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PDP-8/E EXTENDED MEM  
PARITY TEST

ABSTRACT

THE PDP-8/E EXTENDED MEMORY PARITY CHECKERBOARD DIAGNOSTIC IS DESIGNED TO DETECT PARITY FAILURES ON HALF-SELECTED LINES UNDER WORST CASE NOISE CONDITIONS. THE WORST CASE PATTERN PROVIDED WILL GENERATE WORST CASE NOISE CONDITIONS IN ALL PDP-8/E PARITY STACKS. ALSO, THE PARITY ERROR INTERRUPT AND THE PARITY DATA DECODING CIRCUITS ARE CHECKED FOR PROPER OPERATION. THIS PROGRAM WILL TEST SYSTEMS EQUIPPED WITH PARITY AND FROM 8K TO 32K WORDS OF CORE MEMORY. AUTOMATIC PROGRAM RELOCATION IS PROVIDED FOR ERROR IDENTIFICATION, AND THE OPERATOR IS GIVEN A DEGREE OF CONTROL OVER THE PROGRAM BY VARIOUS SR SETTINGS.

REQUIREMENTS

A PDP-8/E COMPUTER EQUIPPED WITH MEMORY PARITY AND AT LEAST 8K OF CORE MEMORY.

STORAGE = THIS PROGRAM OCCUPIES CORE LOCATION 0000 - 5177 AND 6400  
= 6630 OCTAL.

LOADING = BINARY LOADER

STARTING PROCEDURE

SET THE SR TO THE INSTRUCTION FIELD AND DATA FIELD OF THE STACK WHICH CONTAINS THE PROGRAM.  
PRESS KEY EXT D ADDR LOAD.  
SET THE SR EQUAL TO 0200.  
PRESS KEYS ADDR LOAD, CLEAR, AND CONT. A SETUP SR MESSAGE WILL BE PRINTED.  
SET THE SR FOR DESIRED OPERATION.  
PRESS KEY CONT.

PRINTOUTS = YES

SWITCH REGISTER OPTIONS = YES

SWITCH	0 (DOWN)	1 (UP)
SR00	CONTINUE AFTER ERROR	HALT AFTER ERROR
SR01	TYPEOUT ERRORS	INHIBIT ERROR TYPEOUTS
SR02	NORMAL	TTY BELL ON ERROR
SR03	RELOCATE PROGRAM	INHIBIT PROGRAM RELOCATION
SR04	NORMAL	CHANGE STACK LIMITS
SR05	NORMAL	HALT AFTER CURRENT TEST
SR06-08	STARTING STACK LIMIT (0-7)	
SR09-11	ENDING STACK LIMIT (0-7)	

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LS8E LINE PRINTER TEST

ABSTRACT

THE LINE PRINTER DIAGNOSTIC TEST PROGRAM IS DESIGNED TO TEST FOR CORRECT OPERATION OF THE CONTROL INTERFACE AND CORRECT CHARACTER GENERATION OF THE CENTRONICS MODEL 101 LINE PRINTER. THE NORMAL FLOW OF THIS DIAGNOSTIC PROGRAM IS TO SEQUENTIALLY TEST FIVE SECTIONS, WHEN A TEST SECTION IS ENTERED THE TITLE OF THE TEST SECTION WILL BE PRINTED ON THE TELETYPE.

REQUIREMENTS

ANY OF THESE PROCESSORS: PDP-8,8/I,8/L,8E OR PDP 12  
CENTRONICS MODEL 101 LINE PRINTER  
LS8E CONTROL INTERFACE  
TELETYPE-ASCII KEYBOARD PRINTER

LOADING = BINARY LOADER

STARTING PROCEDURE

LOAD LINE PRINTER WITH LINE PRINTER PAPER  
TURN ON POWER BY PRESSING ON/OFF SWITCH  
SWITCH SHOULD LIGHT UP AFTER HAVING BEEN PRESSED;  
AT THIS POINT ALL OTHER LIGHTS SHOULD BE OFF.  
PRESS SELECT SWITCH  
SELECT SWITCH SHOULD LIGHT UP AFTER HAVING BEEN PRESSED,  
SELECT STARTING ADDRESS AND LOAD ADDRESS (START 0200)  
PRESS START  
(FOR A PDP-8/E: START=CLEAR; THEN CONT.)  
PROGRAM WILL HALT AT ADDRESS 422;  
AT THIS TIME SELECT A PROCESSOR AND ALL OTHER SWITCHES  
(SEE SWITCH SETTINGS)  
PRESS CONTINUE

PRINTOUTS = YES

SWITCH REGISTER OPTIONS = YES

SW0=0 DO ONE PASS OF COMPLETE TEST AND HLT  
SW0=1 LOOP ON COMPLETE TEST

SW1=0 PRINT ERROR MESSAGE  
SW1=1 INHIBIT ERROR MESSAGE PRINT OUT

SW2=0 DON'T LOOP ON CURRENT TEST  
SW2=1 LOOP ON CURRENT TEST

SW3=0 NORMAL TEST FLOW  
SW3=1 REPEAT CURRENT TEST SECTION

SW4=0 NORMAL TEST FLOW  
SW4=1 HLT AFTER COMPLETION OF SELECTED PRINT TEST

PROCESSOR SELECTION SWITCHES

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001 PDP-8 OR PDP-8/I  
010 PDP-8/L  
011 PDP-12  
100 PDP-8/E

TEST SECTION INHIBIT SWITCHES

SW8=0 DO THE BASIC IOT TEST  
SW8=1 INHIBIT BASIC ITO TEST  
  
SW9=0 DO THE FORMAT CONTROL CHARACTER TESTS  
SW9=1 INHIBIT FORMAT CONTROL CHARACTER TESTS  
  
SW10=0 DO THE CHARACTER PRINT TESTS  
SW10=1 INHIBIT CHARACTER PRINT TESTS  
  
SW11=0 DO THE TIMING TESTS  
SW11=1 INHIBIT TIMING TESTS

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RK8E DISKLESS CONTROL TEST

ABSTRACT

THE RK8E DISKLESS CONTROL TEST IS DESIGNED FOR THE PURPOSE OF CHECKOUT OF THE RK8E DISK CONTROL LOGIC NOT REQUIRING THE USE OF THE DISK DRIVE. THIS TEST SHOULD BE RUN WITH ALL EXISTING DRIVES SET TO THE LOAD POSITION.

REQUIREMENTS

PDP-8/E COMPUTER  
AT LEAST 4K OF READ/WRITE MEMORY  
ASR-33 TELETYPE OR EQUIVALENT  
RK8E DISK CONTROL  
RK05 DISK DRIVE

STORAGE - THE PROGRAM UTILIZES OR OCCUPIES LOCATIONS 0000 TO 7577 OF THE CURRENT FIELD.

STARTING PROCEDURE

REGULAR DISKLESS CONTROL TEST

SET THE SWITCH LABELED "RUN/LOAD" TO THE "LOAD" POSITION ON ALL DRIVES

SET THE SWITCH LABELED "ON/OFF" TO THE "ON" POSITION ON ALL DRIVES.

SET THE SWITCH REGISTER TO 0200 AND PRESS LOAD ADDRESS.

SET THE SWITCH REGISTER TO 0000.

SET SW9=1 TO THE AMOUNT OF EXTENDED R/W MEMORY BANKS AND START THE COMPUTER RUNNING.

SET SW1=1 IF THE OPERATOR DESIRES TO INHIBIT THE END OF TEST HALT AT LOCATION "ENDHLT".

SW4=1 SHOULD ALWAYS BE USED TO STOP THE PROGRAM.

THE PROGRAM SHOULD PRINT THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE AT THE COMPLETION OF EACH SUCCESSFUL PASS APPROX. EVERY 3.5 MINUTES.