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## INTRODUCTION

New and integrated circuits, particularly microprocessors, are often thought difficult to understand. This is a myth, not true, they are complex but not difficult to understand as they operate in a logical way. Understanding microprocessors does require study, explanations and guidelines and the purpose of this book is to provide such information to help you become really familiar with these devices and especially the CDP1802, a CMOS microprocessor.

Happy reading and good luck.

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## UT4 CMOS ROM MONITOR PROGRAM

A CMOS ROM monitor program is necessary for a prototyping system to have an easy possibility to load programs, verify and start execution.

One external flag and the Q output are used for this interface. For additional hardware, see Figure 1 and Figure 2, it assumes a clock frequency of 2MHz for 100 and 300bd. This monitor program does not need any RAM.

It starts at 8000 (highest address bit high) means after reset this line has to be set high externally to start the monitor program. (See evaluation kit manual MPM203 or MPM224, as well Microboard brochures).

After being entered it initializes itself and waits for CR or LF. Carriage return sets it to full duplex and line feed to half duplex. The answer is the UT4 prompt. This utility program can even work together with a paper tape reader or punch. For additional information, see MPM224, MPM203.

?M Command

To interrogate memory, the user types a command such as

?MF5 3

and terminates it with CR(carriage return). UT4 responds by printing out the contents of memory beginning at location 00F5: three bytes are printed out as two hex digits each. Each line of output begins with the address, and data is grouped in 2-byte (4-digit) blocks. When necessary, new lines are begun every 16 bytes, with the previous lines ending in semicolons. The user may enter any number of digits to specify the beginning location (leading zeroes are implied, if necessary). If more than four digits are entered, only the last four are used. The number of bytes to be typed out should be in hex.

Again, if more than four digits are entered, only the last four are used. This feature allows the user to correct a mistake. He simply keeps typing, putting in the correct 4-digit values (230024 is effectively 0024).

!M Command

In general, data is entered into memory by means of a command such as

!M2F 434F534D4143

This command enters six bytes (two hex digits each) into memory beginning at location 2F. It is normally terminated by a CR. Once again, the starting location is determined by the last four digits entered. Data is entered into memory after each two hex digits are typed. If the user types an odd number of digits, the last digit is ignored, and the error message ('?') is typed out.

The !M command provides two options that facilitate memory loading. First, a string of data can be extended from line to line by typing in a comma just before the normal CR. (In this case the user must type CR-LF (carriage return-line feed) before he can begin a new line). For example :

!M23 56789ABC,(CR) (LF)

DEF0123456,(CR) (LF)

3047 (CR)

enters 11 successive bytes beginning at location 0023. Between successive hex pairs while data is being entered, any non-hex character except the comma (and semicolon, as will be discussed) is ignored. This arrangement permits arbitrary LF's, spaces (for readability), nulls (generated arbitrary LF's, spaces (for readability), nulls (generated by the utility program or by a time-share system to give the carriage time to return), etc...).

As a second optional form of data entry, a string of input data can be terminated by a semicolon (and a CR). The utility program then expects more data to follow on the next line, but preceded by a new beginning address. The line must have the format of an !M command, but with the initial !M omitted. (The utility program ignores all non-hex characters following !M, which allows the CR, LF, and nulls to be input from the Teletype without disturbing the !M command). Note also that the semicolon feature on input allows non-contiguous memory to be loaded.

#### SP Command

A third utility command is SP. For example

SP6C

Starts execution at location 6C with R0 as the program counter (after the user presses CR and the utility program provides a LF). The last-four-digits-in rule applies to the address typed in.

SP always begins with R0 as program counter and X = 0. This arrangement is consistent with the fact that P = 0 and X = 0 after the CPU is RESET. Refer to the CDP1802 data sheet for other actions of RESET.

#### Summary of command usage

In summary, after receiving the prompt character, '\*' the user may type

?M (address) Δ (count) CR

!M (non-hex) (address) Δ (data) (optional, or ;) CR

(Where the data may have non-hex digits between each hex pair)

or

SP (address) CR

UT4 ignores initial characters until it detects ?, !, or \$. Then, inputs which are not compatible with the above formats cause an error message.

#### Summary of UT4 operating instructions

A further detailed summary of these basic operating instruction is given below, repeating the information just given in a more concise form.

1. After pressing "RUN UTILITY" (start at 8000), the user should press either CR or LF: LF for half duplex, CR for full duplex. This instruction sets up the bit-serial timing and specifies echo or not.
2. UT4 will return \* as a prompt.
3. Following \*; UT4 ignores all characters until one of ?, \$, or ! is typed in.
4. Following ?M or !M, UT4 waits for a hex character. It then assembles an address. If more than four hex digits are typed, only the last four are used. Next, a space is required. Note :Δ denotes a space.
  - a. For ?M addr Δ a hex count must follow (again, only the last four digits are kept), and the command is terminated by CR.
  - b. For !M addr Δ data must follow. An even number of hex digits is required. Before each hex pair arbitrary filler, except for a CR, comma, or semicolon, is allowed. CR terminates the command, unless it is immediately preceded by a comma or, as is generally the case, by a semicolon.

- i. In case of comma CR the user must insert an LF for UT4 to continue to accept data. This procedure is a form of line continuation.
- ii. In case of a semicolon all following characters are ignored until the CR is typed. Then the user must again provide an LF, and UT4 continues as if it had received optional filler, then a starting address, then a space, and then data.
- iii. The !M command can be followed by as many continuation lines as needed, mixed between the two types if desired, and is finally terminated with a CR not preceded by a comma or semicolon.
5. Command GP must be followed by starting address (last four digits used if more than four are typed in). If no address is entered, 0 is assumed. Program execution begins at this location with R0 as program counter with X set to 0.
6. When a !M or ?M command is accepted and completed, UT4 types another prompt character.
7. When UT4 detects bad syntax, it types out a ? and returns the carriage. If a mistake is made when data is entered (by typing in an odd number of digits), all data will have been entered except the last hex digit. Note that the "only-last-four-digits" rule in the address field allows the user to correct an error without retying the whole command. For example, a mistaken 234 can be corrected by continuing 2340235=0235. A bad command can be aborted by typing in any illegal character except after !M or ?M or between input hex data pairs. In these cases, the user should type any digit and then, for example, a period.

#### UT4 register storage feature

UT4 provides for storing in RAM 13 1/2 of the 16 CDP1802 scratch-pad registers. A CDP1824 32-byte RAM has to be provided for this function. The RAM occupies addresses 8C00 - 8C1F. By pressing RESET followed by RUN U, registers R0 - RF are automatically stored in the CDP1824, in numerical order, most significant byte first. R0, R1, and R4.1 are altered in the process.

By using the command

?M8C00 20

The register contents which existed in the Microprocessor at the instant that RESET was pressed preceding the depression of RUN U can be examined. It should be remembered that UT4 uses registers R0, R1, R3, R4.1, R5, and RC - RF. These registers, therefore, will be modified. Should the user wish to continue program execution, he must initialize these registers, by program if necessary. A sample listing is given in Figure 1. It should be recalled that R0, R1, and R4.1 are not correct.

#### The bit serial terminal interface

The serial terminal interface is an example of minimizing hardware complexity by the use of software. Further, it illustrates the increased flexibility that can be more readily achieved by software. The CPU receives serial data by sampling EF4. It transmits serial data via its Q output. Details on the electrical I/O interface are given in the Application Note entitled "Data Terminal Interface Considerations for RCA Microprocessor Evaluation Kit CDP18S020.

The sample character waveform in Figure 4 helps to show what the interface software must do. Each character is framed by a START bit and one or two STOP bits. On input, this signal is tied to EF4 which is sensed by UT4 at the midpoints of each of the bits. Software assembles the resultant ASCII character. On output, the character is transmitted one bit at a time through the Q output of the CDP1802. (See Figures 2 and 3).

The flexibility obtainable with software is demonstrated by the ability of the program UT4 to sample a character string and adjust its timing so as to cope with terminals of different, even non-standard, character rates. However, it should be noted that while a program is timing either input or output in this manner (i.e., by counting instruction executions), it is completely dedicated to that task and cannot be interrupted except for an occasional DMA service.

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?M8C00 20 RØ R1
8C00 DODO 8202 2222 3333 9444 5555 6666 7777;
8C10 8888 9999 AAAA BBBB CCCC DDDD EEEE FFFF
R4.1
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Figure 1 : Sample Listing Illustrating Register Storage

This utility program can even work together with a paper tape reader or punch. For additional information see MPM 224, MPM203.

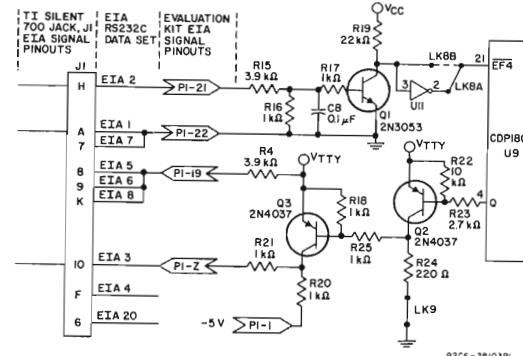


Figure 2 : The EIA RS232 Serial Data Interface For Connecting TI Silent 700 Data Terminal

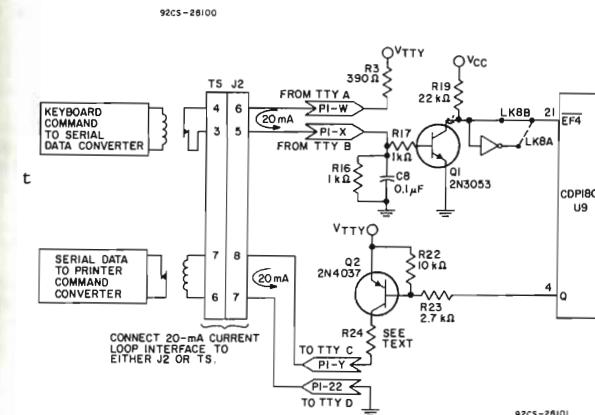


Figure 3 : The 20mA Current Loop Interface To Connect a Teletype In Full Duplex Mode

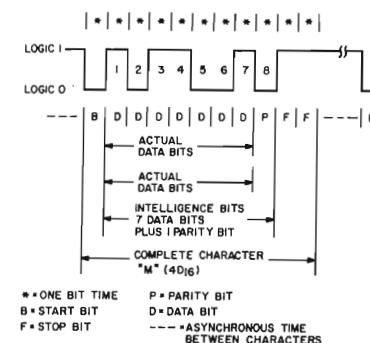


Figure 4 : Data Terminal Bit Serial Output For The Character "M"

## UTILITY PROGRAM UT4 LISTING

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!M
0000 ; 0001      ORG #8000
0000 ; 0002      .. UT4 IS A UTILITY PROGRAM TO ALTER
0000 ; 0003      .. MEMORY, DUMP MEMORY, AND BEGIN PROGRAM
0000 ; 0004      .. EXECUTION AT A GIVEN LOCATION. THE COMMANDS
0000 ; 0005      .. ACCEPTED ARE $PHHHH (BEGIN EXECUTION AT THE
0000 ; 0006      .. SPECIFIED LOCATION WITH R0 AS PROGRAM
0000 ; 0007      .. COUNTER), !MHHHH DATA (PUT DATA AT SPECIFIED
0000 ; 0008      .. LOCATION), AND ?MHHHH HHHH (OUTPUT DATA
0000 ; 0009      .. FROM SPECIFIED LOCATION FOR SPECIFIC COUNT)
0000 ; 0010      .. AT THE BEGINNING OF A COMMAND ALL CHARACTERS
0000 ; 0011      .. ARE IGNORED UNTIL A ?, !, OR $ IS
0000 ; 0012      .. ENCOUNTERED. IN THE ?M AND !M COMMANDS NON
0000 ; 0013      .. HEX CHARACTERS ARE IGNORED AFTER M UNTIL A
0000 ; 0014      .. HEX IS READ, THEN THE FIRST NON HEX
0000 ; 0015      .. CHARACTER MUST BE A SPACE . NON HEX
0000 ; 0016      .. CHARACTERS BETWEEN HEX PAIRS OF THE DATA IN
0000 ; 0017      .. THE !M COMMAND ARE IGNORED EXCEPT FOR CR,
0000 ; 0018      .. SEMICOLON, AND COMMA.
0000 ; 0019      .. THE BAUD RATE OF UT4 IS DEPENDENT UPON THE
0000 ; 0020      .. TERMINAL BEING USED. A CR OR LF IS ENTERED
0000 ; 0021      .. AT THE BEGINNING TO SPECIFY THE APPROPRIATE
0000 ; 0022      .. DELAY BETWEEN BITS. UT4 WILL ECHO
0000 ; 0023      .. CHARACTERS IF A CR IS CHOSEN AS THE
0000 ; 0024      .. TIMING CHARACTER. ECHOING WILL NOT TAKE
0000 ; 0025      .. PLACE IF A LF IS INPUT AS THE TIMING
0000 ; 0026      .. CHARACTER.
0000 ; 0027      .. UT4, AT INITIATION, STORES ALL REGISTERS
0000 ; 0028      .. BETWEEN 8C00 AND 8C1F IF IT FINDS RAM THERE
0000 ; 0029      .. (BUT R0, R1, AND R4.1 ARE CLOBBERED).
0000 ; 0030      PTER=#00 .. AUXILIARY FOR MAIN ROUTINE
0000 ; 0031      CL=#01 .. CLOBBERED
0000 ; 0032      ST=#02 .. STACK POINTER-ONLY
0000 ; 0033      .. REFERENCE TO RAM
0000 ; 0034      SUB=#03 .. SUBROUTINE PC
0000 ; 0035      PC=#05 .. MAIN PROGRAM COUNTER
0000 ; 0036      SWITCh=CL .. DISTINGUISHES BETWEEN ?M AND !M
0000 ; 0037      DELAY=#0C .. DELAY ROUTINE PROGRAM COUNTER
0000 ; 0038      ASL=#0D .. HEX ASSMBLY REG ON INPUT,
0000 ; 0039      .. AUX FOR HEX OUTPUT
0000 ; 0040      CENTER=ASL .. USED TO COUNT OUTPUT BYTES
0000 ; 0041      AUX=#0E .. AUX.1 HOLDS BIT-TIME CONSTANT
0000 ; 0042      CHAR=#0F .. CHAR.1 HOLDS I/O BYTE
0000 ; 0043      ..
0000 ; 0044      .. ENTER IN R0
0000 ; 0045      NOP
0001 F880B0; 0046      LDI A.1(UT4) ;PHI R0 ..SET PC WHILE
0004 ; 0047      ..FINGER IS ON

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8004 ; 0048      ..
8004 ; 0049      .. THE FOLLOWING WRITES REGISTER CONTENTS INTO
8004 ; 0050      .. 8C00-8C1F IF IT EXISTS. 8BFE IS ASSUMED NOT
8004 ; 0051      .. TO BE RAM (ELSE ROUTINE OVERRUNS).
8004 F88CB1; 0052      LDI #8C ;PHI CL ..CL IS CLOBBERED
8007 ; 0053      ..
8007 F81EA1; 0054      LDI #1E ;PLO CL ..BY THIS ROUTINE
800A ; 0055      ..
800A F8A0B4; 0056      LDI #A0 ;PHI R4 ..IS TO GO, MINUS 1
800D ; 0057      ..
800D E1; 0058      SEX CL ..R4.1 STORES A MODIFIED
800E F8D051; 0059      LOOP2: LDI #D0 ;STR CL ..INSTRUCTION
8011 ; 0060      ..
8011 F3; 0061      XOR ..FOR RETURN
8012 3A29; 0062      BNZ UT4 ..CHECK THAT IT WROTE
8014 21; 0063      DEC CL ..
8015 ; 0064      GHI R4 ;ADI#70 ..PREPARE FOR MODIFIED
8015 94FC70; 0065      ..
8018 331C; 0066      BDF *+#04 ..INSTRUCTION
801A FC21; 0067      ADI#21 ..IF NO, 8N BECOMES 9N
801C FC7F; 0068      ADI#7F ..IF YES, 9N BECOMES 8(N-1)
801E B451; 0069      PHI R4 ;STR CL ..SET MODIFIED INSTR
8020 ; 0070      ..
8020 F3; 0071      XOR ..INTO RAM
8021 3A29; 0072      BNZ UT4 ..CK THAT IT WROTE
8023 D1; 0073      SEP CL ..
8024 ; 0074      ..
8024 51; 0075      STR CL ..GO TO EXECUTE INSTR
8025 2121; 0076      DEC CL ;DEC CL ..STORE RESULT IN RAM
8027 300E; 0077      BR LOOP2 ..BACK UP FOR NEXT BYTE
8029 ; 0078      ..
8029 90B5B3; 0079      UT4:GHI R0 ;PHI PC ;PHI SUB ..#80-TPC.1
802C ; 0080      ..
802C F830A5; 0081      LDI A.0(UT4A) ;PLO PC ..AND SUB.1
802F D5; 0082      SEP PC ..
8030 E5; 0083      UT4A:SEX PC ..
8031 7155; 0084      DIS,#55 ..NOTE PC=5 ASSUMED
8033 ; 0085      ..
8033 6101; 0086      OUT 1,#01 ..HERE!
8035 F8FEA3; 0087      LDI A.0(TIMALC) ;PLO SUB ..SELECT RCA GROUP
8038 ; 0088      ..
8038 D3; 0089      SEP SUB ..READ ONE
8039 ; 0090      ..
8039 ; 0091      ..
8039 ; 0092      ..
8039 F89CA3; 0093      START:LDI A.0(TYPE5D) ;PLO SUB ..TO SET TIMER
0093 F09CA3; 0093      START:LDI A.0(TYPE5D) ;PLO SUB ..INITIATION NOW DONE
0093 SIARI:LDI A.0(TYPE5D) ;PLO SUB ..SET UP SEP INSTRUCTION

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803C D30D; 0094 SEP SUB; ,#0D .CR=CARRIAGE RETURN
803E D30A; 0095 ST2:SEP SUB; ,#0A ..LF=LINE FEED
8040 D32A; 0096 SEP SUB; ,#2A ..* AS PROMPT CHARACTER
8042 F800ADBD; 0097 IGNORE:LDI #00;PLO ASL;PHI ASL ..PREPARE TO
8046 ; 0098 .INPUT HEX
8046 ; 0099 ..DIGITS,CLEAR ASL
8046 F83BA3; 0100 LDI A.0(READAH) ;PLO SUB
8049 D3; 0101 SEP SUB ..INPUT COMMAND
804A FB24; 0102 XRI #24 ..IS IT $ ?
804C 32D6; 0103 BZ DOLLAR
804E FB05; 0104 XRI #05 ..IS IT ! ? (TEST WITH $.XOR..!)
8050 A1; 0105 PLO SWITCH ..AND SAVE RESULT
8051 CE; 0106 LSZ ..EQIV. TO BR RDARGS
8052 FB1E; 0107 XRI #1E ..IS IT ?
8054 ; 0108 ..?(TEST WITH $.XOR.!XOR.?)

8054 3A42; 0109 BNZ IGNORE ..IGNORE ALL UNTIL A COMMAND IS
8056 ; 0110 ..READ
8056 ; 0111 ..
8056 ; 0112 ..THE FOLLOWING IS COMMON FOR ?M AND !M
8056 ; 0113 ..(SWITCH.0 =0 FOR THE LATTER)
8056 ; 0114 ..
8056 D3; 0115 RDARGS:SEP SUB ..NOTE SUB AT READAH. NOW
8057 ; 0116 ..READ HEX ARGS
8057 FB4D; 0117 XRI #4D ..SHOULD BE M
8059 3ACA; 0118 BNZ SYNERR
805B D3; 0119 RD1:SEP SUB
805C 3B5B; 0120 BNF * -#01 ..IGNORE NON HEX CHARS.
805E ; 0121 ..AFTER M.
805E D3; 0122 SEP SUB
805F 335E; 0123 BDF *-#01 ..READ IN FIRST ARG
8061 ; 0124 ..(LOCATIONN IN MEMORY)
8061 FB20; 0125 XRI #20 ..NEXT CHAR SHOULD BE A SPACE

8063 3ACA; 0126 BNZ SYNERR
8065 9DB0; 0127 GHI ASL ;PHI PTER
8067 8DAO; 0128 GLO ASL ;PLO PTER ..PTER NOW POINTS INTO
8069 ; 0129 ..USER MEMORY
8069 81; 0130 GLO SWITCH ..LOOK AT SWITCH
806A 32B4; 0131 BZ EX1 ..IF 0 IT WAS !
806C ; 0132 ..OTHERWISE IT WAS ?
806C ; 0133 ..THE FOLLOWING DOES (?M LOC COUNT) COMMAND
806C ; 0134 ..
806C F800ADBD; 0135 LDI #00 ;PLO ASL ;PHI ASL ..CLEAR ASL
8070 D3; 0136 RD2:SEP SUB
8071 3370; 0137 BDF RD2 ..READ IN SECOND ARG
8073 ; 0138 ..(NUMBER OF BYTES)
8073 FB0D; 0139 XRI #0D ..NEXT CK FOR CR
8075 3ACA; 0140 BNZ SYNERR

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8077 F89CA3; 0141 LDI A.0(TYPE5D) ;PLO SUB ..TYPE
807A 8DA1; 0142 GLO ASL ;PLO SWITCH
807C 9DB1; 0143 GHI ASL ;PHI SWITCH
807E D30A; 0144 LINE:SEP SUB; ,#0A ..LF
8080 90BF; 0145 LINE1:GHI PTER ;PHI CHAR ..PREPARE LINE
8082 ; 0146 LDI A.0(TYPE2) ;PLO SUB ..HEADING
8085 D3; 0148 SEP SUB ..TYPE 2 HEX DIGIT
8086 80BF; 0149 GLO PTER ;PHI CHAR
8088 F8AEA3; 0150 LDI A.0(TYPE2) ;PLO SUB
808b D3; 0151 SEP SUB ..TYPE
808C D320; 0152 SEP SUB; ,#20 ..SPACE
808E ; 0153 ..
808E 40BF; 0154 TLOOP:LDA PTER ;PHI CHAR ..FETCH 1 BYTE FOR
8090 ; 0155 ..TYPING
8090 F8AEA3; 0156 LDI A.0(TYPE2) ;PLO SUB
8093 D3; 0157 SEP SUB ..TYPE 2 HEX
8094 21; 0158 DEC SWITCH
8095 81; 0159 GLO SWITCH
8096 3A9B; 0160 BNZ TL3 ..BRANCH IF NOT DONE YET
8098 91; 0161 GHI SWITCH
8099 3239; 0162 BZ START ..BRANCH IF DONE
8098 80FAOF; 0163 TL3:GLO PTER ;ANI#0F ..IS PTER DIV BY 16
809E 3AA6; 0164 BNZ TL2
80A0 D33B; 0165 SEP SUB; ,#3B ..IF YES TYPE ; THEN
80A2 D30D; 0166 SEP SUB; ,#0D ..CR AND
80A4 307E; 0167 BR LINE
80A6 F6; 0168 TL2:SHR ..DIV BY 2?
80A7 338E; 0169 BUF TLOOP ..IF NO LOOP BACK, ELSE
80A9 308C; 0170 BR TLOOP -#02 ..AND THEN LOOP BACK
80AB ; 0171 ..
80AB ; 0172 ..THE FOLLOWING DOES(!M LOC DATA) COMMAND
80AB ; 0173 ..ENTER AT EX1
80AB ; 0174 ..
80AB ; 0175 ..EFFECT OF THE FOLLOWING IS TO READ IN HEX
80AB ; 0176 ..TERMINATING WITH A CR,IGNORING NON-HEX CHARS.
80AB ; 0177 ..PAIRS; EXCEPTIONS: A COMMA BEFORE A CR ALLOWS
80AB ; 0178 ..THE INPUT TO CONTINUE ON THE NEXT LINE AND A
80AB ; 0179 ..SEMICOLON ALLOWS AN !M COMMAND TO
80AB ; 0180 ..BE ASSUMED.
80AB ; 0181 ..
80AB D3; 0182 EX3:SEP SUB ..INPUT UNTIL A HEX IS READ
80AC 3BAB; 0183 BNF EX3
80AE ; 0184 ..
80AE D3; 0185 EX2:SEP SUB ..LOOKING FOR SECOND HEX
80AE D3; 0185 EX2:SEP SUB ..LOOKING FOR SECOND HEX

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80AF ; 0186      ..DIGIT
80AF 3BCA; 0187  BNF SYNERR    ..BR IF NOT HEX
80B1 8D50; 0188  GLO ASL ;STR PTER   ..**SET BYTE**
80B3 10; 0189  INC PTEK
80B4 D3; 0190  EX1:SEP SUB     ..NOTE SUB AT
80B5 ; 0191  READAH
80B5 33AE; 0192  BDF EX2      ..BR IF HEX
80B7 FBOD; 0193  XRI #0D     ..CHECK IF CR
80B9 3239; 0194  BZ START
80B8 FB21; 0195  EX4:XRI #21     ..ELSE CK IF COMMA
.
80BD ; 0196  ..(TEST WITH CR.XOR.,)
80B9 32AB; 0197  BZ EX3      ..IF ELSE BRANCH
80BF FB17; 0198  XRI #17     ..CK FOR SEMICOLON(TEST WITH
.
80C1 ; 0199  ..CR.XOR.,.XOR.;)
80C1 3AB4; 0200  BNZ EX1      ..IGNORE ALL ELSE
80C3 D3; 0201  SEP SUB      ..ON SEMI IGNORE AL UNTIL CR
.
80C4 ; 0202  ..THEN LOOP BACK
80C4 FBUD; 0203  XRI #0D
80C6 3AC3; 0204  BNZ *-*#03
80C8 305B; 0205  BR RDI      ..THEN BRANCH BACK
80CA ;
80CA ; 0206  ..FOR !M COMMAND
80CA ; 0207  ..
80CA F89CA3; 0208  SYNERR:LDI A.O(TYPE5D) ;PLO SUB ..GENERAL
80CD ; 0209  ..RESULT OF
80CD ; 0210  ..SYNTACTIC ERROR
80CD D30D; 0211  SEP SUB; ,#0D ..CR
80CF C081F8; 0212  LBR FSYNER ..FINISH ERROR MSG
.
80D2 ; 0213  ..
80D2 ; 0214  ..THE FOLLOWING DOES $P HHHH
80D2 ; 0215  ORG #80D6
80D6 D3; 0216  DOLLAR:SEP SUB ..NOTE SUB.0=READAH
80D7 FB50; 0217  XRI #50     ..SHOULD BE P
80D9 3ACA; 0218  BNZ SYNERR
80DB D3; 0219  D1:SEP SUB     ..ASSEMBLE HEX
80DC 33DB; 0220  BDF D1'  ..STING INTO ASL
80DE ; 0221  XRI #0D     ..FIRST NONHEX
80DE FBUD; 0222  XRI #0D     ..MUST BE CR
80E0 ;
80E0 3ACA; 0224  BNZ SYNERR
80E2 9DB0; 0225  GHI ASL ;PHI RO
80E4 8DAO; 0226  GLO ASL ;PLO RO ..SET UP NEXT PC
80E6 F89CA3; 0227  LDI A.O(TYPE5D) ;PLO SUB
80E9 D30A; 0228  SEP SUB; ,#0A ..LF
80EB E5; 0229  SEX PC
80EC 7000; 0230  RET,#00     ..AND USER PROGRAM
80EE ; 0231  ..BEGINS (IN RO)

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80EE ; 0232  ..EXIT TO UT4
80EE ; 0233  ..
80EE ; 0234  ..
80EE ; 0235  ..
80EE ; 0236  ..
80EE ; 0237  ..SUBROUTINES
80EE ; 0238  ..
80EE ; 0239  ..DELAY ROUTINE
80EE ; 0240  ..DELAY IS 2(1+AUX.1(3+@SUB))
80EE ; 0241  ..USED BY TYPE, READ, AND TIMALC.
80EE ; 0242  ..AUX.1 IS ASSUMED TO HOLD A DELAY CONSTANT
80EE ; 0243  ..=((BIT TIME OF TERMINAL)/
80EE ; 0244  ..(20*INSTR TIME OF COSMAC))-1.
80EE ; 0245  ..THIS CONSTANT CAN BE GENERATED
80EE ; 0246  ..AUTOMATICALLY BY THE TIMALC ROUTINE.
80EE ; 0247  ..
80EE D3; 0248  DEXIT:SEP SUB
80EF 9EF6AE; 0249  DELAY1:GHI AUX ;SHR ;PLO AUX ..SHIFT OUT
80F2 ; 0250  DELAY1:GHI AUX ;SHR ;PLO AUX ..SHIFT OUT
80F2 2E; 0251  DELAY2:DEC AUX ..AUX.0 HOLDS BASIC
80F3 ; 0252  DELAY2:DEC AUX ..AUX.0 HOLDS BASIC
80F3 43FF01; 0253  LDA SUB ;SMI #01 ..PICK UP A CONSTANT
80F6 3AF4; 0254  BNZ *-*#02 ..LOOP AS SPECIFIED
80F8 ; 0255  ..BY CALL
80F8 8E; 0256  GLO AUX ..DONE YET ?
80F9 32EE; 0257  BZ DEXIT
80FB 23; 0258  DEC SUB ..POINTS SUB
80FC ; 0259  ..AT DELAY POINTER
80FC 30F2; 0260  BR DELAY2
80FE ; 0261  ..
80FE ; 0262  ..ROUTINE TO CALCULATE BYTE TIME AND ECHO
80FE ; 0263  ..FLAG. WAITS FOR LF (NO ECHO) OR CR(ECHO)
80FE ; 0264  ..BE TYPED IN. ALSO SETS UP POINTER TO
80FE ; 0265  ..DELAY ROUTINE.
80FE ; 0266  ..AUX.1 ENDS UP HOLDING, IN THE MOST
80FE ; 0267  ..SIGNIFICANT 7 BITS, THE DELAY CONSTANT.
80FE ; 0268  ..LEAST SIGNIFICANT BIT IS 0 FOR ECHO, 1 FOR
80FE ; 0269  ..NO ECHO
80FE ; 0270  ..
80FE 93BC; 0271  TIMALC:GHI SUB ;PHI DELAY
8100 F800AEAF; 0272  LDI #00 ;PLO AUX ;PLO CHAR
8104 F8EFAC; 0273  LDI A.O(DELAY1) ;PLO DELAY
8107 ; 0274  ..DELAY ROUTINE READY
8107 3707; 0275  B4 * ..WAIT FOR START BIT
8109 3F09; 0276  BN4 * ..WAIT FOR FIRST
810B ; 0277  ..NON ZERO DATA BIT
810B F803; 0278  LDI #03 ..SET UP FOR
810D ; 0279  ..10 EXECUTIONS
810D ; 0280  ..SO ROUND-OFF IS MINIMAL
810D FF01; 0281  TC2:SMI #01

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810F 3A0D;          0282    BNZ *-#02
8111 8F;           0283    GLO CHAR
8112 ;             0284    ..LOOK TO SEE
8112 ;             0285    ..IF DATA
8112 ;             .      ..CHANGED PREVIOUSLY
8112 3A17;          0286    BNZ ZRONE
8114 3719;          0287    B4 INCR
8116 ;             0288    ..BR IF IT HAD
8116 ;             0289    ..ELSE LOO FOR
8116 1F;            0290    INC CHAR
8117 371E;          0291    ZRONE:B4 DAUX
8119 ;             0292    ..LOOK FOR CHANGE
8119 1E;            0293    INC:INC AUX
811A F807;          0294    LDI #07
811C ;             0295    ..SET UP FOR
811C 300D;          0296    ..20 INSTK. LOOP
811E ;             0297    ..AUX.O NOW HOLDS #LOOPS IN 2 BIT TIMES
811E 2E2E;          0298    DAUX:DEC AUX ;DEC AUX
8120 ;             0299    ..REDUCE COUNT
8120 ;             .      ..TO BALANCE
8120 ;             0300    ..FIXED OVERLOAD
8120 ;             0301    ..IN CALLING DELAY
8120 8EF901BE;     0302    GLO AUX ;ORI #01 ;PHI AUX ..LSB AUX.1=
.1
8124 DC0C;          0303    SEP RC; ,#0C
8126 ;             0304    ..1.5 BIT
8126 3F2C;          0305    BN4 WAIT ..BR IF LF=↑NO ECHO, LSB AUX.1=1
8128 ;             0306    ..TIME DEAY
8128 9EFAFE;       0307    GHI AUX ;ANI#FE
812B BE;            0308    PHI AUX ..CR=TECHO, LBB AUX.1=0
812C DC26;          0309    WAIT:SEP RC; ,#26
812E D5;            0310    SEP R5
812F ;             0311    ..
812F ;             0312    ..
812F ;             0313    ..
812F ;             0314    ..READ ROUTINE--READS 1 BYTE INTO CHAR.1.
812F ;             0315    ..WHEN ENTERED VIA READAH, THEN
812F ;             0316    ..IF INPUT IS A HEX DIGIT ITS HEX VALUE
812F ;             0317    ..IS SHIFTED INTO ASL FROM THE RIGHT
812F ;             0318    ..AND DF=1, ELSE DF=0; CLOBBERS CHAR, AUX.O,(ASL
812F ;             0319    ..ON READAH). LEAVES BYTE IN D (BUT CLOBBERED IF
812F ;             0320    ..SUBR LINKAGE IS USED). LEAVES PC AT READAH
812F ;             0321    ..ENTRY POINT; EXITS TO R5.
812F ;             0322    ..
812F ;             0323    ..WARNING:READ PROCESS HAS NOT FINISHED. DO
812F ;             0324    ..NOT TYPE IMMEDIATELY, OR ELSE ENTER TYPE VIA
812F ;             0325    ..TYPE5D
812F ;             0326    ..
812F ;             0327    ORG #812F
812F FC07;          0328    CKDEC:ADI #07 ..CK FOR ASCII DECIMAL INPUT

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8131 3337;          0329    BDF NFND
8133 FCOA;          0330    ADI #0A
8135 3387;          0331    BDF FND
8137 FC00;          0332    NFND:ADI #00 ..SUB NET 30
8139 9F;            0333    REXIT:GHI CHAR ..SETS DF=0
813A D5;            0334    SEP R5
813B F800;          0335    READAH:LDI #00
813D 38;            0336    SKP ..SKIP OVER TO READ1
813E 83;            0337    READ:GLO SUB ..CONSTANT WITH A VALUE ↑0
813F C8;            0338    LSKP
8140 F801;          0339    TTYRED:LDI #01
8142 AF;            0340    READ1:PLO CHAR ..SET ENTRY FLAG
8143 F880BF;        0341    READ2:LDI #80 ;PHI CHAR ..INITIALIZE
8146 ;              0342    ..INPUT BYTE
8146 ;              0343    ..WHEN SHIFTED 80
8146 ;              0344    ..IS 1, WILL BE DONE
8146 E3;            0345    SEX SUB
8147 8FF6;          0346    GLO CHAR ;SHR ..DF=1 -↑ENTRY VIA TTYRED
8149 384D;          0347    BNF TTY1:#02
814B 6780;          0348    OUT 7 ,#80 ..READER ON
814D 3F4D;          0349    BN4 * ..WAIT FOR END OF LAST DATA BIT
814F 374F;          0350    TTY1:B4 * ..WAIT FOR PRESENT START BIT
8151 DC02;          0351    SEP RC; ,#02 ..DELAY HALF BIT TIME
8153 374F;          0352    B4 TTY1 ..BR IF NO START BIT
8155 8FF6;          0353    GLO CHAR ;SHR ..ENTRY VIA TTYRED?
8157 385B;          0354    BNF NOBIT ..BR IF NO
8159 6740;          0355    OUT 7 ,#40
8156 ;              0356    ..
815B E2C4;          0357    NOBIT:SEX R2 ;NOP ..RESET X, AND DELAY
815D 9EF6;          0358    BIT:GHI AUX ;SHR ..ECHO ?
815F 3368;          0359    BDF NOECHO ..BR IF NO
8161 3766;          0360    B4 OUTBIT ..IS THE BIT A 1 ?
8163 7B;            0361    SEQ ..SET Q
8164 3068;          0362    BR NOECHO
8166 7A;            0363    OUTBIT:REO ..RESET Q
8167 C4;            0364    NOP ..DELAY
8168 DC07;          0365    NOECHO:SEP RC; ,#07 ..WAIT ONE BIT TIME
816A C4C4;          0366    NOP ;NOP ..MORE DELAY
816C 9FF6BF;        0367    GHI CHAR ;SHR ;PHI CHAR ..SHIFT
816F ;              0368    ..THE INPUT CHAR
8171 ;              0369    BDF NEXT ..BR IF INPUT FINISHED
8171 F980;          0370    ..D=CHAR.1
8173 3F58;          0371    ORI#80
8175 BF;            0372    BN4 NOBIT ..BR IF INPUT WAS A ZERO
8176 305D;          0373    PHI CHAR
8178 ;              0374    BR BIT ..CONTINUE LOOP
8178 ;              0375    ..
8178 ;              0376    ..

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8178 7A;
8179 3243;
817B ;
817B 8F;
817C 3A39;
817E 9F;
817F FF41;
8181 3B2F;
8183 FF06;
8185 3337;
8187 ;
8187 FEEFEFE;
818B FC08FE;
818E AE;
818F 8D7EAD;
8192 ;
8192 9D7EBD;
8195 ;
8195 8EFE;
8197 3A8E;
8199 3039;
819B ;
819B 4000;
819B 4001;
819B 4002;
819B 4003;
819B 4004;
819B 4005;
819B 4006;
819B 4007;
819B 4008;
819B 4009;
819B 4010;
819B 4011;
819B 4012;
819B 4013;
819B 4014;
819B 4015;
819B 4016;
819B 4017;
819C DC17;
819E 38;
819F D5;
81A0 4538;
81A2 ;
81A2 4638;
81A4 ;
81A4 9F;
81A5 AE;
81A5 AE;
0377 NEXT:REQ .OUTPUT THE STOP BIT
0378 BZ READ2 ..BR IF D=0, =CHAR.1
0379 .IS A NULL
0380 GLO CHAR ..CK ENTRY FLAG
0381 BNZ REXIT ..BR IF ENTRY WAS VIA READ
0382 GHI CHAR
0383 SMI#41 ..CK FOR ASCII HEX
0384 BNF CKDEC ..(AT TOP OF ROUTINE)
0385 SMI#06 ..CK FOR A THRU F
0386 BDF NFND
0387 ..
0388 ..
0389 FND:SHL ;SHL ;SHL ;SHL
0390 ADI#08 ;SHL
0391 FND1:PLO AUX ..READY TO SHIFT INTO RD
0392 GLO ASL ;SHLC ;PLO ASL ..SHIFT
0393 .LOW HALF
0394 GHI ASL ;SHLC ;PHI ASL ..SHIFT
0395 .HIGH HALF
0396 GLO AUX ;SHL
0397 BNZ FND1 ..BR IF NOT FINISHED
0398 BR REXIT
0399 ..TYPE ROUTINE--TYPES 1 BYTE FROM @R5!,@R6!,..OR CHAR.1, OR TYPES A BYTE AS TWO HEX DIGITS
0400 ..FROM CHAR.1 FOLLOWS A LINE FEED BY SIX NULLS.
0401 ..USES 2 AUXILIARY REGS-AUX AND CHAR-PLUS
0402 ..RAM LOCATION @ST.EXITS READY TO TYPE 1 BYTE
0403 ..FROM @R5!. EXITS TO R5
0404 ..WHEN ENTERED AT TYPE5D,PAUSES TO ALLOW AN
0405 ..EARLIER READ TO COMPLETE.
0406 ..
0407 ..
0408 ..AUX.0 HOLDS OUTPUT CHAR (AT FIRST), THEN
0409 ..THE DELAY CONSTANT BETWEEN BITS. CHAR.0 HOLDS
0410 ..THE NUMBER OF BITS (11) IN ITS LOWER DIGIT,
0411 ..AND IN ITS UPPER DIGIT HOLDS A CODE--
0412 .. 0 FOR BYTE OUTPUT
0413 .. 1 FOR FIRST HEX OUTPUT
0414 .. 2 FOR LST NULL OUTPUT
0415 .. 8 FOR LF OUTPUT
0416 ..
0417 ORG #819C
0418 TYPE5D:SEP RC; ,#17 ..3 BIT TIME DELAY
0419 SKP ..SKP TO TYPE5D
0420 TEXIT:SEP R5
0421 TYPE5:LDA R5 ;SKP ..ENTRY FOR UT4
0422 .SKIP TO TYPE
0423 TYPE6:LDA R6 ;SKP ..ENTRY FOR G.P.
0424 .IMMED TH
0425 TYPE:GHI CHAR
0426 TY1:PLO AUX ..SAVE BYTE FOR LATER
0426 TY1:PLO AUX ..SAVE BYTE FOR LATER

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81A6 FBOA;
81A8 3ABF;
81AA F88B;
81AC ;
81AC 30C1;
81AE 9F;
81AF F6F6F6F6;
81B3 ;
81B3 FCF6;
81B5 3BB9;
81B7 FC07;
81B9 FFC6AE;
81BC F81B;
81BE C8;
81BF ;
81BF F80B;
81CI AF;
81C2 ;
81C2 7B;
81C3 8E;
81C4 AD;
81C5 ;
81C5 DC07;
81C7 ;
81C7 2F;
81C8 F5;
81C9 8D76AD;
81CC ;
81CC 33D1;
81CE 7B;
81CF 30D3;
81D1 7A;
81D2 C4;
81D3 8FFAO;
81D6 C4C4;
81D8 3AC5;
81DA 8FFCFB;
81DD AF;
81DE 3B9F;
81E0 FF1B;
81E2 329F;
81E4 3BEA;
81E6 ;
81E6 F800;
81E8 30F5;
81EA ;
81EA 9FFAO;
81ED FCF6;
81EF 3BF3;
0427 XRI#0A ..IS IT LINE FEED ?
0428 BNZ TY2
0429 LDI#8B ..(# OF BITS)+(#OF NULLS
0430 .TO FOLLOW LF+1)
0431 BR TY3
0432 TYPE2:GHI CHAR ..UT4 ENTRY
0433 TY4:SHR ;SHR ;SHR ;SHR ..SHIFT FIRST
0434 .HEX TO RIGHT
0435 ADI#F6 ..CONVERT TO HEX
0436 BNF *+$04 ..IF A OR MORE
0437 ADI#07 ..ADD NET 37
0438 SMI#C6 ;PLO AUX ..ELSE ADD NET 30
0439 LDI#1B ..10+ (# OF BITS)
0440 LSKP ..EQUIV. TO BR TY3
0441 ..
0442 TY2:LDI#0B ..(# OF BITS TO OUTPUT)
0443 TY3:PLO CHAR ..SAVE MAIN TALLY VALUE
0444 ..
0445 ..
0446 BEGIN:SEQ ..START BIT
0447 GLO AUX ..GET CHAR TO BE TYPED
0448 PLO RD ..SAVE THE CHAR.
0449 ..(AUX.0 CLOBBERED)
0450 PREBIT:SEP RC; ,#07 ..WAIT ONE BIT TIME
0451 ..RETURN FROM DELAY WITH D=0
0452 DEC CHAR ..DEC THE BIT COUNTER
0453 SD ..SET DF=1
0454 GLO RD ;SHRC ;PLO RD ..SHIFT
0455 ..OUTPUT CHAR
0456 BDF OUT1B ..BR IF THE BIT IS A 1
0457 SEO ..ELSE SET Q TO ZERO
0458 BR OUT1B+$02
0459 OUT1B:REQ ..SET Q TO 1
0460 NOP ..DELAY
0461 GLO CHAR ;ANI#0F ..FINISHED TYPING ?
0462 NOP ;NOP ..DELAY(14 INSTR LOOP)
0463 BNZ PREBIT ..BR IF NOT FINISHED
0464 NXCHAR:GLO CHAR ;ADI#FB
0465 PLO CHAR ..SET UP FOR NEXT CHAR
0466 BNF TEXIT ..BUT EXIT IF NO MORE
0467 SMI#1B ..TEST FOR ALTERNATIVES
0468 BZ TEXIT ..IF JUST TYPED LST NULL
0469 BNF HEX2 ..IF JUST TYPED FIRST HEX
0470 ..JUST TYPED LF OR NULL--
0471 LDI#00 ..PREPARE TO TYPE NULL
0472 BR HX22
0473 ..
0474 HEX2:GHI CHAR ;ANI#0F ..GET 2ND HEX DIGIT
0475 ADI#F6 ..CONVERT TO HEX
0476 BNF *+$04 ..IF A MORE

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81F1 FC07;	0477	ADI#07	.. ADD NET 37
81F3 FFC6;	0478	SMI#C6	.. ELSE ALL NET 30
81F5 AE;	0479	HX22:PLO AUX	.. STORE CHAR AWAY
81F6 30C2;	0480	BR BEGIN	
81F8 ;	0481	..	
81F8 D30A;	0482	FSYNER:SEP SUB; ,#0A	.. LF
81FA D33F;	0483	SEP SUB; ,#3F	..?
81FC C08039;	0484	LBR START	
81FF ;	0485	END	
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TABLE 1

## UT4 REGISTER UTILIZATION

REGISTER NAME	REGISTER NUMBER	FUNCTION and COMMENTS
PTER	R0}	Altered by UT4 while storing registers.
CL	R1}	
SUB	R3	Program counter for all READ, all TYPE, and TIMALC routines.
PC	R5	Program counter for UT4, which calls the routines above.
DELAY	RC	Program counter for the DELAY routine. Points to DELAY1 in memory.
ASL	RD	Assembled into by READAH (input hex digits).
AUX	RE	AUX.1 holds time constant and echo bit. AUX.0 is used by all READ and TYPE routines and by TIMALC.
CHAR	RF	CHAR.1 holds input/output ASCII character. CHAR.0 is used by all READ and TYPE routines
CHAR	RF	CHAR.1 holds input/output ASCII character. CHAR.0 is used by all READ and TYPE routines and by TIMALC.

TABLE 2

## ENTRY POINTS FOR UT4 SUBROUTINES

ENTRY NAME	ABSOLUTE ADDRESS	FUNCTION and COMMENTS
READ	813E	Input ASCII → CHAR.1, D (if non-standard linkage).
READAH	813B	Same as READ. If hex character, DIGIT → ASL (see text).
TTYRED	8140	Same as READ. Controls paper tape reader (see text).
TYPE5D	819C	1.5-bit delay. Then TYPE5 function.
TYPE5	81A0	Output ASCII character at M(R5). Then increment R5.
TYPE6	81A2	Output ASCII character at M(R6). Then increment R6.
TYPE	81A4	Output ASCII character at CHAR.1.
TYPE2	81AE	Output hex digit pair in CHAR.1.
TIMALC	80FE	Read input character and set up control byte in AUX.1. Initialize RC to point to DELAY1.
DELAY1	80EF	Delay, as function of M(R3) (see text). Then R3+1 → R3.

## NOTES:

1. All routines except DELAY use R3 as program counter, exit with SEP5, and alter registers X, D, DF, AUX, and CHAR.
2. DELAY routine uses RC as program counter, exits with SEP3 after incrementing R3, and alters register X, D, DF, and AUX.
3. READ and READAH exit with R3 pointing back at READAH.
4. All five TYPE routines exit with R3 pointing at TYPE5.
5. As indicated in Table 3-I, ASL = RD, AUX = RE, and CHAR = RF.
6. As indicated in Table 3-I, ASL = RD, AUX = RE, and CHAR = RF.

### OUTPUT ROUTINE USING UT4

The monitor program UT4 includes all the software to use the "software" UART with EF4 and Q line, not only for the monitor program, but as well these subroutines can be called by user programs. This is very useful, for example, to send messages to the terminal during program execution.

#### Description of the program :

1. At the first instruction, interrupts have to be disabled as the whole timing is via counters that cannot be interrupted (line 9).
2. The TYPE subroutine comes back with a SEP 5 instruction, which means it has to be called from a program running in R5 as PC (10-12).
3. A DELAY counter has to be initialized (14-15).
4. Timing constant and echo bit have to be loaded (17-18).
5. The text pointer has to be prepared, pointing to the text bytes at add #0036 (20-21).
6. A call of subroutine at #819C gets the timing right (23-25).
7. Now the output routine starts with preparing R3 to 81A4 (27).
8. Now the first ASCII character is loaded via R6 in D and then to RF.1, where the subroutine TYPE gets the byte from (28).  
... (29), .

9. Branch now if this byte in D is #00, which means end of string (29,43).
10. If it is not #00, do a SEP 3 and call the TYPE routine (30).
11. TYPE exits with a SEP 5 which means the program continues at location #002B and branches back to OUTPUT (31).
12. If the string has been sent a delay routine is initialized and when it has finished, the same string is sent again.