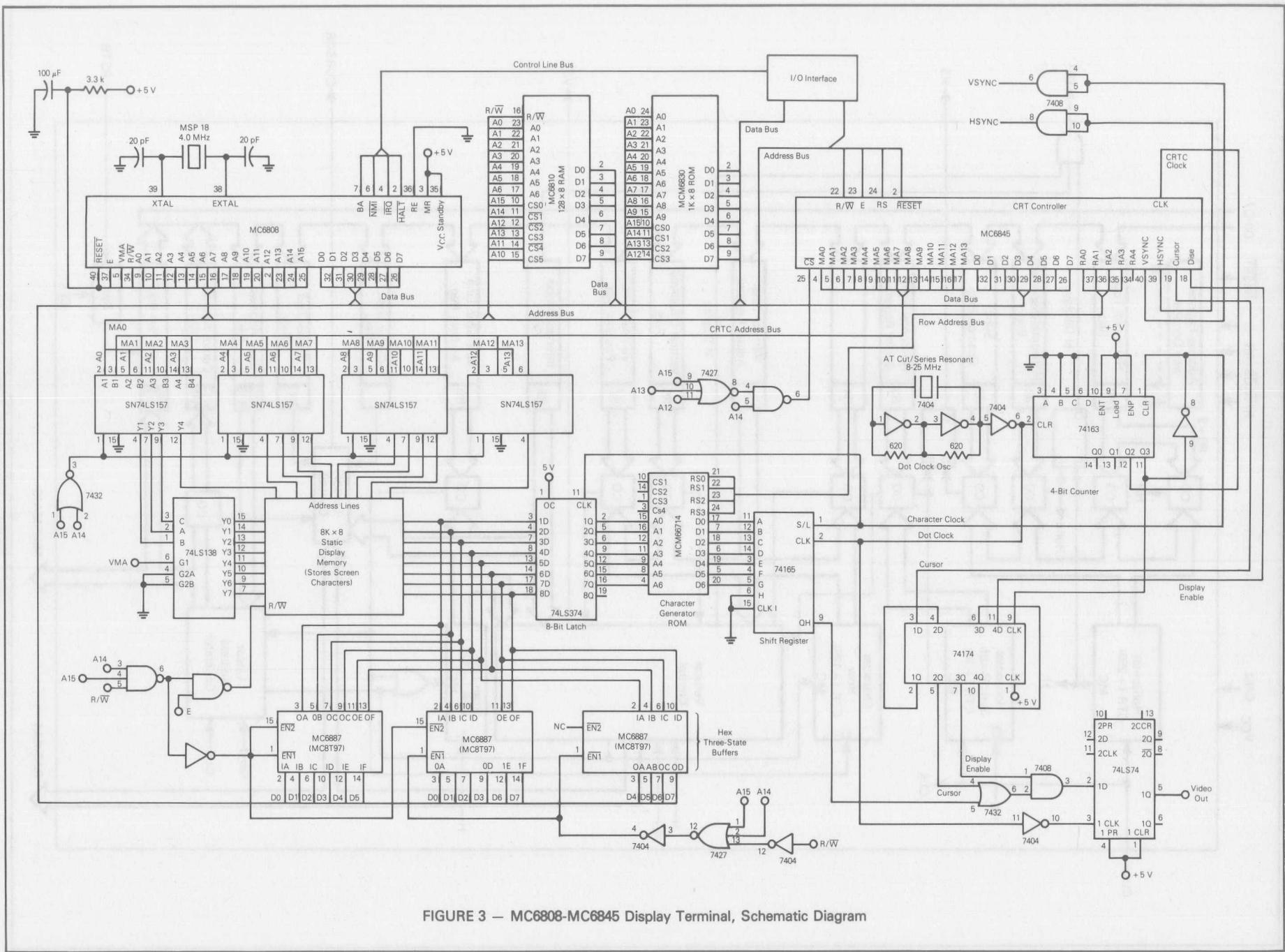


FIGURE 3 — MC6808-MC6845 Display Terminal, Schematic Diagram

DEVICE IMPLEMENTATION

The MC6845 CRTC has 18 programmable registers (R0-R17 in Figure 2) that control: the horizontal and vertical sync, number of characters per row, number of scan lines per row, number of rows per screen, the portion of memory to be displayed, cursor format and position, and the choice of one of three interlace modes.

The first four registers, R0 through R3, are concerned with the horizontal format. These registers determine the number of characters to be displayed, their width, and horizontal position. Programming considerations are based on the period of the monitor, i.e., the sweep plus retrace time. Also, the horizontal sync pulse should occur slightly after the beam is driven past the right-hand side of the screen. It is important to note that the beam is overdriven on the left side of the screen as well as the right. This means that a certain time elapses between the horizontal sync pulse and when the beam sweeps onto the screen from the left and is at the position for it to start displaying data.

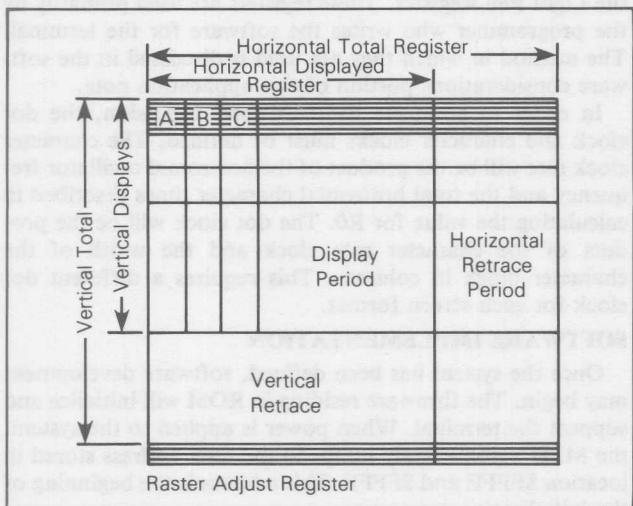


FIGURE 4 — Monitor Period Divided Into Character Times

The period of the monitor should be divided into character times (see Figure 4). This will define the width of a character block and this value will be stored in the Horizontal Total Register (R0). A video monitor will require about 20% of the period to be reserved for retrace (see Figure 5), as opposed to about 35% for a TV. This means that the Horizontal Displayed Register (R1), which contains the number of characters to be displayed per row, will not usually exceed about 80% of the value in R0. If R0 contains a very small number, each character will be very wide. Likewise, if R0 contains a large number, the characters will be very narrow. The Horizontal Sync Position Register (R2) is programmed in character times and should be positioned such that it will occur slightly after the beam is driven past the right margin of the screen. The Horizontal Sync Width Register (R3), programmed in character times, should provide sufficient width to allow the discharge of the circuitry driving the horizontal sweep. It should be noted that the value in R0 usually exceeds the sum of the values in R2 and R3. This is to allow for the time required for the beam to sweep onto the screen from the left margin since it could be overdriven to the left.

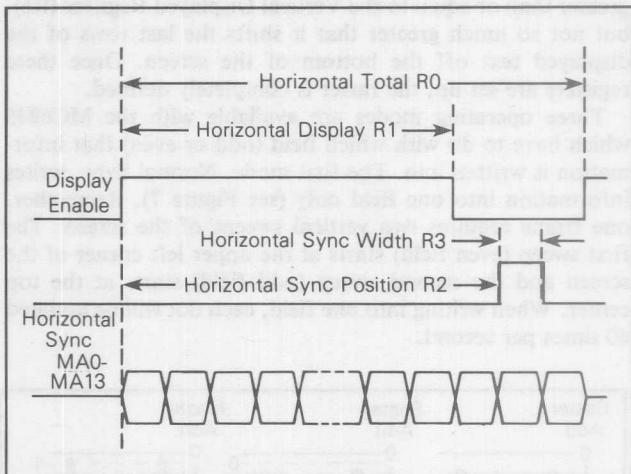


FIGURE 5 — Horizontal Timing

Four registers, R4-R7, are used to set up the vertical format (see Figure 6). The frequency of the horizontal oscillator and the vertical refresh rate must be known. Generally, the vertical refresh rate is 60 Hz. The horizontal frequency, usually 15,750 Hz, divided by the frame refresh rate is equal to the total number of scan lines per frame. The vertical sync pulse requires 16 scan lines. This means that the programmer cannot use the total number of scan lines for information display. A character block which contains the character to be displayed, plus spacing columns to the right and additional scan lines on the bottom, is chosen by the programmer. Typically, a character generator ROM with a 7×9 matrix element will be placed in a 9×12 character block. The Vertical Total Register (R4) contains the number of character rows per screen which is equal to the total number of scan lines divided by the height of the character block. This height is programmed in scan lines and placed in the Max Scan Line Address Register (R9). The number of scan lines left over is written into the Vertical Adjust Register (R5). All scan lines must be accounted for so the CRT controller will exactly match the vertical refresh rate; otherwise, the display will "swim" or have a wavy motion. The Vertical Displayed Register (R6) contains the number of character rows that the programmer wishes to be displayed. The Vertical Sync Position Register (R7) contains the position of the vertical sync pulse. This number, programmed in character times, must be

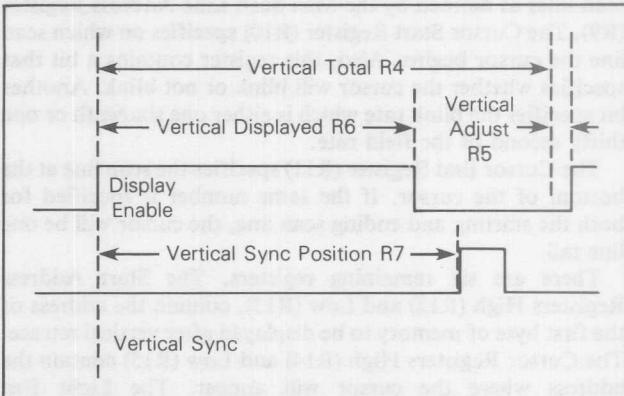


FIGURE 6 — Vertical Timing

greater than or equal to the Vertical Displayed Register (R6), but not so much greater that it shifts the last rows of the displayed text off the bottom of the screen. Once these registers are set up, the raster is completely defined.

Three operating modes are available with the MC6845 which have to do with which field (odd or even) that information is written into. The first mode, Normal Sync, writes information into one field only (see Figure 7). Remember, one frame requires two vertical sweeps of the screen. The first sweep (even field) starts at the upper left corner of the screen and the second sweep (odd field) starts at the top center. When writing into one field, each dot will be updated 60 times per second.

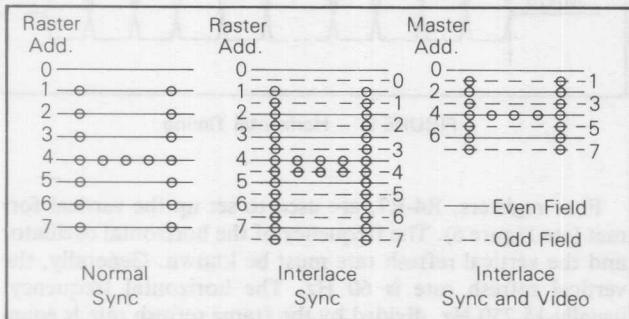


FIGURE 7 – Interlace Mode (R8)

The second mode, Interlace Sync, writes in both fields. The odd field is an exact duplicate of the even field. Essentially, the same information is written twice. This has the advantage of making the letters appear to have solid vertical lines thus improving resolution. However, each dot is now refreshed only 30 times per second which may cause an objectionable flicker on the screen. This flicker cannot be perceived by all people due to variances in eye sight. Also, the persistence of the phosphor will moderate the effect of the flicker.

The third mode, Interlace Sync and Video, also writes in both fields. However, one half the character is written in each field. This means an eight row character block in this mode will have four scan lines in the even field and four in the odd field making a character only half the height of the other two modes. This allows the highest screen density for the MC6845. These modes are programmed in the Interlace Mode Register (R8).

The MC6845 also controls the cursor format and blink rate (see Figure 8). Each character row has a certain number of scan lines as defined by the Max Scan Line Address Register (R9). The Cursor Start Register (R10) specifies on which scan line the cursor begins. Also, this register contains a bit that specifies whether the cursor will blink or not blink. Another bit specifies the blink rate which is either one sixteenth or one thirty second of the field rate.

The Cursor End Register (R11) specifies the scan line at the bottom of the cursor. If the same number is specified for both the starting and ending scan line, the cursor will be one line tall.

There are six remaining registers. The Start Address Registers High (R12) and Low (R13), contain the address of the first byte of memory to be displayed after vertical retrace. The Cursor Registers High (R14) and Low (R15) contain the address where the cursor will appear. The Light Pen Registers High (R16) and Low (R17) will receive the current address appearing on the CRT control address lines following the recognition of the low-to-high transition of the light pen strobe (LPSTB) input. Once the LPSTB low-to-high

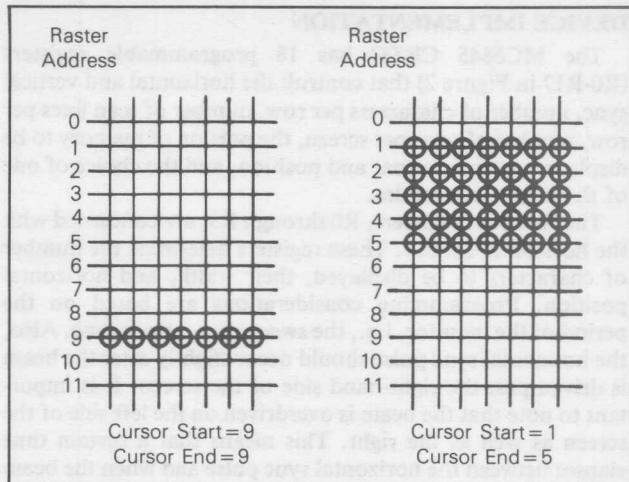


FIGURE 8 – Cursor Start and End Register

transition is recognized, the next low-to-high CRTC clock transition latches the address information and loads it into the Light Pen Register. These registers are used primarily by the programmer who writes the software for the terminal. The method in which they are used is discussed in the software considerations portion of this application note.

In order to complete the hardware discussion, the dot clock and character clocks must be defined. The character clock rate will be the product of the horizontal oscillator frequency and the total horizontal character times described in calculating the value for R0. The dot clock will be the product of the character rate clock and the width of the character block in columns. This requires a different dot clock for each screen format.

SOFTWARE IMPLEMENTATION

Once the system has been defined, software development may begin. The firmware residing in ROM will initialize and support the terminal. When power is applied to the system, the MPU automatically jumps to the reset address stored in location \$FFFE and \$FFFF. This address is the beginning of the initialization sequence.

After a power-on-reset, the display memory is initialized (to avoid a flash of false data), the eighteen buried registers of the CRT controller are initialized, and characters are accepted from the keyboard. Some control characters will be decoded to implement the following features:

Carriage Return	Move Cursor Up One Line
Backspace	Paging
Line Feed	Home Cursor
	Clear Screen

Scrolling up or down will be done automatically as required.

The software was developed using the concepts of structured programming. The first two routines which were written support the hardware development and debugging. The first routine is named CHARGN and its flowchart is shown in Figure 9. This routine initializes the display memory with successive ASCII character codes which help identify addressing problems. The second routine is named CRTINT and initializes the CRT controller (see flowchart in Figure 10). The register values to implement an 80 by 24 display are read from the ROM and stored into the buried registers of the CRT controller. Again, it is important to initialize the display memory prior to initializing the MC6845, to avoid a flash of false data. After the system has been initialized by running this program (as listed in Figure 11), waveforms, timing, and data may be checked, thus speeding the design phase.

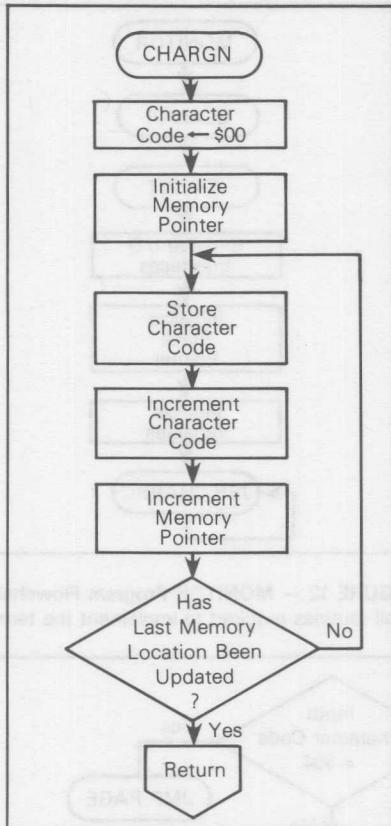


FIGURE 9 — CHARGN Subroutine Flowchart
Loads ASCII character codes into display memory.

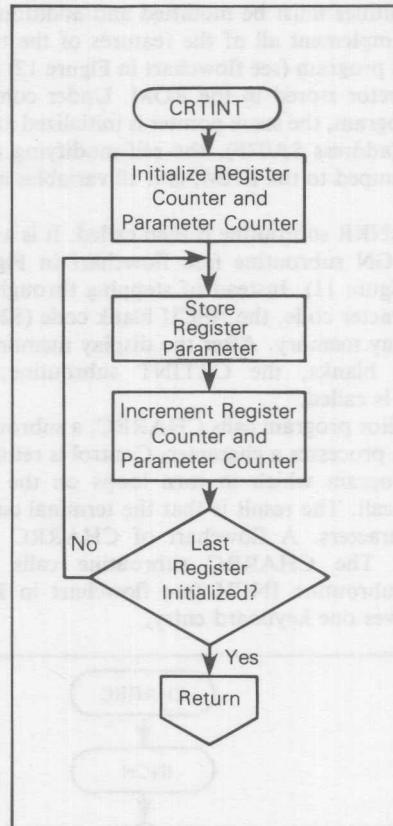


FIGURE 10 — CRTINT Subroutine Flowchart
Initializes the CRTC registers with the previously calculated values stored in the ROM.

PAGE	001	BOOT	.SA:1		
00001	4000	A	CRTCAD	EQU	\$4000
00002	4001	A	CRTCRG	EQU	\$4001
00003A	E3FE			ORG	\$E3FE
00004A	E3FE	E0	A	FCB	\$E0,0
00005A	E000			ORG	\$E000
00006A	E000	4F		CHARGN	CLRA
00007A	E001	CE	0000	A	LDX
00008A	E004	A7	00	A	STAA
00009A	E006	4C			INCA
00010A	E007	08			INX
00011A	E008	8C	1000	A	CPX
00012A	E00B	26	F7	E004	BNE
00013A	E00D	5F		CRTINT	CLR B
00014A	E00E	CE	E022	A	LDX
00015A	E011	F7	4000	A	CRTIN1
00016A	E014	A6	00	A	STAB
00017A	E016	B7	4001	A	LDA A
00018A	E019	08			STAA
00019A	E01A	5C			INX
00020A	E01B	C1	10	A	INC B
00021A	E01D	26	F2	E011	CMPB
00022A	E01F	01		LOOPER	BNE
00023A	E020	20	FD	E01F	NOP
00024A	E022	30			BRA
00025A	E028	12			LOOPER
00026					\$30,\$26,\$2B,\$02,\$14,\$01
					\$12,\$13,\$00,\$0B,\$40,\$08,\$00,\$00,\$00
TOTAL ERRORS	00000	--00000			END

FIGURE 11 — CRT DEM Listing

This program, resident in PROM, will initialize the display memory with successive ASCII characters. This will allow initial checkout of the hardware.

These routines must be modified and additional routines written to implement all of the features of the terminal. A MONITOR program (see flowchart in Figure 12) is called by the reset vector stored in the ROM. Under control of the monitor program, the stack pointer is initialized at the end of the RAM (address \$A07F), the self-modifying sections of code are dumped to the RAM, and all variables are initialized.

The BLANKR subroutine is then called. It is a revision of the CHARGN subroutine (see flowchart in Figure 9 and listing in Figure 11). Instead of stepping through the entire ASCII character code, the ASCII blank code (\$20) is stored in the display memory. After the display memory has been filled with blanks, the CRTINT subroutine, discussed previously, is called.

The monitor program calls CHARRC, a subroutine which accepts and processes a character. Control is returned to the monitor program which in turn loops on the CHARRC subroutine call. The result is that the terminal continuously accepts characters. A flowchart of CHARRC appears in Figure 13. The CHARRC subroutine calls the input character subroutine INCH (see flowchart in Figure 14), which receives one keyboard entry.

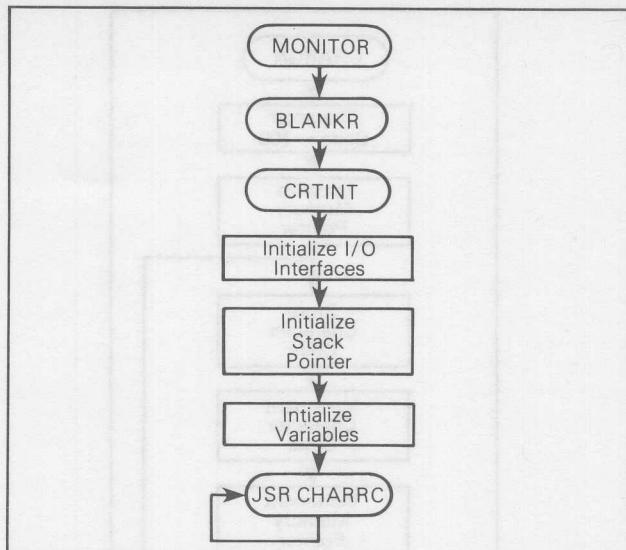


FIGURE 12 — MONITOR Program Flowchart
Calls all routines required to implement the terminal.

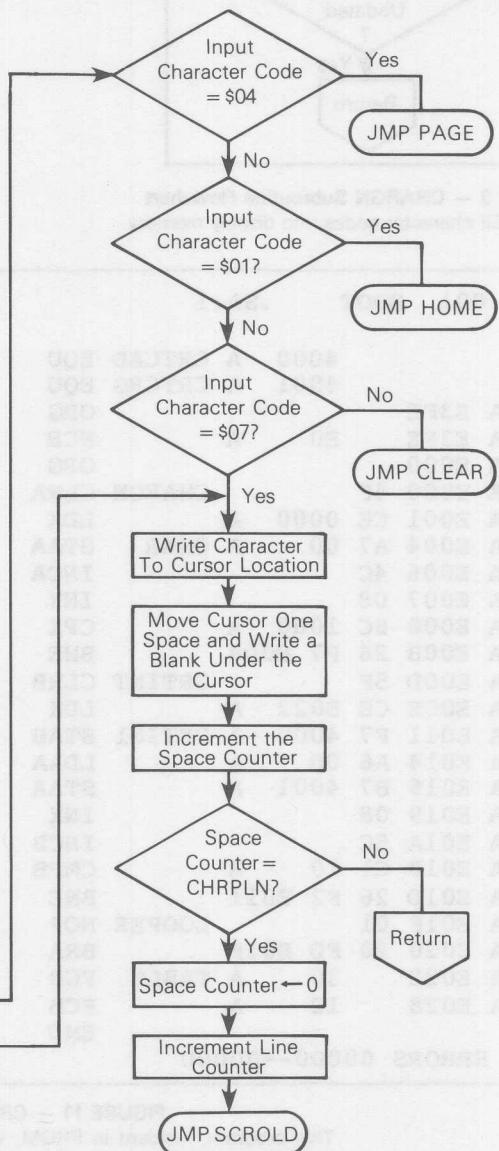
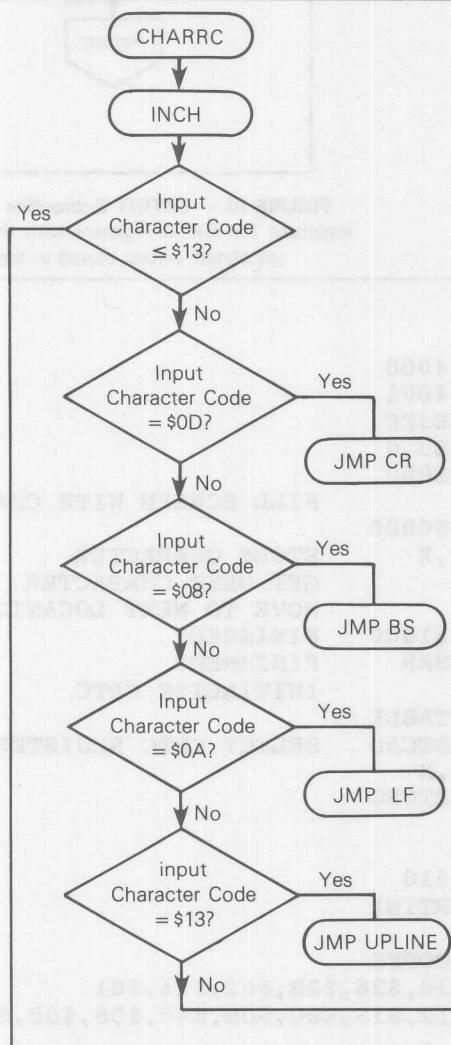


FIGURE 13 — CHARRC Subroutine
Accepts characters from keyboard, moves cursor, and decodes all special characters.

The special functions are implemented using control characters which are not normally utilized by CRT terminals. Table 1 lists the feature and its control character and indicates which routine processes the command. Each time one of the special characters is received, a jump to the appropriate routine occurs. All characters received from the keyboard, except for the special control characters, are written to the current cursor location, the cursor is moved one space, and a blank is written under the cursor.

To facilitate carriage returns, a space counter (SPACES) is used. It keeps track of the cursor displacement from the beginning of the current line. The counter (SPACES) is used whenever a carriage return key is pressed. The cursor is moved back to the beginning of the line by subtracting the number of spaces from the Cursor Registers (R14 and R15). A line feed is then generated by adding the number of characters per line to the Cursor Register.

The CRT controller treats the screen memory as a linear array such that the last space of a line and the first space of the next line are located at adjacent memory locations. When the cursor is at the end of a line and another character is input, the cursor moves to the first of the next line. The space counter (SPACES) must be reset.

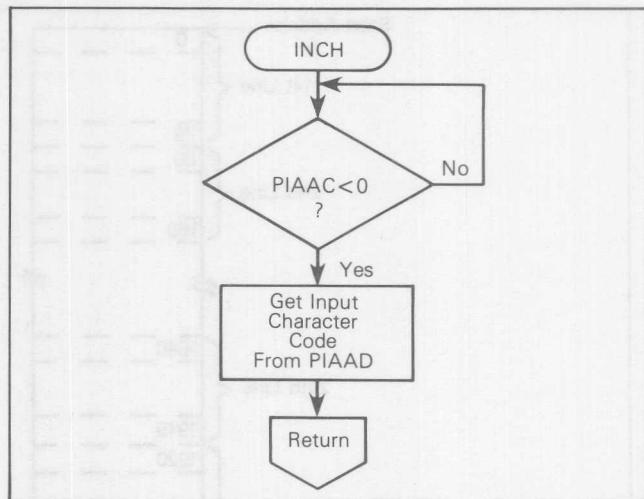


FIGURE 14 – INCH Subroutine Flowchart
Polls PIA A Control Register until IRQA1 is set, then the data is retrieved from the PIA A Data Register.

TABLE 1 – Subroutine Implementation of Terminal Features

Feature	Keyboard Entry	Subroutine Name	Flowcharted in Figure	Result
Scroll Up	None	SCROLU	15b	Called whenever a line feed is generated. Will add a line to bottom of screen when necessary.
Carriage Return	CR Key	CR	16	Generates carriage return, calls LF.
Line Feed	LF Key	LF	17	Generates line feed, calls SCROLU.
Back Space	© H	BS	18	Generates back space and blanks under cursor, calls SCROLD when cursor moves back to previous line.
Move Cursor Up One Line	© \$	UPLINE	19	Moves cursor up one line, calls SCROLD.
Move to Next Page	© D	PAGE	20	Moves to same place on next page.
Home Cursor	© A	HOME	21	Moves cursor.
Clear Screen	© G	CLEAR	22	Clears page starting at cursor.
Scroll Down	None	SCROLD	23	Called whenever cursor moves back one line. Adds a new line to top of screen when necessary.

FIGURE 15 – SUBROUTINE L1000 – GET BRIGHT
This subroutine reads data from the PIA A Data Register and stores it in the variable BRIGHT. It then adds the value of BRIGHT to the current value of BRIGHT and stores it in the variable BRIGHT.

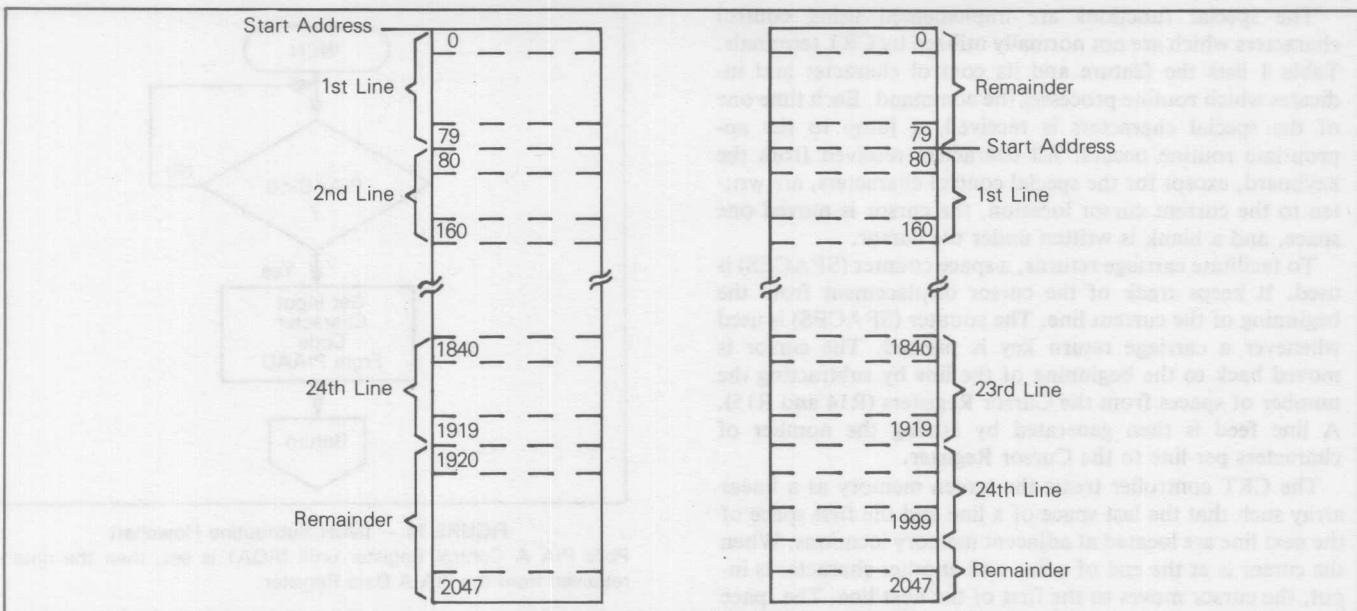


FIGURE 15a — Scrolling

Performed by changing the Start Address in R12 and R13 in the CRTC. This example shows how an 80 x 24 display is scrolled up one line.

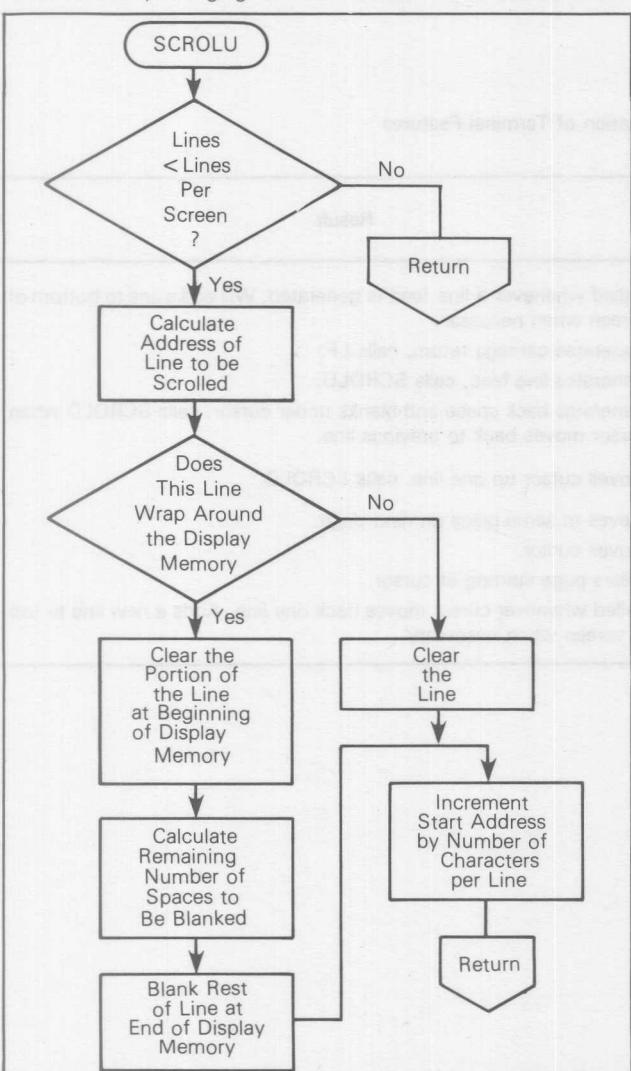


FIGURE 15b — SCROLU Subroutine Flowchart

The 14-bit cursor address is checked to see if cursor has moved off the screen. If so, the 14-bit start address is incremented to add a new line (with the cursor) at the bottom.

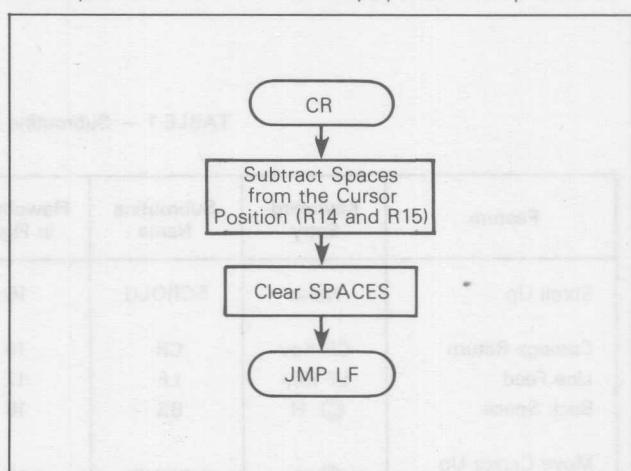


FIGURE 16 — CR Subroutine Flowchart

Generates a cursor return by subtracting SPACES (the space counter) from the current cursor position in R14 and R15 of the CRT. Jumps to LF to generate a line feed.

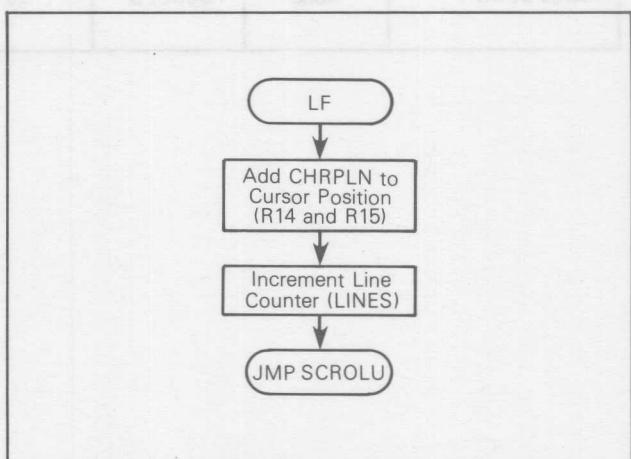


FIGURE 17 — LF Subroutine Flowchart

Generates a line feed by adding the number of characters per line to the current cursor position stored in R14 and R15 of the CRTC. Jumps to SCROLU to see if a new line should be scrolled on the page.

Whenever SPACES is reset, the scroll up routine (SCROLU) is called to determine if the cursor is still on the CRT screen. If the cursor has moved off the bottom of the CRT screen, then the Start Address Registers (R12 and R13) are adjusted to scroll a new line in at the bottom of the screen. The SCROLU routine is illustrated in Figure 15a and flowcharted in Figure 15b.

Flowcharts, describing implementations of the special features listed in Table 1, are presented in Figures 15-23. Notes at the bottom of each figure explain the algorithms employed.

When the routine to generate a line feed LF (flowcharted in Figure 17) is called, the cursor is moved down one line. Because this may move the cursor off the screen, the

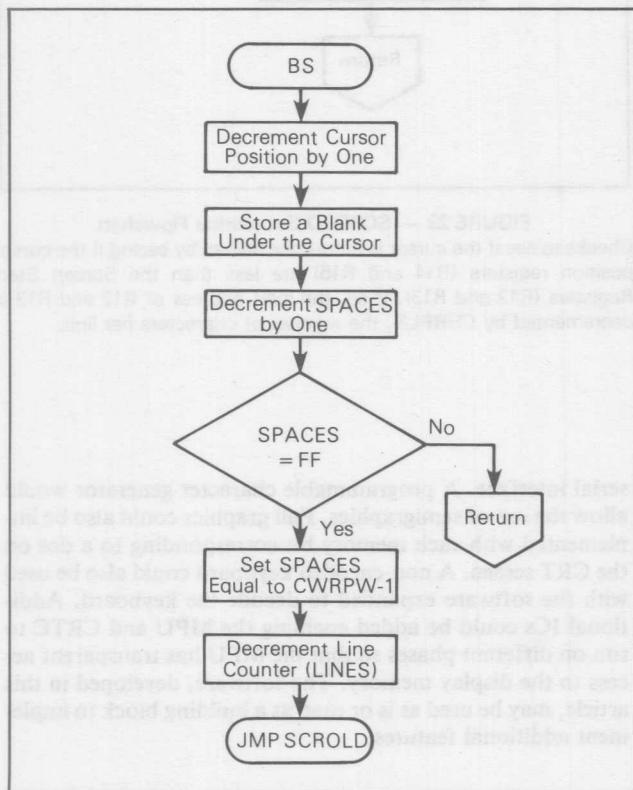


FIGURE 18 — BS Subroutine Flowchart

Backspaces and blanks under cursor. Jumps to SCROLD and checks if the cursor has moved off the top of the screen.

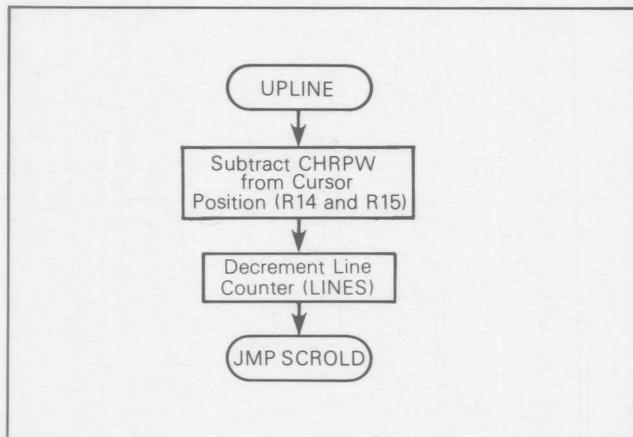


FIGURE 19 — UPLINE Subroutine Flowchart

Moves the cursor up one line by subtracting the number of characters per line from current cursor position stored in R14 and R15 of the CRTC. Jumps to SCROLD to check if the cursor has moved off the top of the screen.

SCROLU routine, to scroll up one line, is called. Similarly, whenever the backspace routine or the routine to move the cursor up one line (UPLINE, see flowchart in Figure 19) is called, the cursor may be moved back to the previous line. This may also move the cursor off the top of the screen requiring the routine which scrolls down one line (SCROLD, see flowchart in Figure 23) to be called. The scrolling, whether up or down, is implemented by modifying the starting address stored in CRTC Registers R12 and R13. Scrolling up is implemented by adding or subtracting the number of characters per line to the start address. Note that the CRTC Cursor Registers R14 and R15 are the only read/write registers. This requires the use of a variable to retain the current start address duplicated in R12 and R13 (write only).

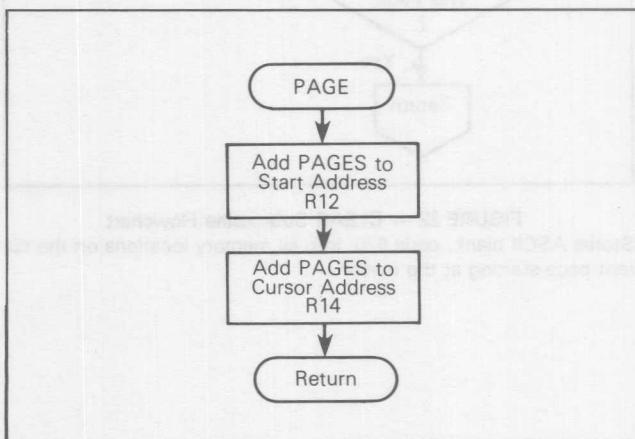


FIGURE 20 — PAGE Subroutine Flowchart

Moves to the same position on the next page by adding PAGES to the high order byte of the starting address (R12) and the high order byte of the cursor position (R14). PAGES multiplied by \$100 equals the number of characters per page.

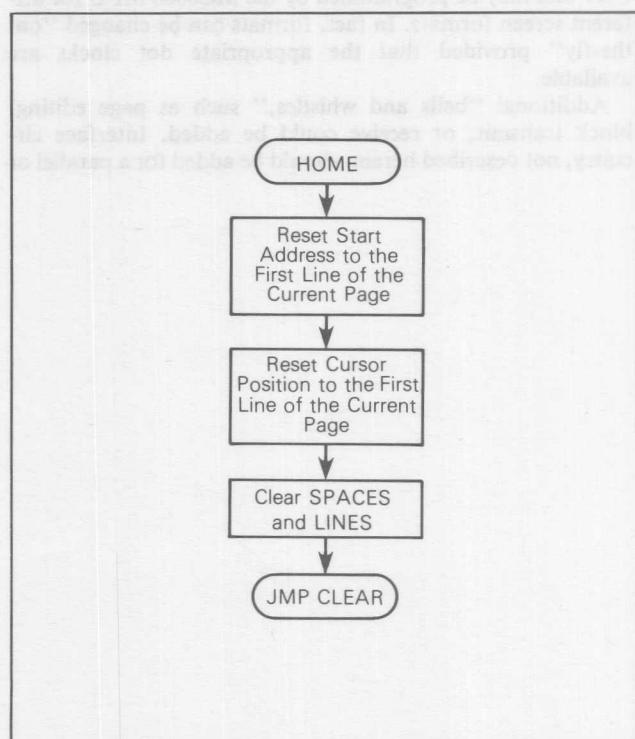


FIGURE 21 — HOME Subroutine Flowchart

Reset start address and cursor position to the beginning of the current page, then clear SPACES and jump to CLEAR to put blanks in each display memory element of the current page.

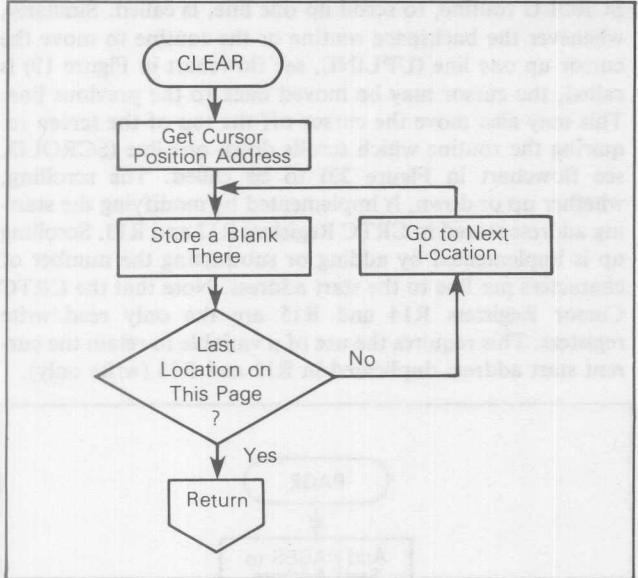


FIGURE 22 — CLEAR Subroutine Flowchart

Stores ASCII blank, code \$20, into all memory locations on the current page starting at the cursor.

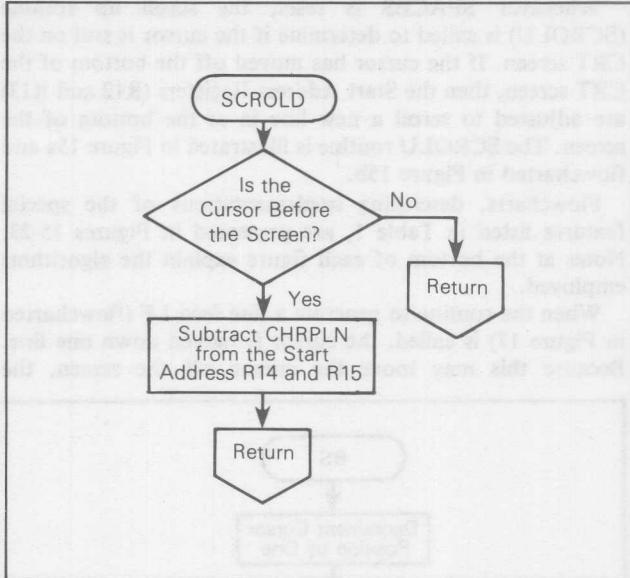


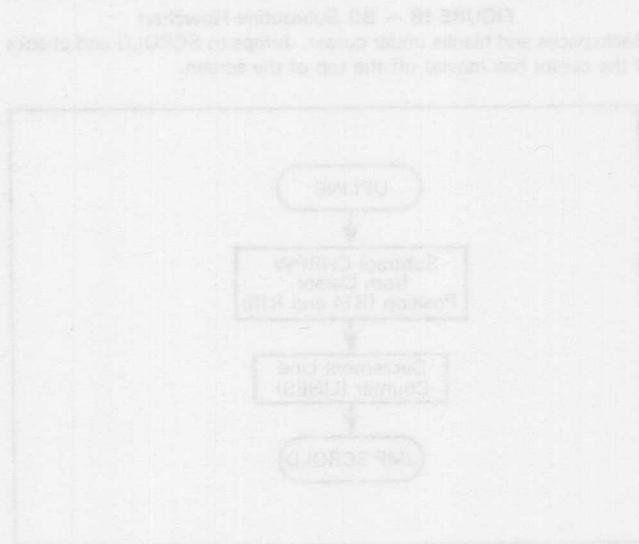
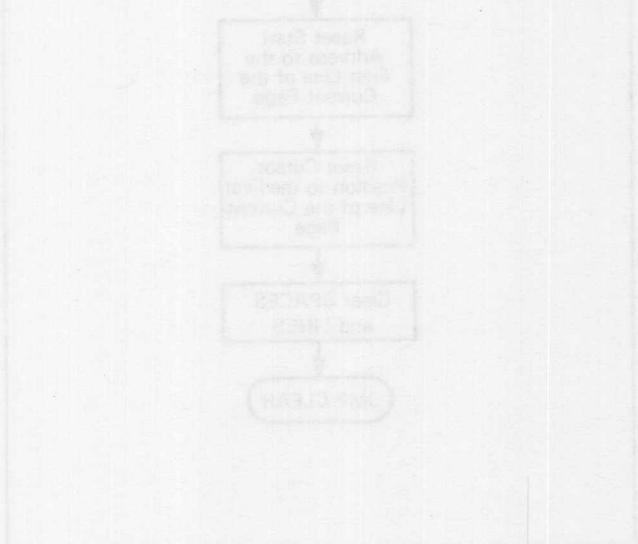
FIGURE 23 — SCROL'D Subroutine Flowchart

Checks to see if the cursor is before the screen by seeing if the cursor position registers (R14 and R15) are less than the Screen Start Registers (R12 and R13). If so, the start address of R12 and R13 is decremented by CHRPLN, the number of characters per line.

A complete listing of the software appears in Figure 24 and will implement all the described features. A semi-structured approach is utilized to simplify changes or additions. The MC6845 CRTC supplies the video and sync pulses to the CRT and may be programmed by the MC6808 MPU for different screen formats. In fact, formats can be changed "on-the-fly" provided that the appropriate dot clocks are available.

Additional "bells and whistles," such as page editing, block transmit, or receive could be added. Interface circuitry, not described herein, should be added for a parallel or

serial interface. A programmable character generator would allow the use of semographics. Full graphics could also be implemented with each memory bit corresponding to a dot on the CRT screen. A non-encoded keyboard could also be used with the software expanded to decode the keyboard. Additional ICs could be added enabling the MPU and CRTC to run on different phases so that the MPU has transparent access to the display memory. The software, developed in this article, may be used as is or used as a building block to implement additional features.



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		NAM	CRTC	
00001		*	HARDWARE CONFIGURATION	
00002		*	ACIA	\$FCF4
00003		*	ROM	\$E000
00004		*	RAM	\$A000
00005		*	CRTC	\$4000
00006		*	SCREEN MEMORY	\$0000
00007		*		
00008		*		
00009		*		
00010		*		
00011		*	SET UP PERIPHERAL ADDRESSES	
00012	FCF4	A	ACIACS EQU	\$FCF4 ACIA CONTROL/STATUS REG
00013	FCF5	A	ACIADA EQU	ACIACS+1 ACIA DATA REGISTER
00014	3000	A	CRTCAD EQU	\$3000 CRTC ADDRESS REGISTER
00015	3001	A	CRTCRG EQU	CRTCAD+1 CRTC DATA REGISTER
00016		*		
00017		*	SET CONSTANTS	
00018	4000	A	SCRNST EQU	\$4000 SCREEN STARTING ADDRESS
00019	47D0	A	SCRNND EQU	SCRNST+2000 SCREEN END ADDRESS
00020	0040	A	MOVE EQU	\$40 SCREEN OFFSET
00021	0004	A	PAGESZ EQU	\$04 CHARACTERS PER PAGE
00022	00FC	A	PGMASK EQU	\$FC MASK TO GET CURRENT PAGE
00023	0002	A	SCRNH EQU	\$02 CHARACTERS ON SCREEN
00024	00AB	A	SCRNL EQU	\$AB
00025		*		
00026		*	DEFINE VARIABLE LACATIONS	
00027		*		
00028	A000	A	RAM EQU	\$A000 RAM STARTING ADDRESS
00029	A001	A	CHARH EQU	RAM+1
00030	A002	A	CHARL EQU	RAM+2 CHARACTER POINTER L
00031	A006	A	BLANKH EQU	RAM+6
00032	A007	A	BLANKL EQU	RAM+7 BLANK POINTER L
00033	A006	A	BSPOSH EQU	BLANKH BACK SPACE POSITION H
00034	A007	A	BSPOS L EQU	BLANKL BACK SPACE POSITION L
00035	A00A	A	INDEX EQU	RAM+10 HOME UP POINTER
00036	A00E	A	COMPR EQU	RAM+14 HOME END POINTER
00037	A011	A	SPACES EQU	RAM+17 SPACE COUNTER
00038	A012	A	STAR TH EQU	RAM+18 DISPLAY START ADDRESS H
00039	A013	A	STARTL EQU	RAM+19 DISPLAY START ADDRESS L
00040	A014	A	ENDH EQU	RAM+20 END OF SCREEN
00041	A015	A	ENDL EQU	RAM+21 END OF SCREEN
00042	A016	A	CHARLN EQU	RAM+22 CHARACTERS PER LINE
00043A	E000		ORG	\$E000 STARTING ROM ADDRESS
00044		*		
00045		*	MONITOR PROGRAM	
00046		*	INITIALIZES THE STACK POINTER	
00047		*	INITIALIZES THE SELF-MODIFYING CODE	
00048		*	INITIALIZES THE DISPLAY MEMORY	
00049		*	INITIALIZES THE CRTC	
00050		*	ACCEPTS INPUT CHARACTERS	
00051		*		
00052A	E000 8E A07F	A	LDS #\$A07F	INITIALIZE STACK POINTER
00053		*		
00054		*	INITIALIZE THE SELF-MODIFYING CODE IN RAM	
00055		*		
00056A	E003 4F		CLRA	ZERO A ACCUMULATOR
00057A	E004 B7 A001	A	STAA CHARH	
00058A	E007 B7 A002	A	STAA CHARL	

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00059A	E00A	B7	A006	A	STAA	BLANKH	ZERO BLANKH/BSPOSH POINTER		
00060A	E00D	B7	A007	A	STAA	BLANKL	ZERO BLANKL/BSPOS L POINTER		
00061A	E010	B7	A00A	A	STAA	INDEX			
00062A	E013	B7	A00B	A	STAA	INDEX+1			
00063A	E016	B7	A00E	A	STAA	COMPR			
00064A	E019	B7	A00F	A	STAA	COMPR+1			
00065A	E01C	B7	A011	A	STAA	SPACES			
00066A	E01F	B7	A012	A	STAA	STARTH			
00067A	E022	B7	A013	A	STAA	STARTL			
00068A	E025	B7	A014	A	STAA	ENDH			
00069A	E028	B7	A015	A	STAA	ENDL			
00070A	E02B	86	B7	A	LDAA	#\$B7	STORE "STA A" OP CODE		
00071A	E02D	B7	A000	A	STAA	RAM			
00072A	E030	B7	A005	A	STAA	RAM+5			
00073A	E033	86	86	A	LDAA	#\$86	STORE "LDA A" OP CODE		
00074A	E035	B7	A003	A	STAA	RAM+3			
00075A	E038	86	20	A	LDAA	#\$20	STORE ASCII "BLANK"		
00076A	E03A	B7	A004	A	STAA	RAM+4			
00077A	E03D	86	39	A	LDAA	#\$39	STORE "RTS" OP CODE		
00078A	E03F	B7	A008	A	STAA	RAM+8			
00079A	E042	B7	A00C	A	STAA	RAM+12			
00080A	E045	B7	A010	A	STAA	RAM+16			
00081A	E048	86	CE	A	LDAA	#\$CE	STORE "LDX" OP CODE		
00082A	E04A	B7	A009	A	STAA	RAM+9			
00083A	E04D	86	8C	A	LDAA	#\$8C	STORE "CPX" OP CODE		
00084A	E04F	B7	A00D	A	STAA	RAM+13			
00085A	E052	86	26	A	LDAA	#\$26	SET NO. CHAR PER LINE		
00086A	E054	B7	A016	A	STAA	RAM+22			
00087A	E057	8D	06	E05F	BSR	BLANKR	FILL SCREEN WITH BLANKS		
00088A	E059	8D	12	E06D	BSR	CRTINT	INITIALIZE CRTC		
00089A	E05B	8D	32	E08F	BSR	CHARRC	RUN PROGRAM		
00090A	E05D	20	FC	E05B	BRA	RUN			
00091	*****								
00092	*	BLANKR SUBROUTINE FILLS DISPLAY MEMORY WITH							
00093	*	BLANK CODE (\$20).							
00094	*****								
00095A	E05F	86	20	A	BLANKR	LDAA	#\$20	INITIALIZE SCREEN MEMORY	
00096A	E061	CE	4000	A	LDX	#SCRNST		DISPLAY START ADDRESS	
00097A	E064	A7	00	A	BLANKL	STAA	0,X	STORE CHARACTER	
00098A	E066	08			INX			NEXT SCREEN LOCATION	
00099A	E067	8C	47D0	A	CPX	#SCRNND		FINISHED?	
00100A	E06A	26	F8	E064	BNE	BLANKL			
00101A	E06C	39			RTS				
00102	*****								
00103	*	CRINT SUBROUTINE INITIALIZES CRTC BY LOADING							
00104	*	THE BURRIED REGISTERS.							
00105	*****								
00106A	E06D	5F			CRTINT	CLRB		INITIALIZE CRTC	
00107A	E06E	CE	E07F	A	LDX	#TABLE			
00108A	E071	F7	3000	A	CRT	STAB	CRTCAD	SELECT CRTC REGISTER	
00109A	E074	A6	00	A	LDAA	0,X		GET TABLE VALUE	
00110A	E076	B7	3001	A	STAA	CRTCRG		STORE CRTC PARAMETER	
00111A	E079	08			INX			GET NEXT TABLE VALUE	
00112A	E07A	5C			INC B			SELECT NEXT CRTC REGISTER	
00113A	E07B	C1	10	A	CMPB	#\$10		LAST CRTC REGISTER	
00114A	E07D	26	F2	E071	BNE	CRT			
00115	*								
00116	*	* TABLE OF VAU							

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00117	*					
00118A E07F	30	A TABLE	FCB	\$30	R0	HORIZONTAL TOTAL
00119A E080	26	A	FCB	\$26	R1	HORIZONTAL DISPLAYED
00120A E081	2B	A	FCB	\$2B	R2	HORIZONTAL SYNC POS.
00121A E082	02	A	FCB	\$02	R3	HORIZONTAL SYNC WIDTH
00122A E083	14	A	FCB	\$14	R4	VERTICAL TOTAL
00123A E084	01	A	FCB	\$01	R5	VERTICAL TOTAL ADJUST
00124A E085	12	A	FCB	\$12	R6	VERTICAL DISPLAYED
00125A E086	13	A	FCB	\$13	R7	VERTICAL SYNC POSITION
00126A E087	00	A	FCB	\$00	R8	INTERLACE MODE
00127A E088	0B	A	FCB	\$0B	R9	MAX SCAN LINE ADDRESS
00128A E089	40	A	FCB	\$40	R10	CURSOR START ADDRESS
00129A E08A	08	A	FCB	\$08	R11	CURSOR END ADDRESS
00130A E08B	00	A	FCB	\$00	R12	START ADDRESS H
00131A E08C	00	A	FCB	\$00	R13	START ADDRESS L
00132A E08D	00	A	FCB	\$00	R14	START ADDRESS H
00133A E08E	00	A	FCB	\$00	R15	START ADDRESS L
00134						*****
00135				*		CHARRC SUBROUTINE ACCEPTS KEYBOARD INPUT, DECODE
00136				*		SPECIAL FEATURES AND CONTROLS THE CURSOR.
00137						*****
00138A E08F	8D	7F	E110	CHARRC	BSR	INCH
00139A E091	81	13	A	CMPA	#\$13	GET INPUT
00140A E093	23	02	E097	BLS	DECODE	DECODE SPECIAL CHARACTERS
00141A E095	20	31	E0C8	BRA	CURSE	NOT A SPECIAL CHARACTER
00142A E097	81	0D	A	DECODE	CMPA	#\$0D
00143A E099	26	03	E09E	BNE	DEC1	
00144A E09B	7E	E177	A	JMP	CR	CARRIAGE RETURN?
00145A E09E	81	08	A	DEC1	CMPA	#\$08
00146A E0A0	26	03	E0A5	BNE	DEC2	
00147A E0A2	7E	E1AF	A	JMP	BS	BACKSPACE?
00148A E0A5	81	0A	A	DEC2	CMPA	#\$0A
00149A E0A7	26	03	E0AC	BNE	DEC3	
00150A E0A9	7E	E191	A	JMP	LF	LINEFED?
00151A E0AC	81	13	A	DEC3	CMPA	#\$13
00152A E0AE	26	03	E0B3	BNE	DEC4	
00153A E0B0	7E	E1EF	A	JMP	UPLINE	MOVE CURSOR UP ONE LINE?
00154A E0B3	81	04	A	DEC4	CMPA	#\$04
00155A E0B5	26	03	E0BA	BNE	DEC5	
00156A E0B7	7E	E20C	A	JMP	PAGE	NEXT PAGE?
00157A E0BA	81	01	A	DEC5	CMPA	#01
00158A E0BC	26	03	E0C1	BNE	DEC6	
00159A E0BE	7E	E22A	A	JMP	HOME	HOME CURSOR
00160A E0C1	81	07	A	DEC6	CMPA	#07
00161A E0C3	26	03	E0C8	BNE	CURSE	
00162A E0C5	7E	E258	A	JMP	CLEAR	CLEAR SCREEN?
00163A E0C8	C6	0F	A	CURSE	LDAB	GET CURSOR ADDRESS L
00164A E0CA	F7	3000	A	STAB	CRTCAD	
00165A E0CD	F6	3001	A	LDAB	CRTCRG	
00166A E0D0	F7	A002	A	STAB	CHARL	SAVE CHARACTER ADDRESS
00167A E0D3	5C			INC		
00168A E0D4	F7	3001	A	STAB	CRTCRG	
00169A E0D7	F7	A007	A	STAB	BLANKL	SAVE CURSOR ADDRESS FOR BL
00170A E0DA	C6	0E	A	LDAB	#\$0E	GET CURSOR ADDRESS H
00171A E0DC	F7	3000	A	STAB	CRTCAD	
00172A E0DF	F6	3001	A	LDAB	CRTCRG	
00173A E0E2	CA	40	A	ORAB	#MOVE	MOVE CURSOR TO DISPLAY ADD
00174A E0E4	F7	A001	A	STAB	CHARH	SAVE CHARACTER ADDRESS

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00175A E0E7 F6 A007 A LDAB BLANKL BLANKL=0?
00176A E0EA 26 06 EOF2 BNE NOCARY
00177A E0EC F6 A001 A LDAB CHARH INCREMENT IF CARRY REQUIRE
00178A E0EF 5C INCB
00179A EOF0 20 03 EOF5 BRA CARRYD
00180A EOF2 F6 A001 A NOCARY LDAB CHARH INCREMENT IF CARRY REQUIRE
00181A EOF5 F7 3001 A CARRYD STAB CRTCRG UPDATE CURSOR
00182A EOF8 F7 A006 A STAB BLANKH BLNAK UNDER CURSOR
00183 *
00184 * RAM IS A SECTION OF SELF-MODIFYING CODE WHI
00185 * STORES THE CHARACTER, IN THE A REGISTER, AT
00186 * THE PRESENT CURSOR LOCATION.
00187 ****
00188A EOFB BD A000 A JSR RAM SAVE CHARACTER
00189A EOFE 7C A011 A INC SPACES INCREMENT SPACE COUNTER
00190A E101 F6 A016 A LDAB CHARLN AUTOMATIC CR?
00191A E104 F1 A011 A CMPB SPACES
00192A E107 2E 06 E10F BGT NOSCRL
00193A E109 7F A011 A CLR SPACES
00194A E10C 7E E120 A SCROLLOL JMP SCROLU CHECH FOR SCROLL UP
00195A E10F 39 NOSCRL RTS
00196 ****
00197 * INCH SUBROUTINE POLLS THE ACIA UNTIL A CHARA
00198 * IS RECEIVED THEN MASKS THE PARITY BIT AND
00199 * IGNORS RUBOUTS.
00200 ****
00201A E110 B6 FCF4 A INCH LDAA ACIACS
00202A E113 47 ASRA READY?
00203A E114 24 FA E110 BCC INCH RECEIVED NOT READY
00204A E116 B6 FCF5 A LDAA ACIADA INPUT CHARACTER
00205A E119 84 7F A ANDA #$7F RESET PARITY BIT
00206A E11B 81 7F A CMPA #$7F
00207A E11D 27 F1 E110 BEQ INCH RUBOUT IGNOR
00208A E11F 39 RTS
00209 ****
00210 * SCROLU SUBROUTINE CHECKS TO SEE IT THE CURSO
00211 * MOVED OFF THE BOTTOM OF THE SCREEN. IF SO A
00212 * NEW LINE IS SCROLLED ONTO THE SCREEN.
00213 ****
00214A E120 B6 A013 A SCROLU LDAA STARTL SET UP END OF SCREEN ADDRE
00215A E123 9B AB A ADDA SCRNL
00216A E125 B7 A015 A STAA ENDL
00217A E128 24 04 E12E BCC FIND
00218A E12A 86 01 A LDAA #01
00219A E12C 20 01 E12F BRA FIND1
00220A E12E 4F FIND CLRA
00221A E12F BB A012 A FIND1 ADDA STARTH
00222A E132 9B 02 A ADDA SCRNH
00223A E134 B7 A014 A STAA ENDH
00224A E137 C6 0E A LDAB #$0E GET CURSOR ADDRESS H
00225A E139 F7 3000 A STAB CRTCAD
00226A E13C F6 3001 A LDAB CRTCRG
00227A E13F 11 CBA
00228A E140 22 10 E152 BHI EQUAL1
00229A E142 B6 A015 A LDAA ENDL CHECK LOW ADDRESS
00230A E145 C6 0F A LDAB #$0F GET CURSOR ADDRESS L
00231A E147 F7 3000 A STAB CRTCAD
00232A E14A F6 3001 A LDAB CRTCRG

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00233A	E14D	11		CBA			
00234A	E14E	27 02	E152	BEQ	EQUAL1		
00235A	E150	23 01	E153	BLS	CHANGE		
00236A	E152	39		EQUAL1	RTS		
00237A	E153	86 0D	A	CHANGE	LDAA	#\$0D	INCREMENT START ADDRESS
00238A	E155	B7	3000	A	STAA	CRTCAD	
00239A	E158	F6	A013	A	LDAB	STARTL	
00240A	E15B	FB	A016	A	ADDB	CHARLN	
00241A	E15E	F7	3001	A	STAB	CRTCRG	SCROLL UP ONE LINE
00242A	E161	F7	A013	A	STAB	STARTL	
00243A	E164	25 01	E167	BCS	CARRY	CARRY?	
00244A	E166	39		RTS			
00245A	E167	C6 0C	A	CARRY	LDAB	#\$0C	INCREMENT START ADDRESS H
00246A	E169	F7	3000	A	STAB	CRTCAD	
00247A	E16C	F6	A012	A	LDAB	STARTH	
00248A	E16F	5C		INC B			
00249A	E170	F7	3001	A	STAB	CRTCRG	
00250A	E173	F7	A012	A	STAB	STARTH	
00251A	E176	39		RTS		CHECK TO SEE IF TI IS OK	
00252				*****	*****	*****	
00253			*	CR SUBROUTINE SUBTRACTS SPACE COUNTER FROM			
00254			*	CURSOR POSITION TO GENERATE A CARRIAGE RETU			
00255			*	AND THEN CALLS LINEFD.			
00256			*****	*****	*****	*****	
00257A	E177	86 0F	A	CR	LDAA	#\$0F	GET CURSOR ADDRESS L
00258A	E179	B7	3000	A	STAA	CRTCAD	
00259A	E17C	F6	3001	A	LDAB	CRTCRG	
00260A	E17F	F0	A011	A	SUBB	SPACES	GENERATE CR
00261A	E182	F7	3001	A	STAB	CRTCRG	
00262A	E185	24 07	E18E		BCC	YES	NO CARRY?
00263A	E187	4A		DECA			ELSE DECREMENT CURSOR H
00264A	E188	B7	3000	A	STAA	CRTCAD	
00265A	E18B	7A	3001	A	DEC	CRTCRG	
00266A	E18E	7F	A011	A	YES	CLR	INITIALIZE SPACE COUNTER
00267				*****	*****	*****	
00268			*	LINEFD SUBROUTINE MOVES THE CURSOR DOWN ONE L			
00269			*	BY ADDING THE NUMBER OF CHARACTERS. LINE, CHRPLN			
00270			*	CURRENT CURSOR LOCATION. SCROLU IS THEN CALLE			
00271			*****	*****	*****	*****	
00272A	E191	86 0F	A	LF	LDAA	#\$0F	GET CURSOR ADDRESS L
00273A	E193	B7	3000	A	STAA	CRTCAD	
00274A	E196	F6	3001	A	LDAB	CRTCRG	
00275A	E199	FB	A016	A	ADDB	CHARLN	GENERATE LINE FEED
00276A	E19C	24 0B	E1A9		BCC	NCARRY	CARRY?
00277A	E19E	F7	3001	A	STAB	CRTCRG	
00278A	E1A1	4A		DECA			
00279A	E1A2	B7	3000	A	STAA	CRTCAD	
00280A	E1A5	F6	3001	A	LDAB	CRTCRG	
00281A	E1A8	5C		INC B			
00282A	E1A9	F7	3001	A	NCARRY	STAB	CRTCRG
00283A	E1AC	7E	E120	A	JMP	SCROLU	
00284				*****	*****	*****	
00285			*	BS SUBROUTINE MOVES CURSOR BACK ONE LINE IF TH			
00286			*	CURSOR MOVES TO THE PREVIOUS LINE THEN SCROL			
00287			*	IS CALLED TO SEE IF A NEW LINE SHOULD BE ADDED			
00288			*	AT THE TOP OF THE SCREEN.			
00289			*****	*****	*****	*****	
00290A	E1AF	86 0F	A	BS	LDAA	#\$0F	GET CURSOR ADDRESS L

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00291A E1B1 B7 3000 A	STAA	CRTCAD	
00292A E1B4 F6 3001 A	LDAB	CRTCRG	
00293A E1B7 5A	DEC B		BACK UP CURSOR
00294A E1B8 F7 3001 A	STAB	CRTCRG	
00295A E1BB 4A	DECA		SELECT CURSOR H
00296A E1BC B7 3000 A	STAA	CRTCAD	
00297A E1BF F7 A007 A	STAB	BSPOS L	SAVE BACK SPACE POSITION L
00298A E1C2 C1 FF A	CMPB	#\$FF	CARRY?
00299A E1C4 27 05 E1CB	BEQ	DECR	
00300A E1C6 F6 3001 A	LDAB	CRTCRG	
00301A E1C9 20 07 E1D2	BRA	NODECR	
00302A E1CB F6 3001 A DECR	LDAB	CRTCRG	IF SO DECREMENT CURSOR H
00303A E1CE 5A	DEC B		
00304A E1CF F7 3001 A	STAB	CRTCRG	
00305A E1D2 CA 40 A NODECR	ORAB	#MOVE	MOVE TO SCREEN MEMORY
00306A E1D4 F7 A006 A	STAB	BSPOS H	SAVE BACK SPACE POSITION H
00307A E1D7 BD A003 A	JSR	RAM+3	BLANK UNDER CURSOR
00308A E1DA 7A A011 A	DEC	SPACES	DECREMENT SPACE COUNTER
00309A E1DD B6 A011 A	LDA A	SPACES	BACK TO PREVIOUS LINE?
00310A E1E0 81 FF A	CMPA	#\$FF	
00311A E1E2 27 01 E1E5	BEQ	CALLER	
00312A E1E4 39	RTS		
00313A E1E5 B6 A016 A CALLER	LDA A	CHARLN	RESET SPACE COUNTER
00314A E1E8 4A	DECA		
00315A E1E9 B7 A011 A	STAA	SPACES	
00316A E1EC 7E E284 A	JMP	SCROL D	
00317	*****		
00318	* UPLINE SUBROUTINE MOVES THE CURSOR UP ONE		
00319	* LINE THEN CALLS SCROL D.		
00320	*****		
00321A E1EF 86 OF A UPLINE	LDA A	#\$OF	GET CURSOR ADDRESS L
00322A E1F1 B7 3000 A	STAA	CRTCAD	
00323A E1F4 F6 3001 A	LDAB	CRTCRG	
00324A E1F7 F0 A016 A	SUB B	CHARLN	GENERATE UPLINE
00325A E1FA 24 0B E207	BCC	NOOCRY	CARRY?
00326A E1FC F7 3001 A	STAB	CRTCRG	
00327A E1FF 4A	DECA		GET CURSOR H
00328A E200 B7 3000 A	STAA	CRTCAD	
00329A E203 F6 3001 A	LDAB	CRTCRG	SUBTRACT CARRY
00330A E206 5A	DEC B		
00331A E207 F7 3001 A NOOCRY	STAB	CRTCRG	
00332A E20A 20 78 E284	BRA	SCROL D	
00333	*****		
00334	* PAGE SINE MOVE THE CURSOR TO THE NEXT PAGE.		
00335	*****		
00336A E20C 86 0C A PAGE	LDA A	#\$0C	GET SCREEN START ADDRESS H
00337A E20E B7 3000 A	STAA	CRTCAD	
00338A E211 F6 A012 A	LDAB	STAR TH	
00339A E214 DB 04 A	ADD B	PAGES Z	MOVE TO NEXT PAGE
00340A E216 F7 3001 A	STAB	CRTCRG	
00341A E219 F7 A012 A	STAB	STAR TH	
00342A E21C 86 0E A	LDA A	#\$0E	GET CURSOR ADDRESS H
00343A E21E B7 3000 A	STAA	CRTCAD	
00344A E221 F6 3001 A	LDAB	CRTCRG	
00345A E224 DB 04 A	ADD B	PAGES Z	MOVE CURSOR TO NEXT PAGE
00346A E226 F7 3001 A	STAB	CRTCRG	
00347A E229 39	RTS		
00348	*****		

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00349		*	HOME SUBROUTINE MOVES THE CURSOR TO THE BEGIN			
00350		*	OF THE PRESENT PAGE AND CALLS CLEAR.			
00351		*****	*****	*****	*****	*****
00352A E22A 86 0E	A	HOME	LDAA #\$0E		GET CURSOR ADDRESS H	
00353A E22C B7 3000	A		STAA CRTCAD			
00354A E22F F6 3001	A		LDAB CRTCRG			
00355A E232 D4 FC	A		ANDB PGMASK		GET PAGE ADDRESS	
00356A E234 F7 3001	A		STAB CRTCRG		MOVE CURSOR	
00357A E237 F7 A012	A		STAB STARTH		START AT FIRST OF PAGE	
00358A E23A 86 0C	A		LDAA #\$0C			
00359A E23C B7 3000	A		STAA CRTCAD			
00360A E23F F7 3001	A		STAB CRTCRG			
00361A E242 4C			INCA		SELECT CURSOR L	
00362A E243 B7 3000	A		STAA CRTCAD			
00363A E246 4F			CLRA			
00364A E247 B7 3001	A		STAA CRTCRG			
00365A E24A B7 A013	A		STAA STARTL		START AT FIRST OF PAGE	
00366A E24D C6 0F	A		LDAB #\$0F			
00367A E24F F7 3000	A		STAB CRTCAD			
00368A E252 B7 3001	A		STAA CRTCRG			
00369A E255 B7 A011	A		STAA SPACES	ZERO SPACE COUNTER		
00370		*****	*****	*****	*****	*****
00371		*	CLEAR SUBROUTINE CLEARS PRESENT PAGE PAST TH			
00372		*	CURSOR BY STORING ASCII BLANDS (\$20) INTO			
00373		*	SCREEN MEMORY.			
00374		*****	*****	*****	*****	*****
00375A E258 86 0E	A	CLEAR	LDAA #\$0E		GET CURSOR ADDRESS H	
00376A E25A B7 3000	A		STAA CRTCAD			
00377A E25D F6 3001	A		LDAB CRTCRG			
00378A E260 D4 FC	A		ANDB PGMASK		LOCATE CURSOR PAGE ADDRESS	
00379A E262 CB 40	A		ADDB #MOVE		ADD OFFSET	
00380A E264 F7 A00A	A		STAB INDEX		SAVE START ADDRESS	
00381A E267 DB 04	A		ADDB PAGESZ		SAVE END ADDRESS	
00382A E269 F7 A00E	A		STAB COMPR			
00383A E26C 4C			INCA		SET UP LOW ADDRESS	
00384A E26D B7 3000	A		STAA CRTCAD			
00385A E270 F6 3001	A		LDAB CRTCRG			
00386A E273 F7 A00B	A		STAB INDEX+1			
00387A E276 BD A009	A		JSR RAM+9		INDEX REGISTER PAGE ADDRES	
00388A E279 86 20	A	BLANK	LDAA #\$20		ASCII BLANK	
00389A E27B A7 00	A		STAA 0,X		STORE BLANK	
00390A E27D 08			INX		NEXT SCREEN CHARACTER	
00391A E27E BD A00D	A		JSR RAM+13		CHECK INDEX REGISTER	
00392A E281 26 F6 E279			BNE BLANK			
00393A E283 39			RTS			
00394		*****	*****	*****	*****	*****
00395		*	SCROL'D SUBROUTINE CHECKS TO SEE IF THE CURSOR			
00396		*	MOVED OFF THE TOP OF THE SCREEN. IF SO A NEW			
00397		*	IS SCROLLED DOWN ONTO THE SCREEN.			
00398		*****	*****	*****	*****	*****
00399A E284 B6 A012	A	SCROL'D	LDAA STARTH		CURSOR BEFORE SCREEN?	
00400A E287 C6 0E	A		LDAB #\$0E		GET CURSOR ADDRESS H	
00401A E289 F7 3000	A		STAB CRTCAD			
00402A E28C F6 3001	A		LDAB CRTCRG			
00403A E28F 11			CBA			
00404A E290 22 12 E2A4			BHI BEFORE			
00405A E292 27 01 E295			BEQ EQUAL2			
00406A E294 39			RTS	HIGH ADDRESS DOESN'T MATCH		

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00407A	E295	B6	A013	A EQUAL2	LDAA	STARTL	IS CURSOR BEFORE THE SCREE	
00408A	E298	C6	OF	A	LDAB	#\$OF	GET CURSOR ADDRESS LOW	
00409A	E29A	F7	3000	A	STAB	CRTCAD		
00410A	E29D	F6	3001	A	LDAB	CRTC RG		
00411A	E2A0	11			CBA			
00412A	E2A1	22	01	E2A4	BHI	BEFORE		
00413A	E2A3	39		EXIT	RTS			
00414A	E2A4	86	0D	A	BEFORE	LDAA	#\$0D	MOVE BACK ONE LINE
00415A	E2A6	B7	3000	A	STAA	CRTCAD		
00416A	E2A9	F6	A013	A	LDAB	STARTL		
00417A	E2AC	F0	A016	A	SUBB	CHARLN		
00418A	E2AF	F7	3001	A	STAB	CRTC RG		
00419A	E2B2	F7	A013	A	STAB	STARTL		
00420A	E2B5	25	01	E2B8	BCS	CRYSET	CARRY SET?	
00421A	E2B7	39			RTS			
00422A	E2B8	4A		CRYSET	DECA		IF SO DECREMENT STARTH	
00423A	E2B9	B7	3000	A	STAA	CRTCAD		
00424A	E2BC	F6	A012	A	LDAB	STARTH		
00425A	E2BF	5A			DEC B			
00426A	E2C0	F7	3001	A	STAB	CRTC RG		
00427A	E2C3	F7	A012	A	STAB	STARTH		
00428A	E2C6	39			RTS			
00429					END			
TOTAL ERRORS 00000--00000								

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