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PREFACE

Tektronix GPIB instruments are designed to go beyond GPIB compatibility to enhance the GPIB capability of instrument functions you choose for your system. To accomplish this, Tektronix instruments on the bus use common codes and formats. As a result, the software interface between controller, instruments, and you, the user, can be more efficient. System integration and application programming can be faster and easier.

This manual is intended to help you realize these benefits. The sections that follow contain instructions and program examples that are the software equivalent of the GPIB cable you use to make electrical connection between the controller and instruments in your system. With this manual you can make the software connection between the pieces of your system.

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SECTION 1

GETTING STARTED

One of the benefits possible by choosing Tektronix instruments when you configure a GPIB system is reduced time from shipping cartons to an operating system. This section has that in mind by: 1) Introducing the concepts designed into Tektronix instruments for easier programming, and 2) Listing programs you can enter and run for fast results.

Hardware and Software Compatibility

To meet the objectives of both easier user programming and flexible system configuration, Tektronix has developed a standard for codes and formats. This standard puts GPIB instrument control into terms that are very close to self-explanatory while placing as few constraints as possible on how the designer chooses to implement instrument functions.

This standard was used to coordinate the design of the new TM 5000 Series of instruments and Tektronix' IEEE-488 line of digitizing oscilloscopes, spectrum analyzers, transient digitizers, and other products. This means you need to learn only one format, BASIC syntax, and a uniform set of codes. There is a common message structure for all the system's instruments. This contrasts with a typical systems programmer's problem of dealing with half a dozen different sets of format and syntax, or having to write half a dozen software drivers to translate them into a common format.

Status and error reporting is handled the same way by all instruments. This allows common support subroutines and fewer program modifications to follow system changes.

Program source code is high-level, and instrument commands are in "engineering English." (See the command list in the Appendix for examples.) Selecting commands is like selecting front panel controls: commands equal front panel labels, which equal the engineering terms commonly used for those functions. For example, a typical command string to the function generator might be "FUNCTION SQUARE; FREQUENCY 1500; OFFSET 2.2; AMPLITUDE 4.5; SYMMETRY 15." Not only are the commands simple to remember, but the program listings are readable and self-documenting. This is particularly important when you or someone else picks up the program listing later and wants to understand what the program does. There is even a provision for "programming in reverse." The LEARN mode permits someone more used to instrument operation than programming to "write" a program by setting front panel controls for the desired conditions and then, with a single keystroke, converting the configuration into error-free program instructions.

Flexible Instrumentation Through Modular Design

To meet the objective of flexible system configuration, the TM 5000 line provides compactness and flexibility built up of plug-in instrumentation modules with common dimensions and interface characteristics. The TM 5000 Series of fully programmable IEEE-488 instruments is based on the TM 500 concept and on plug-in concepts pioneered by Tektronix through several generations of oscilloscopes.

This integrated set of modular instruments has the convenience and appearance of a compact monolithic system, while retaining the configuration flexibility and expandability of separate instruments. TM 5000 instruments are not only modular, but compact and lightweight. These features allow small systems to be used in confined spaces and at remote locations. Programmable instrument systems are particularly appropriate for many such applications because their features permit lightly skilled operators to perform relatively complex maintenance and test procedures under software guidance and control.

Instruments in the TM 5000 Series

The initial set of TM 5000 Series instrument modules includes: a 135-MHz universal counter/timer; a 350-MHz universal counter/timer; a "smart" digital multimeter; an extremely flexible 20-MHz function generator, and a triple power supply that furnishes the entire range of commonly used voltages. All are IEEE-488 compatible and all are microprocessor-based designs.

Every front-panel function--even features such as AC/DC coupling and trigger level--is programmable via the IEEE-488 bus. A major convenience common to all these Tektronix TM 5000 Series instruments is the ability to read each instrument's primary address in its front panel digital display by pushing an INST ID button on the front panel. This eliminates having to locate a DIP switch tucked away behind or inside an instrument, then decoding its binary code into its decimal equivalent.

All the instruments, when first powered up, go through an extensive self-test and diagnostic routine to check the health of ROM, RAM, I/O, and the functionality of other blocks. If no internal error is found, the instrument enters the local state with a standard set of default settings. In addition, SRQ on the IEEE-488 bus is asserted to let the controller know that the instrument is on-line.

If an internal error should be discovered, an error code is immediately displayed on the instrument front panel, which would lead, with the help of the instrument's instruction manual, to the location of the specific problem. The self-test routine of any instrument can later be triggered at any time from the controller by the simple command "TEST".

Device-Dependent Messages

The Tektronix Codes and Formats standard defines a message to be a complete block of information. It begins when a device starts sending data and ends when EOI is sent or received concurrently with the last data byte. Because an instrument sending a message may be interrupted by the controller taking control, perhaps conducting a serial poll, when the instrument becomes a talker again, it should resume sending the message. Thus, a message is a complete block that begins when a device enters the talker active state following a reset or a previously sent EOI and ends with EOI.

There is a further refinement to the message convention. When a device is made a talker, it should always say something. If it has nothing to say, it sends a byte of all ones concurrent with EOI. This prevents tying up the GPIB while the controller waits for a device to talk that will never send a message. Measurement instruments, such as the DM 5010 Programmable Digital Multimeter, interpret the "talked with nothing to say" condition as a request for data and output a reading.

Device dependent messages are ASCII characters. The message syntax unit for a settings command is:

HEADER <S PACE > ARGUMENT ;

Example: OUTPUT ON;

The header is a mnemonic for a function. The ";" delimits a message unit so more than one may be sent in a message (it is optional at the end of a message). Each message unit denotes a front panel function or system function; any number of message units may be sent together. Tektronix instruments do not finish syntax checking until the last byte of the entire message is received. The settings are then executed only when no errors or settings conflicts are found. If an error is found, the instrument asserts the SRQ line and reports an appropriate status byte. The message is discarded if errors are found, even if an error occurs in only one message unit. Under no circumstances should a device execute a message it does not understand. Some non-Tektronix devices do not follow this convention--with disastrous results. (A particular power supply can be sent four letter O's instead of four zeros, a common human mistake, and this supply will go to its maximum voltage output instead of the intended zero volts.)

Problems can be created by instruments which execute each individual command as received. For example, a programmable high-voltage power supply that can be set as high as 1000 V is set to 10 V out with a current limit of 2A, then is sent the message "VOLTS 1000, CURR 10E-03", that is, 1000 volts output limited at 10 mA. If the supply goes to 1000 V output immediately upon receiving the first part of the message while the current limit is still 2 A, the value from the previous setting, the supply is likely to crowbar or damage the equipment connected to it. For proper operation, the programmer would have to change the current setting first, and then change the voltage in a separate message. The power supply should wait until the entire message is received before executing any command in the message, as do Tektronix instruments. Then, it should execute all commands in the message at once so they are order independent.

Status Reporting

While the IEEE 488 standard defines a service request function for an instrument to send a status byte to the controller, the standard does not define the meaning of the bits except for bit 7. (Bit 7 means that a device is, or is not, requesting service.) Because there is a common need for instruments to report certain kinds of status or errors to the controller, Tektronix defines a status byte convention for this. One common need is for instruments to report if they are busy or ready (assigned to bit 5). Another common need is for instruments to report if they are encountering abnormal conditions (assigned to bit 6).

There are more complex conditions besides busy/ready or normal/abnormal. These are listed in the Appendix. While these status bytes are generally useful for most purposes, certain instruments may have conditions that are peculiar to them. Bit 8 is used to indicate that the status byte is not the common type but particular to an instrument.

Standard coding for the status byte enhances user programming. Because the instruments have common status byte coding, a common status byte handling routine is written for all instruments, not a separate one for each.

Beyond the status byte reported during a serial poll, more information is available to the programmer through the use of queries. Queries instruct Tektronix instruments to send back specified information. For example: "ERR?" sent to a Tektronix instrument prompts the reply "ERR <NUM>;" when the instrument is talk addressed. In the case of "ERR?", the reponse defines the particular cause of an SRQ, whose general type is reported in the status byte.

Queries take the form of a Header followed by a question mark.

HEADER?

Some other queries and their uses are:

ID? makes an instrument identify itself by sending information as to instrument type, model number, firmware version, etc. This feature is useful for identifying a particular device for self-configuring systems and interrupt handling.

SET? requests an instrument to send the computer its present settings and other current state information. Sending this information back to the instrument at a later time returns the instrument to the state it was in when it received SET? This query makes it possible to develope a program using an instrument's front panel in a LEARN mode as discussed above.

Defining a standard way to obtain output from Tektronix instruments is more than a convenience. When all instruments use the same form to perform similar functions, you only have to learn one convention, not many, making your programs simpler and faster to write.

A Learn Mode Program

Here's a program that uses the "SET?" command to obtain up to five setups from a TM 5000 instrument. To try it out:

1. Enter the program on a 4050-Series Controller. Change the number "22" in line 140 if you intend to operate this program with an instrument whose GPIB address is other than 22. The factory-set addresses for TM 5000 instruments are: 16=DM 5010, 18=DC 5009, 20=DC 5010, 22=PS 5010, and 24=FG 5010.

2. Connect a single TM 5000 instrument to the controller with a GPIB cable (one mainframe with one plug-in).

3. Turn on instrument power.

4. Type RUN and press RETURN.

100 REM [High level learn mode program] 110 INIT 120 ON SRQ THEN 700 130 DIM A\$(300), B\$(300), C\$(300), D\$(300), E\$(300), G\$(300), S\$(300) 140 P=22 150 PRINT @P:"USER ON" 160 PAGE 170 PRINT 180 PRINT "This program allows you to store up to five front panel "; 190 PRINT "settings." 200 PRINT 210 PRINT "Press the INST ID button to store the front panel settings." 220 PRINT ***** Send settings to the controller ***** 230 REM 240 FOR I=1 TO 5 250 PRINT " READY FOR FRONT PANEL SET-UP #";I 260 WAIT 270 IF S<>67 THEN 260 280 PRINT @P:"SET?" 290 INPUT @P:S\$ 300 GO TO I OF 310,330,350,370,390 310 A\$=S\$ 320 GO TO 410 330 B\$=S\$ 340 GO TO 410 350 C\$=S\$ 360 GO TO 410 370 D\$=S\$ 380 GO TO 410 390 E\$=S\$ 400 GO TO 410 410 NEXT I

420 REM ***** Send stored settings back to the instrument ***** 430 PRINT 440 PRINT "Press INST ID button to send the stored settings back." 450 PRINT 460 FOR J=1 TO 5 470 WAIT 480 IF S<>67 THEN 470 490 PRINT "STORED SETTINGS #"; J; ":" 500 GO TO J OF 510,540,570,600,630 510 PRINT @P:A\$ 520 PRINT A\$ 530 GO TO 660 540 PRINT @P:B\$ 550 PRINT B\$ 560 GO TO 660 570 PRINT @P:C\$ 580 PRINT C\$ 590 GO TO 660 600 PRINT @P:D\$ 610 PRINT D\$ 620 GO TO 660 630 PRINT @P:E\$ 640 PRINT E\$ 650 GO TO 660 660 PRINT 670 NEXT J 680 PRINT @P:"USER OFF" 690 END 700 REM ***** SRQ Service routine ***** 710 POLL D,S;P 720 RETURN

A Talk/Listen Routine

This program allows you to converse with TM 5000 instruments, prompting you to enter the instrument address and commands. The program handles all other details to establish communication and print the results.

To use this program:

1. Enter the program, changing the address list in line 250 to include only those instruments in the system.

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2. Connect the instruments to the GPIB.

3. Turn on power.

4. Type RUN and press RETURN.

100 INIT 110 ON SRQ THEN 250 120 DIM 0\$(200), P\$(200) 130 PRINT "JITM 5000 TALKER/LISTENER ProgramG" - 140 PRINT "JENTER ADDRESS (1-30) OF INSTRUMENT TO TALK TO: "; 150 INPUT O 160 PRINT "ENTER MESSAGE TO INSTRUMENT: ": 170 INPUT OS 180 PRINT @0:0\$ 190 IF POS(0\$,"?",1) OR POS(0\$,"SEND",1) THEN 210 200 GO TO 140 210 INPUT @O:P\$ 220 PRINT 230 PRINT "Response = ";P\$ 240 GO TO 140 250 POLL Q, R; 16; 18; 20; 22; 24 260 PRINT "JIISTATUS BYTE = ";R 270 PRINT @O:"ERR?" 280 INPUT @O:P\$ 290 PRINT "JIIERROR CODE = ";P\$ 300 RETURN

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SECTION 2

4050 GCS CONTROLLERS

The 4050 GRAPHIC COMPUTING SYSTEMS (4051, 4052, 4054) are well known for their capabilities as desktop graphic computers. Not so well known are their capabilities as IEEE 488 (GPIB) instrument controllers.

The 4052 and 4054 integrate a high-speed bit slice microcomputer, a high-resolution graphics display, 300K bytes of magnetic tape mass storage, and a GPIB interface in a single compact unit.

The 4051 is a lower cost, lower performance GCS controller featuring the same language mass storage and GPIB interface capability as the 4052 and 4054.

The 4050 SERIES GRAPHIC COMPUTING SYSTEMS all provide powerful hardware, supported by an enhanced version of easy-to-learn 4050 BASIC. 4050 BASIC incorporates a flexible I/O structure that allows simple addressing of GPIB instruments and peripherals. It also includes extensions for signal processing, graphics, and GPIB control.

The intent of this section is to provide 4050 GCS programming information which is specific to instrument control. The major topics are:

- * 4050 GCS controller IEEE 488 capabilities
- * GPIB Input/Output
- * Interrupt handling
- * Interrupt handling statements
- * Utility routines

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* 4052/GPIB send and receive program

Some of the application examples use routines such as CALL "WAIT" built into the 4052 and 4054 but not the 4051. These examples must be modified to run on a 4051.

The 4050 GRAPHIC COMPUTING SYSTEMS will be referred to as 4050 SYSTEM CONTROLLERS.

Users should have a firm understanding of the 4050 series Input/Output operations before continuing.

For additional detailed information on 4050 BASIC or the GPIB refer to the 4050 SERIES GRAPHIC SYSTEMS REFERENCE MANUAL and the IEEE 488-1978 Standard, respectively.

4050-SERIES GPIB CAPABILITY

GPIB Interface Compatibility In Detail

The 4050 SERIES CONTROLLERS fall into the following interface function subsets as defined in IEEE Standard 488-1978:

Section 2.3 SH (Source Handshake Function)

SH1 -- completely compatible to guarantee the proper transfer of multiline messages. This function utilizes the DAV, NRFD, and NDAC handshake lines to effect each message byte transfer.

Section 2.4 AH (Acceptor Handshake Function)

AH1 -- completely compatible to guarantee the proper reception of remote multiline messages. This function utilizes the DAV, NRFD, and NDAC handshake lines to effect each message byte transfer.

Section 2.5 T (Talker Function)

TE3 -- basic extended talker, however, the 4050 SERIES CONTROLLER addresses itself internally and not over the GPIB. (T3--to the outside world).

Section 2.6 L (Listener Function)

LE1 -- basic extended listener, however, the 4050 SERIES CONTROLLER addresses itself internally and not over the GPIB. (L1--to the outside world).

Section 2.7 SR (Service Request Function) SRO -- no capability to issue SRQ.

Section 2.8 RL (Remote Local Function) RLO -- no capability.

Section 2.9 PP (Parallel Poll Function) PPO -- no capability.

Section 2.10 DC (Device Clear Function) DCO -- no capability. Section 2.11 DT (Device Trigger Function) DTO -- no capability.

Section 2.12 C (Controller Function)

- Cl -- System controller
- C2 -- Sends IFC and takes charge
- C3 -- Sends REN
- C4 -- Responds to SRQ
- C28 -- Sends Interface Messages

Controller Function Considerations

Signal Attention (ATN)

This signal line is activated by the controller when peripheral devices are being assigned as listeners and talkers. Only peripheral addresses and control messages can be transferred over the data bus when ATN is active low (asserted). After ATN goes high (unasserted), only those peripheral devices which are assigned as listeners and talkers can take part in the data transfer. The 4050 SERIES CONTROLLER assumes it is the only source of this signal.

Service Request (SRQ)

Any peripheral device on the GPIB can request the attention of the controller by setting SRQ active low. The controller can respond by setting ATN active low and executing a serial poll to see which device is requesting service. This response to the SRQ interrupt is enabled by an ON SRQ THEN statement which is executed in the BASIC program. The serial poll is taken by executing the POLL statement. After the device requesting service is found, BASIC program control can be transferred to a service routine for that device. When the service routine is finished executing, program control returns to the main program. The device requesting service unasserts the SRQ line when polled. At least half of the devices connected to the GPIB must be turned on to prevent a spurious SRQ signal.

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Interface Clear (IFC)

The IFC signal line is activated by the controller when it wants to place all interface circuitry in a predetermined quiescent state. The 4050 SERIES CONTROLLER assumes that it is the only source of this signal. IFC is activated momentarily at power up and each time the INIT statement is executed.

Remote Enable (REN)

The REN signal line is activated whenever the system is operating under program control. REN enables devices on the GPIB to ignore their front panel controls and respond to control messages received over the GPIB.

End or Identify (EOI)

The EOI signal can be used by the talker to indicate the end of a data transfer sequence. The talker activates EOI as the last byte is transmitted. When the controller is listening, it assumes that a data byte received with EOI is the last byte in the transmission. When the controller is talking, it can activate EOI concurrent with the last byte.

4050-SERIES GPIB INPUT/OUTPUT

Addressing

The IEEE 488-1978 Standard defines the basic addressing scheme for GPIB instruments by specifying how a device's listen address (MLA), talk address (MTA), and the secondary address (MSA) are established based on the primary address. However, it leaves several options open to the instrument designer, so it is important to know the individual addressing requirements for the instruments in your system.

All GPIB instruments must be set to a primary address within the range of 1 to 30. The 4050 SERIES CONTROLLER reserves address zero for itself and cannot address a GPIB device at that address.

Some instruments use one or more secondary addresses for subfunctions or parts of the instrument. These secondary addresses are also set within the range of 1 to 30. Other addresses are reserved for devices within the 4050 SERIES CONTROLLER. All instruments on the bus must have different addresses to assure proper data transfer.

All GPIB devices and peripherals (internal and external) are addressed in the same way. For example, the PRINT statement can write data on the screen, on the internal magnetic tape, or send ASCII data to an external GPIB interface device. The difference is the address specified in the statement.

The primary and secondary addresses are converted to the appropriate "absolute" MTA, MLA, or MSA by virtue of a specific 4050 BASIC I/O statement.

These 4050 BASIC I/O statements consist of PRINT and INPUT for high level data transfer and WBYTE and RBYTE for direct data line control and interface control.

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TABLE 2-1 GENERAL PURPOSE INTERFACE BUS ADDRESSES

GPIB PRIMARY and SECONDARY ADDRESSES			
DEVICE #	LISTEN ADDRESS	TALK ADDRESS	SECONDARY ADDRESS
# 0	32	64	96
# 1	33	65	97
# 2	34	66	98
# 3	35	67	99
# 4	36	68	100
\$5	37	69	101
\$ 6	38	70	102
# 7	39	71	103
\$8	40	72	104
\$9	41	73	105
# 10	42	74	106
# 11	43	75	107
# 12	44	76	108
# 13	45	77	109
# 14	46	78	110
# 15	47	79	111
# 16	48	80	112
# 17	49	81	113
# 18	50	82	114
# 19	51	83	115
# 20	52	84	116
# 21	53	85	117
# 22	54	86	118
# 23	55	87	119
# 24	56	88	120
# 25	57	89	121
# 26	58	90	122
# 27	59	91	123
# 28	60	92	124
# 29	61	93	125
# 30	62	94	126
# 31	63	95	127

High-Level Output--The PRINT Statement

Purpose

The PRINT statement outputs data items to a specified GPIB device in ASCII code. If a device address is not specified, then the ASCII data is sent to the 4050 display by default. (This default address is 32,12.)



Explanation

Like all 4050 BASIC I/O statements, the PRINT statement provides for an optional I/O address. This primary address selects a peripheral device to receive the ASCII data.

GPIB primary addresses (1-30) are automatically converted to Listen Addresses. The controller listen addresses the instrument, handshakes all ASCII data items listed in the PRINT statement, asserts EOI with the last byte, and then untalks and unlistens all devices on the bus.

Special Case--The Default Secondary Address

If no secondary address is specified, secondary address 12 (MSA 108) is assumed and will be automatically sent after the primary listen address:

PRINT @24:"FREQ 1ØE3"

sends MLA 56 (32+24), MSA 108 (96+12) to listen address device #24 (secondary address 12 is automatically sent).

To suppress this default secondary address, specify 32 as the secondary address in the PRINT statement:

PRINT @24, 32:"FREQ 1ØE3"

sends only listen address 56 for device #24; the secondary address is suppressed by using secondary address 32.

TM 5000 instruments (and most others without extended listener capabilities) will accept either of the above cases.

The 7912AD illustrates the use of secondary addressing capabilities.

PRINT @1,1:"V/D 5"

sends MLA 33, MSA 97 (96+1) for device #1 (7912AD), secondary address #1 (7912AD default MSA of \emptyset +1=MSA for 7A16P Programmable Amplifier).

Sending Device Dependent Messages with PRINT

The following examples illustrate how the PRINT statement is used to send ASCII coded device dependent messages.

1. To send a literal message to device #24, the FG 5010 Function Generator at its factory-set address:

PRINT @24:"FREQ 2.ØE+7"

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The message in quotes must contain a valid ASCII coded and formatted message for the device which has been addressed. See the Appendix for a list of TM 5000 instrument commands. 2. String variables can be predefined before being sent to a device:

A\$="FREQ 2.ØE+7" PRINT @24:A\$

3. Numeric variables can be defined and used with either literal strings (a) or string variables (b) to complete a message:

- (a) N=10 PRINT @24:"AMPL ";N

In (a), the semicolon suppresses extra spaces between data items.

In (b), the second semicolon suppresses an automatic carriage return after the last data item. A space ("AMPL ") must separate the data items. As an alternative, a comma may be used to guarantee a space between the command header ("AMPL") and the argument N. (Actually, the comma causes a number of spaces, but TM 5000 instruments disregard them.)

4. Multiple message units can be strung together into one complex message with the use of message unit delimiters defined by the device being addressed. Tektronix Codes and Formats specifies a semicolon.

PRINT @24:"FREQ 2.ØE+7; AMPL 10"

In this case, both the frequency and amplitude on device #24 are executed with one ASCII string.

5. To combine literal string and variables in a complex message be aware of the differences between the use of 4050 BASIC delimiters and their functions and where device dependent message unit delimiters are used. Example 4 could also be sent in the following format:

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F=2.ØI	E+7	
PRINT	@24:"FREQ ";F;	"; AMPL 10"
	suppress	message unit delimiter
	extra	for "FREQ 2.ØE+7:"
	SDACAS	

or

F=2.ØE+7 A\$="AMPL " N=10PRINT @24:"FREQ ";F;";";A\$;N suppress suppress extra extra spaces spaces

message limit delimiter

High Level Input--The INPUT Statement

Purpose

The INPUT statement is used to input ASCII data from a peripheral device. Data is assigned to the numeric or string variables in the order listed in the INPUT statement. The occurrence of a specific End-of-Record character (default CR) or End-of-File character is used to delimit the ASCII data as it is assigned to string variables. Numeric variables have values assigned to them which are legal numbers detected in the ASCII data being received (all other ASCII data is discarded).

Syntax Form:	
[Line number] INP I/O address array variable string variable numeric variable [array variable string variable	}]
Descriptive Form:	
[Line number] INPUT [I/O address] target variables for incoming	ners and so
data items which are formatted in ASCII code	CONTRACTOR

The primary and secondary addresses are converted to MTA and MSA automatically. ASCII data input terminates when one of several conditions occurs:

1. When EOI occurs and the last target variable listed in the INPUT statement has a value assigned to it. If the instrument is through sending data and asserts EOI before data has been assigned to the last target variable, the controller will leave the device talk addressed even though no additional data is forthcoming.

NOTE

There is no "time-out" for this condition and the program "hangs" on the INPUT statement.

2. When the Record Separator character is encountered before the last ASCII data item is sent.

3. When the End-of-File character is encountered in the ASCII data (default is binary equivalent of decimal 255).

In cases 2 and 3, the controller may untalk and unlisten the bus before the talker has asserted EOI. The talker may still have data to transmit the next time it is addressed to talk.

Receiving Device Dependent Data

Receiving device-dependent data can be illustrated by using the query response capability of TM 5000 Series instruments.

Queries are commands that request information such as settings. The INPUT statement supplies the talk address, reads the data, and stores it in a variable.

> DIM S\$(300) PRINT @22:"SET?" INPUT @22:S\$ PRINT "SETTINGS=";S\$

In this case, the INPUT statement stored ASCII data in the string variable S\$; S\$ was dimensioned larger than the expected response (the 4050 Series default string dimension is 72 characters).

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The same format is used to receive discrete setting data.

PRINT @22:"VPOS?;IPOS?" INPUT @22:V\$

Here the response would be VPOS <NUM>;IPOS <NUM> which is less than 72 characters and need not be dimensioned.

If the number argument is all you wish to obtain from the response, specify a numeric variable:

> PRINT @22:"VPOS?;IPOS?" INPUT @22:V,I PRINT "V= ";V,"I= ";I

The numeric variable V contains the programmed value of the positive voltage setting and I contains the programmed value of the positive current setting.

An alternate method for storing numeric data is to dimension an array large enough to store each expected response and specify its position in the array.

> DIM V(2,2) PRINT @22:"VPOS?;IPOS?;VNEG?;INEG?" INPUT @22:V(1,1),V(1,2),V(2,1),V(2,2) PRINT V

The example shows the numeric value of the positive supply's programmed voltage to be in row 1, column 1, and the positive current supply's programmed value to be in row 1, column 2. The negative supply data is stored in row 2 of the array.

The INPUT statement's high level method of talk addressing is also used to receive measurement data:

> PRINT @16: "SEND" INPUT @16: M1

Device #16 represents the DM 5010 at its factory-set address. The "SEND" command tells the DM 5010 to send a measurement. The value of the measurement is stored in numeric variable M1.

Special INPUT Cases

Default Secondary Address. If the INPUT statement does not include a secondary address, the 4050 controller will issue secondary address 13 by default:

INPUT @24:A\$

sends MTA 88 (24+64) and MSA 109 (13+96) and assigns ASCII to A\$.

To suppress this, use secondary address 32 if no secondary addressing is desired:

INPUT @24,32:B

sends MTA 88 (24+64) and assigns first legal ASCII number to B.

Mixed String and Numeric Variables. The following case poses a potential problem:

INPUT @24:A\$,B

sends MTA 88 (24+64) and assigns all ASCII data before the defaultrecord-separator (CR) to A\$; the next ASCII number is assigned to B. The 4050 controller will hang on this statement if the talker finishes talking without sending a CR in the message. TM 5000 instruments do not send CR as part of their message structure; use Alternate Delimiters in this special case.

Alternate Delimiters. The INPUT statement using an @ sign checks for a CR character in the incoming ASCII data. This is the Record Separator character used to assign ASCII data to variables specified in the INPUT statement. If an End-of-File character (decimal 255) is detected, all input stops and the talker is untalked. Alternate delimiter characters can be used for the End-of-File and Record Separator characters. The alternate delimiters apply if the % sign is used in the INPUT statement syntax, rather than the @ sign.

Use a special PRINT statement to designate these characters prior to using the % sign.

PRINT @37, Ø: <NUM 1>, <NUM 2>, <NUM 3>

Record Separator, End-of-File, Delete Character

Each number (range 0 to 255) is the decimal equivalent of an ASCII character. NUM 1 is the Record Separator character used to delimit ASCII data assigned to variables. It is discarded and not included in the string it delimits. NUM 2 is the End-of-File (EOF) character. When this EOF character is encountered, all ASCII input ceases and the GPIB device is untalked. This character is discarded and not included in the ASCII data. NUM 3 is a character to be deleted when it is encountered in the incoming ASCII data. If NUM 3 is greater than 127 then no characters are discarded other than the Record Separator and End-of-File characters.

The following example shows how to use an alternate delimiter to break up the "SET?" response and display each message unit on a line by itself.

1000 REM DIMENSION A\$ FOR 42 CHARACTER MAX LENGTH 1010 DIM A\$(42) 1020 REM SEND SET? TO FG5010 AT ADDRESS 24 1Ø3Ø PRINT @24:"SET?" 1040 REM TALK ADDRESS FG5010 AND RECEIVE FRONT PANEL SETTINGS DATA 1045 REM INTO ONE STRING VARIABLE 1050 REM USE DEFAULT DELIMITERS; RECORD SEPARATOR="CR", EOF=255, 1055 REM DELETE NO CHARACTERS 1060 INPUT @24:A\$ 1070 PRINT A\$ 1080 REM SPECIFY ALTERNATE DELIMITERS REC.SEP=";", EOF="4", 1085 REM DELETE CHARACTER=SPACE 1090 PRINT @37,0:59,52,32 1090 REM SEND SET? AND RECEIVE REPLY IN 4 STRING VARIABLES USING 1100 REM ALTERNATE DELIMITERS 1110 PRINT @24:"SET?" 112Ø INPUT %24:B\$,C\$,D\$,E\$ 1130 PRINT B\$,C\$,D\$,E\$

The display printed by line 1070 would look like this:

FREQ 15.ØE+6; AMPL 15.Ø; OFFS 3.4; SYM 5Ø;

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Note that A\$ is 42 characters long due to the DIM statement line 1010. The balance of the SET? query reply will be input but discarded by the controller.
The display printed by line 1130 would look like this:

followed by an undefined variable error message.

B\$, C\$, and D\$ are delimited by the ";" character and spaces are deleted. Using the ASCII character 4 for EOF caused the statement to terminate input with D\$ (dropping the "4" in "OFFS 3.4"). E\$ was never acquired and is therefore undefined.

TM 5000 instruments remain ready to transmit the rest of the reply to the SET? query sent by the controller in line 1110. Data transmission will resume with ";SYM 50;...".

Low-Level Output--The WYBTE Statement

Purpose

The WYBTE (Write Byte) statement is used to send 8-bit binary data bytes to a device on the GPIB. This statement gives the user complete control over the 8-line data bus and control over the ATN (Attention) and EOI (End or Identify) signal lines.

Syntax Form:
[Line number] WBY @ numeric expression [, numeric expression] :
[numeric expression] [, numeric expression]
Descriptive Form:
[Line number] WBYTE @ absolute address [, absolute address] :]
[data bytes to be sent out over the General Purpose Interface Bus]

FREQ15.ØE+6 AMPL15.Ø OFFS3.

Explanation

Data bytes must be decimal integers in the range of -255 to +255. Negative 0 is not allowed. Integers 0 through 255 represent the decimal equivalent of the 8-bit binary data byte. Negative values specify that the EOI line is to be asserted as the data byte is transferred. The (-) sign does not alter the 8-bit data byte and is not transmitted as data. Data bytes specified between the at sign (@) and the colon (:) are sent with the ATN line asserted. These data bytes are GPIB device addresses or interface messages. Data specified after the colon (:) is device dependent data and has meaning only to the device addressed to receive it.

Sending Interface Messages

Universal Commands. GPIB Universal Command Group (UCG) messages are easily sent with the WBYTE statement. UCG messages defined by IEEE 488 consist of Local Lockout (LLO=17), Device Clear (DCL=20), Parallel Poll Unconfigure (PPU=21), Serial Poll Enable (SPE=24), and Serial Poll Disable (SPD=25).

Example: 1200 REM SEND LOCAL LOCKOUT (17) INTERFACE MSSAGE 1210 WBYTE @17: 1220 REM SEND DEVICE CLEAR (20) INTERFACE MESSAGE 1230 WBYTE @20: 1240 REM SEND PARALLEL POLL UNCONFIGURE (21) INTERFACE MESSAGE 1250 WBYTE @21: 1260 REM SEND SERIAL POLL ENABLE (24) INTERFACE MESSAGE 1270 WBYTE @24: 1280 REM SEND SERIAL POLL DISABLE (25) INTERFACE MESSAGE 1290 WBYTE @25:

Addressed Commands. Addressed Commands are interface messages which are sent to devices which have been listen addressed. These include GO TO LOCAL (GTL=1), Selected Device Clear (SDC=4), Parallel Poll Configure (PPC=5), Group Execute Trigger (GET=8), and Take Control (TCT=9). Example: 1300 REM SEND GO TO LOCAL (1) TO PRIMARY DEVICE #18 (MLA=50), 1305 REM THEN SEND UNLISTEN (63) 1310 WBYTE @50,1,63: 1320 REM SEND SELECTED DEVICE CLEAR (4) TO PRIMARY DEVICE #28 1325 REM (MLA=60), THEN SEND UNL (63) 1330 WBYTE @60,4,63:

Sending Binary Data to Specified Listeners

Send binary data to devices with the WBYTE statement. Many listeners can be addressed to receive the same data.

Example: Send the device dependent message "ID?; ERR?" to devices at primary addresses 1, 15, 21 and 28.

1400 REM SEND LISTEN ADDRESSES WITH ATN ASSERTED 1405 REM SEND BINARY EQUIVALENT OF ASCII DATA "ID?;ERR?", 1406 REM ASSERT EOI LINE WITH LAST CHARACTER 1410 WBYTE @33,47,53,60:73,68,63,59,69,82,82,-63 1420 REM UNLISTEN THE LISTENERS 1430 WBYTE @63:

See also an expanded program for this purpose under Utility Routines later in this section. The longer program automatically codes the ASCII string for binary transmission.

Low-Level Input--The RBYTE Statement

Purpose

The RBYTE (Read Byte) statement receives one or more data bytes from a GPIB device and assigns each data byte to a numeric variable. The controller becomes a listener and handshakes the data byte from a previously specified talker.

Syntax Form:	
[Line number] RBY numeric variable [, numeric variable]	
	and the relationships
Descriptive Form:	
[Line number] RBYTE target variable for incoming data byte [, targ	et variable
for incoming data byte]	

Explanation

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Data bytes received with EOI asserted will have a negative sign. This negative sign specifies that the talker has sent the last byte of the message.

Example: Talk address device #17 and receive the data into four numeric variables.

1500 REM TALK ADDRESS DEVICE #17
1510 WBYTE @17+64:
1520 REM HANDSHAKE 4 BYTES, ASSIGN TO VARIABLES A1, A2, A3, A4
1530 RBYTE A1,A2,A3,A4
1540 REM UNTALK AND UNLISTEN THE BUS
1550 WBYTE @95,63:
1560 REM DISPLAY THE DATA
1570 PRINT A1,A2,A3,A4

A deadlock can occur if the talker finishes talking before all numeric variables have had values assigned to them. Program execution will hang up on the RBYTE statement while the listener (4050 Controller) waits to handshake a byte which is not forthcoming from the talker. This situation can be avoided if the device asserts EOI with the last byte as Tektronix instruments do. Alternatively, never specify more variables in the RBYTE statement than the talker is expected to send.

GPIB INTERRUPTS

The 4050 SERIES CONTROLLERS respond to two types of interrupts associated with the GPIB. These are the EOI (End or Identify) interface line and the SRQ (Service Request) interface line on the GPIB. When any GPIB device asserts either of these two lines, an interrupt has occurred which is sensed by the controller. Response to these interrupts is enabled with the ON THEN statement. Response is disabled with the OFF statement or INIT statement.

The action taken when an interrupt condition occurs is specified in the ON...THEN... statement; one such statement must be executed for each interrupt condition. When an ON...THEN... statement is evaluated during program execution, no immediate action is taken; however the ON...THEN... statement arms the controller to respond to the specified interrupt condition. Program execution continues until the specified interrupt occurs; when it does, the controller finishes executing the current statement and then transfers program control to the ON...THEN... statement, which transfers program control to a subroutine.

When subroutine execution is terminated with a RETURN statement, program control is transferred back to the interruption point in the main program. Program execution continues with the statement which would have been executed next if the interrupt hadn't occurred.

Handling SRQ Interrupts

SRQ interrupts to the 4050 controller must be handled by an ON SRQ THEN... statement in the current program. The subroutine specified by the ON SRQ THEN... statement usually contains a serial poll routine which services several GPIB addresses specified in a list. The serial poll may be implemented with a POLL statement or a low level WBYTE, RBYTE routine, depending on the special needs of the programmer. Once the device which has asserted the SRQ line has been polled, it unasserts the line and the service request interrupt is cleared. Failure to specify a service routine with the ON SRQ THEN... statement will cause 4050 program execution to abort when an SRQ occurs; an error message will be displayed on screen.

The following program establishes an interrupt handler which serial polls a list of bus addresses. TM 5000 instruments, which can assert an SRQ when their front panel INST ID buttons are pushed, are located at

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addresses 16, 18, and 20. The WAIT statement is used to cause program execution to pause until an interrupt occurs. A message is printed when the interrupt handler is executed. Instrument power must be turned on prior to running the program.

NOTE

Allow instruments on the bus to complete their self-test after power-up before running a 4050-Series program (one to five seconds). Otherwise, the controller may detect an illegal condition on the handshake lines while the instruments are performing a self-test, causing the program to be aborted.

100 INIT 110 ON SRQ THEN 10000 120 PRINT @16: "USER ON" 130 PRINT @18: "USER ON" 140 PRINT @20: "USER ON" 150 WAIT 160 GO TO 150 10000 POLL P.S;16;18;20 10010 GO TO P OF 10100,10200,10300 10020 RETURN 10100 PRINT "SRQ INTERRUPT DEVICE 16, STATUS BYTE ";S 10110 RETURN 10200 PRINT "SRQ INTERRUPT DEVICE 18, STATUS BYTE ";S 10210 RETURN 10300 PRINT "SRQ INTERRUPT DEVICE 20, STATUS BYTE ";S 10310 RETURN

Remarks:

Lines 120 to 140 -- "USER ON" enables the INST ID button interrupt capability in the TM 5000 instruments. See the example above for sending binary data to specified listeners for another way to accomplish this.

Line 150 -- The 4050 waits for an SRQ interrupt. Any interrupt will cause program execution to branch to line 10000 and return to lne 160 after a RETURN statement is executed in the subroutine.

Line 10000 -- A serial poll is performed on instruments at addresses 16, 18, and 20. Only one interrupt will be cleared by the POLL statement. This interrupt routine is non-interruptible if entered by means of the ON SRQ THEN 1000 statement at line 110.

Using ERR?

More detailed status information is available from Tektronix instruments by using the "ERR?" query command. If this query is included in the SRQ routine after the POLL statement, it requests a code to further define the cause of the SRQ. Thus, the status byte identifies the class of event and the "ERR?" response identifies the particular event causing the SRQ.

Section 7 includes a routine to decode the number obtained by "ERR?" and print a message that explains the code. A version of this routine is derived for each instrument in the section for that instrument. Other examples of using "ERR?" occur throughout Sections 3-6.

A word of caution when using the ERR? query in the poll routine: It causes device dependent I/O which is asynchronous to other GPIB I/O in the program. This means that instrument output requested by the program may be lost if an interrupt occurs and an ERR? is received prior to output of the pending data from the instruments output buffer.

This loss occurs if the program sends a query or other output command to an instrument, is interrupted by an SRQ from that instrument, and sends "ERR?" as part of the routine that handles the SRQ. The loss arises not from some special property of "ERR?", but from sending it asynchronous to other I/O--any device-dependent message received by the instrument updates the message buffer, destroying any pending output.

Here's an example of the power-up SRQ causing requested settings data from the PS 5010 to be lost:

100 REM **** ACQUIRE SETTINGS **** 110 INIT 120 ON SRQ THEN 1000 130 DIM R\$(300) 140 D=22 150 PRINT @D:"SET?" 160 INPUT @D:R\$

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17Ø PRINT R\$ 18Ø END 1ØØØ REM ***** SERIAL POLL ROUTINE ***** 1Ø1Ø POLL D1,S;D 1Ø2Ø PRINT @D;"ERR?;ID?" 1Ø3Ø INPUT @D:E\$ 1Ø4Ø PRINT "DEVICE # ";D1;" STB = ";S 1Ø5Ø PRINT E\$ 1Ø6Ø RETURN

This program prints only the error and status messages the first time it is run after instrument power-up. The reason is that the ON SRQ statement is not executed until after the PRINT statement is executed at line 150. By the time the program inputs data at line 160, it only receives a null string because program execution jumped to the poll routine, which requested output for "ERR?; ID?" at line 1020 and read it at line 1030.

After the power-up SRQ is serviced, the program produces the expected output.

Use care, also, with "ERR?" in an SRQ routine that responds to the operation complete interrupt (OPC ON). In fact, the example in Section 4 that uses OPC to signal that the DM 5010 data is available does not even incorporate "ERR?" to avoid such a situation. An alternative approach is to test for OPC and jump around the lines that send "ERR?" and input the response.

Handling EOI Interrupts

EOI interrupt handling in 4050 BASIC is optional. Program execution is not aborted if a response to an EOI interrupt is not enabled with an ON EOI THEN... statement. EOI interrupt handling is useful for low level GPIB input/output and control using WBYTE and RBYTE. Since most bus instruments assert the EOI line with the last data byte sent, the EOI interrupt can serve to notify the controller when this has occurred.

Talkers and listeners other than the 4050 controller can be specified to take part in data transactions. The controller must specify who the talker(s) and listener(s) are and then wait until the talker is finished before resuming use of the bus.

The following program routine illustrates this procedure. The controller specifies a talker at primary address 20 and a listener at primary address 2 and then waits for the EOI. When the EOI interrupt occurs, the controller untalks and unlistens the bus and returns to the next statement after the WAIT statement.

1600 ON EOI THEN 1800 1610 WBYTE %63,95,2+32,20+64: 1620 WAIT 1630 OFF EOI 1640 END

18ØØ WBYTE @63,95: 181Ø RETURN

Remarks:

Line 1600 -- Enables the EOI interrupt handler at line 1800.

Line 1610 -- The 4050 controller sends UNTALK and UNLISTEN to clear the bus and then designates device 2 a listener and device 20 a talker. The percent sign (%) tells the 4052 to release control of the bus--until it senses EOI.

Line 1620 -- The 4050 controller waits for the EOI interrupt sent by the talker at the end of the data transaction.

Line 1630 -- The EOI interrupt handler is disabled with the OFF statement.

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Line 1800 -- The 4050 controller sends UNTALK and UNLISTEN to clear the bus of talkers and listeners before resuming program execution.

4050 INTERRUPT-HANDLING STATEMENTS

The OFF Statement

Purpose

The OFF statement disables the current program from responding to the specified interrupt. If no interrupt condition is specified as a parameter in the OFF statement, then the program response to all interrupt conditions is disabled.

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Syntax Form:					
[Line number] OFF	EOF (numeric constant EOI SIZE SRQ				De serigina
Descriptive Form:					
[Line number] OFF	interrupt condition]				

Explanation

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If an OFF SRQ statement or INIT statement is executed, a fatal error will result when an SRQ interrupt occurs before another ON SRQ THEN... statement is re-executed. If an OFF EOI statement or INIT statement is executed, program control continues un-interrupted when an EOI interrupt occurs.

The ON... THEN... Statement

Purpose

The ON...THEN... statement transfers program control to the specified subroutine line number in response to the specified interrupt.

Syntax Form:	:						
		EOF (numeric co	onstant))				
	<	EOI SIZE	{				
_ine number C	ON	SRQ)	THE	line number		
Descriptive F	orm:						
_ine number (ON	interrupt condition	THEN lin	e numb	er		

Explanation

Execution of the subroutine RETURN statement transfers program control back to the main program--to the next line following the line number being executed when the interrupt occurred. The ON...THEN... statement may be executed at any time before the interrupt condition occurs. The subroutine specified in the ON...THEN... statement is non-interruptible.

The POLL Statement

Purpose

The POLL statement executes a serial poll of all specified GPIB devices to determine which device is requesting service.

Syntax Form:
[Line number] POL numeric variable , numeric variable ; primary address [, secondary
address] [; primary address [, secondary address]]
Descriptive Form:
[Line number] POLL target variable for device identifier, target variable for return
status information ; address list

Explanation

The POLL statement obtains status bytes from devices in its list of primary and secondary addresses. Each status byte is checked when it is received to determine if bit 7 is set (logic one). This indicates that the device which sent the status byte has asserted the service request line. The decimal value of this status byte is assigned to the second variable in the POLL statement. The device address position in the poll list is assigned to the first variable specified in the POLL statement. The device requesting service releases the SRQ line when it has been serial polled.

Example: Devices 18 and 9 have requested service. Device 18 reports status byte 0100 0001 (decimal 65).

1900 REM POLL ADDRESSES 21, 16, 18, AND 9 1910 POLL A,B;21;16;18;9 1920 PRINT A,B 1930 RETURN

In the example, A would be set to 3 and B to 65. Status bytes were obtained from devices 21 and 16 but were discarded because they had not asserted SRQ and bit 7 was not set. Device 9 was not polled because device 18 was polled first, reporting a status byte which indicated that it had asserted the SRQ line. In the event that device 9 had also asserted SRQ, it would not be polled until the POLL statement was executed again.

The POLL statement is typically used in a service routine specified by the ON SRQ THEN... statement. This service routine is non-interruptible and must be exited with a RETURN statement before the controller can respond to new or existing SRQ interrupts. If two or more devices have asserted the SRQ line, they must each be serviced by re-entering the service routine. This would happen each time program control was passed back to the main program.

Example: Devices 16 and 9 have asserted SRQ during execution of the main program.

100 INIT 110 ON SRQ THEN 2000

[MAIN PROGRAM] 2000 REM SERVICE REQUEST ROUTINE 2010 POLL A,B;21;16;18;9 2020 GO TO A OF 2100,2200,2300,2400 2100 REM SERVICE ROUTINE FOR DEVICE 21

219Ø RETURN 22ØØ REM SERVICE ROUTINE FOR DEVICE 16

229Ø RETURN 23ØØ REM SERVICE ROUTINE FOR DEVICE 18

239Ø RETURN 24ØØ REM SERVICE ROUTINE FOR DEVICE 9

249Ø RETURN

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Device 16 would be serviced first and main program execution would resume. Device 9 is still asserting the SRQ line.

A few main program lines will be executed before the controller responds to the SRQ asserted by device 9.

Unspecified Devices on the Bus. A value of zero (\emptyset) is assigned to both variables specified in the POLL statement if none of the devices listed have asserted the SRQ line. This may happen if a device is attached to the bus and its address is not included in the POLL statement. Since an interrupt from this device is never serviced, the device never relinquishes the SRQ line. The main program will be continually re-interrupted as the servicing routine polls all addresses in its list in the effort to clear the interrupt.

Specified Devices Not on the Bus. All devices specified in POLL list must be powered up and attached to the bus when the POLL statement is executed, otherwise program execution will pause while the POLL statement waits for a status byte from a non-existent talker. Program execution will not continue until the situation is corrected. The WAIT Statement

Purpose

The WAIT statement is a convenient means of halting program execution until an interrupt occurs.

Syntax Form:

Line number | WAI

Descriptive Form:

[Line number] WAIT

Explanation

An interrupt which occurs while the WAIT statement is executing will invoke the interrupt handler enabled by a previously executed ON...THEN... statement. A RETURN from that subroutine will cause program execution to continue on the next program line following the WAIT statement. The WAIT Routine

Purpose

The WAIT routine halts program execution for a specified number of seconds, or until an interrupt condition occurs, whichever comes first.

This routine is not implemented in the 4051.

Syntax Form:			
[Line number] CALL	"WAIT" string variable	[, numeric variable]	
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Descriptive Form:		bests is placed	
[Line number] CALL	routine name	[, number of seconds]	

Explanation

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The WAIT routine produces a pause in program execution. If an interrupt occurs while a WAIT routine is being processed, the interrupt is handled immediately and no further waiting is done.

If the numeric expression is negative, a zero is assumed and the system does not pause.

If no pause interval is specified, the routine operates like the WAIT statement.

Use the WAIT routine to allow peripheral GPIB devices to settle or process information before proceeding with the 4050 program.

UTILITY ROUTINES

Get A Status Byte with WBYTE and RBYTE

This routine obtaines a status byte from the instrument at primary address "A". No checking is done for the SRQ bits in the status byte.

> 4000 WBYTE @63,24,A+64: 4010 RBYTE S 4020 WBYTE @25,95: 4030 RETURN

Line 4000 -- WBYTE is used to send interface commands UNL (63), SPE (24), and MTA (primary address + 64).

Line 4010 -- RBYTE is used to handshake the status byte from the "talked" instrument. The received 8-bit byte is placed in variable S as a decimal number.

Line 4020 -- WBYTE is again used to send interface commands SPD (25) and UNT (95) in order to terminate the serial poll sequence.

Line 4030 -- RETURN from this subroutine.

Refer to Section 6.5.2 Serial Poll of the IEEE-488 standard for more detailed information on serial poll.

Convert a Status Byte to an 8-Bit Array

This routine uses the status byte S obtained from a serial poll in decimal form and converts it into a digital word in an 8 bit numeric array. Each element in the array is the corresponding bit in the 8 bit digital number. This provides an easy means of testng the value of individual bits.

6000 REM CONVERT STATUS BYTE TO 8 BIT ARRAY 6010 DIM B(8) 6020 FOR D=8 TO 1 STEP -1 6030 B(D)=INT(S/2^(D-1)) 6040 IF NOT(B(D)) THEN 6060 6050 S=S-2^(D-1) 6060 IF D<>4 THEN 6080 6070 S1=S 6080 PRINT B(D); 6090 NEXT D 6100 PRINT 6110 PRINT S1 6120 RETURN

Line 6010 -- Dimensions eight elements in numeric array B.

Lines 6020-6090 -- Defines each element of B and prints it left to right, most significant bit first. Sl is the decimal value of the low order 4 bits. Use this for device dependent or system status messages.

Example: S=165 RUN 6000 RESULT 10100101

Send Identical Messages to Three GPIB Addresses Simultaneously

This routine defines an ASCII string, converts it to binary equivalents and then transmits it to three listeners simultaneously; it uses the WBYTE statement for the low level I/O.

330Ø A\$="ID?;SET?" 331Ø A=LEN(A\$) 332Ø DIM B(A) 333Ø FOR I=1 TO A 334Ø C\$=SEG(A\$,I,1) 335Ø B(I)=ASC(C\$) 336Ø NEXT I 337Ø B(I-1)=-B(I-1) 338Ø WBYTE @63,52,54,58:B 339Ø WBYTE @63: 34ØØ END

Lines 3310 to 3360 -- Convert A\$ to a numeric array B.

Line 3370 -- Negate the last element in the array so that the EOI line will be asserted when that last byte is sent.

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Line 3380 -- Listen address devices 20, 22, and 26 and send array B.

Line 3390 -- Send UNL to clear the bus of listeners.

This program may be used as a subroutine. Delete B and define A\$ before calling the routine at line 3310. Also change 3400 to RETURN.

4052/GPIB SEND AND RECEIVE

This program uses user definable keys to control communications with three instruments on the bus. ASCII data (device dependent messages) can be sent to the instruments and received back using the standard 4052 I/O delimieters or special delimieters of your choosing. Certain interface control messages may also be sent.

This program provides an illustration of GPIB I/O and interrupt handling. It is written in subroutine modules called by the user definable keys. Different device addresses could be used by changing lines 150, 300, 960, 990, 1010, and 1030 to include the appropriate addresses. Two sample hard copies are shown in Fig. 2-1 and Fig. 2-2.

GPIB SEND/RECEIVE with STATUS BYTE REPORTING

TURN ON POWER TO GPIB DEVICES 18,20, and 24. Press the 'RETURN' key to continue . . .

> STATUS BYTE = 65 DEVICE 18 STATUS BYTE = 65 DEVICE 20 STATUS BYTE = 65 DEVICE 24

SELECT ADDRESS

VALID ADDRESSES = 18,20, or 24. ENTER ONE ADDRESS : 20

Fig. 2-1. Beginning display of 4052/GPIB SEND and RECEIVE program.

PRESS USER DEFINABLE KEYS

- #1 SEND ASCII DATA
- #2 RECEIVE ASCII DATA (with DEFAULT DELIMITERS)
- **#3 SELECT ADDRESS**
- #4 SELECT ALTERNATE DELIMITERS
- **#5 SEND INTERFACE MESSAGES**
- #7 RECEIVE ASCII DATA (with ALTERNATE DELIMITERS)

Fig. 2-2. Display during 4052/GPIB SEND and RECEIVE program.

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1 REM ----- {4052/GPIB SEND & RECEIVE (Alt. Delimiters)} -----
2 GO TO 100
4 REM ----- SEND ROUTINE - USER KEY 1 -----
5 GOSUB 380
6 RETURN
8 REM ----- RECEIVE ROUTINE - USER KEY 2 -----
9 INPUT @A, 32:R$
10 GOSUB 500
11 RETURN
12 REM ----- SELECT ADDRESS ROUTINE - USER KEY 3 -----
13 GOSUB 260
14 RETURN
16 REM ----- SELECT ALTERNATE DELIMITERS ROUTINE - USER KEY 4 -----
17 GOSUB 660
18 RETURN
20 REM ----- SEND INTERFACE MESSAGE - USER KEY 5 -----
21 GOSUB 780
22 RETURN
28 REM ----- RECEIVE with ALTERNATE DELIMITERS ROUTINE - USER KEY 7 ---
29 INPUT %A, 32:R$
30 GOSUB 500
31 RETURN
100 INIT
110 ON SRQ THEN 930
120 DIM R$(10000)
130 PAGE
140 PRINT "IGPIB SEND/RECEIVE with STATUS BYTE REPORTING"
150 PRINT "JJGTURN ON POWER TO GPIB DEVICES 18,20, and 24."
160 PRINT "JPress the `RETURN' key to continue . . .";
170 INPUT S$
180 ON SRQ THEN 960
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190 REM ----- GET AN ADDRESS with ADDRESS INPUT ROUTINE -----200 GOSUB 280 210 SET KEY 220 REM ----- USER KEY-PRESS LOOP -----230 GO TO 210 240 REM 250 REM 260 PRINT "LJ" 270 REM ----- SELECT ADDRESS ROUTINE -----280 SET NOKEY 290 PRINT "JSELECT ADDRESS" 300 PRINT "JVALID ADDRESSES = 18,20, or 24. "; 310 PRINT " ENTER ONE ADDRESS : "; 320 INPUT A 330 PAGE 340 GOSUB 550 350 RETURN 360 REM 370 REM ----- SEND ASCII DATA ROUTINE -----380 PAGE 390 SET NOKEY 400 PRINT "JEnter ASCII Data to SEND to Device #";A 410 PRINT 420 INPUT S\$ 430 PRINT @A. 32:S\$ 440 CALL "WAIT",0.5 450 GOSUB 550 460 RETURN 470 REM 480 REM ----- PRINT ASCII DATA RECEIVED ROUTINE -----490 REM 500 PRINT "LRECEIVED ASCII Data from Device #";A;"JJG" 510 PRINT R\$ 520 GOSUB 550 530 RETURN 540 REM ----- PRINT USER KEY MENU ROUTINE -----550 PRINT "JJJIPRESS USER DEFINABLE KEYS" 560 PRINT "JJ#1 SEND ASCII DATA" 570 PRINT "J#2 RECEIVE ASCII DATA (with DEFAULT DELIMITERS)" 580 PRINT "J#3 SELECT ADDRESS" 590 PRINT "J#4 SELECT ALTERNATE DELIMITERS" 600 PRINT "J#5 SEND INTERFACE MESSAGES" 610 PRINT "J#7 RECEIVE ASCII DATA (with ALTERNATE DELIMITERS)" 620 RETURN 630 REM

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640 REM ----- SELECT ALTERNATE DELIMITERS ROUTINE -----650 REM 660 SET NOKEY 670 PRINT "LISELECT ALTERNATE DELIMITERS" 680 PRINT "JJENTER RECORD-SEPARATOR CHARACTER CODE (0-255) - "; 690 INPUT N1 700 PRINT "JENTER END-OF-FILE CHARACTER CODE (0-255) - "; 710 INPUT NZ 720 PRINT "JENTER DELETE CHARACTER CODE (0-255) - "; 730 INPUT N3 740 REM ----- ASSIGN ALTERNATE DELIMITERS ------750 PRINT @37,0:N1,N2,N3 760 GOSUB 550 770 RETURN 780 REM ----- SEND INTERFACE MESSAGES -----790 SET NOKEY 800 PRINT "LISEND INTERFACE MESSAGES" 810 PRINT "JINTERFACE MESSAGES" 820 PRINT "J1 GO TO LOCAL" 830 PRINT "4 SELECTED DEVICE CLEAR" 840 PRINT "8 GROUP EXECUTE TRIGGER" 850 PRINT "17 LOCAL LOCKOUT" 860 PRINT "20 DEVICE CLEAR" 870 PRINT "JENTER MESSAGE CODE TO SEND : "; 880 INPUT N 890 WBYTE @63, A+32, N, 63, 95: 900 GOSUB 550 910 RETURN 920 REM ----- WAIT FOR INSTRUMENT POWER-ON DIAGNOSTICS TO COMPLETE ---930 CALL "WAIT",5 940 REM 950 REM --- SRQ INTERRUPT SERVICING ROUTINE / DISPLAY STATUS BYTE ---960 POLL L, B; 18; 20; 24 970 GO TO L OF 990, 1010, 1030 980 RETURN 990 PRINT "JJISTATUS BYTE = ";B;" DEVICE 18" 1000 RETURN 1010 PRINT "JJISTATUS BYTE = ";B;" DEVICE 20" 1020 RETURN 1030 PRINT "JJISTATUS BYTE = ";B;" DEVICE 24" E - , , , 1040 RETURN

SECTION 3

DC 5010 AND DC 5009 UNIVERSAL COUNTER/TIMERS

The DC 5009 and DC 5010 implement a microprocessor-based ratio architecture to make programmable universal counter/timer measurements. The reciprocal technique allows high resolution of low-frequency signals much faster than conventional counting techniques. Averaging in all modes and identical A and B channels enhance accuracy.

Programming ease is enhanced by a high-level command set that provides full control and reporting of front-panel functions, interrupts, and measurement acquisition and output.

DC 5009 and DC 5010 Functions

The following universal counter/timer functions may be selected from the front panel or by commands over the GPIB:

Frequency A

Measures Channel A signal period, then calculates and displays its frequency.

Range = 36 microhertz to 350 megahertz for DC 5010, 100 microhertz to 135 megahertz for DC 5009.

Period A

Measures and displays Channel A signal period. Range = 3.125 nanoseconds to 7.6 hours for DC 5010, 7.4 nanoseconds to 3.05 hours for DC 5009.

Width A

Measures pulse width of Channel A signal. Easier accurate setup--one channel, one probe, one trigger level. Polarity (+ or -) selected by SLOPE control. Range = 4 nanoseconds to 7.6 hours for DC 5010, 15 nanoseconds to 3.05 hours for DC 5009.

Time A to B

Measures time from first event on A to first succeeding event on B. Range = 2 nanoseconds to 7.6 hours for DC 5010, 15 nanoseconds to 3.05 hours for DC 5009.

Rise/Fall A

DC 5010 automatically measures signal amplitude, calculates and sets trigger levels at 10 and 90 percent, and measures time between. DC 5009 can also make this measurement under program control as shown in an example later in this section.

Probe Compensation

Display guides user in compensating high-impedance probe.

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DC 5010 saves the current measurement and subtracts it from subsequent measurements. In time interval mode, removes time differential mismatch between A and B and external probes or cabling. May be implemented by program using DC 5009.

Totalize A

Channel A events are counted. DC 5010 also counts A-B and A+B events.

Events B During A

Measures number of pulses on B while gated by signal on A as set by A trigger slope and level controls. Range ≤ 350 megahertz (B) and ≥ 4 nanoseconds (A) for DC 5010, ≤ 125 megahertz (B) and ≥ 15 nanoseconds (A) for DC 5009.

Ratio B/A

Measures ratio of B events to A events over same time interval. Range = DC to 350 megahertz both A and B for DC 5010, DC to 135 megahertz (A) and DC to 125 megahertz (B) for DC 5009.

Measurement Control

START and STOP commands allow full control of measurements. RESET command clears counter, then causes a new measurement; used with STOP for single measurement.

Averaging

Up to 1.0E+9 for DC 5010 or 1.0E+8 for DC 5009. Allows useable resolution to 1 picoseconds for DC 5010, 5 picoseconds for DC 5009. Auto-averages for convenient 0.3 second measurement time. Pseudo-random, phase-modulated time base eliminates clocksynchronous errors in time interval, width, and rise/fall.

Auto-Trigger

Selects optimum trigger points. Read out trigger levels over GPIB. Program other trigger levels over GPIB. Minimum and maximum peak voltage values are also available over the bus using "MIN?" and "MAX?".

Auto-Resolution

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No "false" digits--extraneous resolution from large number of averages--reported.

Input Signal Conditioning

Both channels fully programmable (coupling, attenuation, slope, etc.).

GPIB Operation

IEEE 488 Bus Address

Pressing the INST ID button will display the counter's primary address. A decimal following the address indicates that the message terminator is set to EOI/LF (the counter responds to either EOI or LF when listening and sends LF with EOI asserted when talking on the bus.

For convenience, the counters are shipped with the address switch set to primary address 18 for the DC 5009 and 20 for the DC 5010; the terminator to EOI only. These are the addresses used in example listings in this section. Secondary address capability is not used by the counters.

Switches for all of these settings are internal; refer to a qualified service person for a change. If the switches are changed, use an address between 1 and 30 and EOI only to operate with Tektronix controllers.

Power-Up

At power-up, the counters perform a self-test of ROM and RAM and the count chains. If the test fails, the counter displays an error number. If the test succeeds, a counter goes to local control with power-up default settings, asserts SRQ, and prepares to report power-up status. Although the counters respond normally to GPIB messages whether or not the GPIB controller reads the power-up status, a 4050 BASIC program aborts if it does not include the ON SRQ THEN... statement and an SRQ handler (see Section 2 for more on this.)

TABLE 3-1 POWER-UP DEFAULT SETTINGS

Front Panel (applies to DC 5010 only)

FREQ		Frequency mode
AVE		-l (auto average)
AUTO		A
	4	

Channel A&B input signal conditioning:COUDCATT1SLOPOSSOURCEEXT

CHA	A (channel pointer)
TERM	OFF
PRE	OFF
FILTER	OFF
NULL	OFF

Interrupts

RQS	ON
OPC	OFF
OVER	OFF
USER	OFF

Device Trigger

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DC 5009 goes to settings of front-panel controls at power-on with channel pointer at A and prescaler off.

Making GPIB Counter Measurements

Program examples throughout this section apply to both the DC 5009 and DC 5010 unless noted as exceptions. Factory-set addresses of 18 (DC 5009) and 20 (DC 5010) are used in the examples.

Setting Up the Measurement

Setting up counter measurements under remote control is much like setting up measurements under local control. With Tektronix GPIB counters, the DC 5009 and DC 5010, programming commands are the same as front panel labels in almost all cases. (The entire command set is included in the Appendix.)

Front-Panel Controls. Setting counter front panel controls is just a matter of inserting easy-to-recognize instrument commands in the PRINT statement of a Tektronix controller, all in a high-level format.

For example, commands that select the DC 5009 measurement function, automatic averaging, and signal conditioning can be combined as:

PRINT @18: "FREQ A; CHAN A; ATT 1; COU DC; SLO POS; AUTO; AVE-1"

With the DC 5010, this particular setup could be acheived by initializing the instrument to the power-up state.

PRINT @20: "INIT"

NOTE

"INIT" returns DC 5009 front-panel functions to the control settings rather than a predefined state. As an alternative, build a string variable of desired settings and send it instead of "INIT".

In either case, the DC 5009 and DC 5010 would light the GATE light and continue taking frequency readings as long as the input signal is within the sensitivity range of the counter. the GATE light blinks between readings. If the signal is not within range, the counter continues to display the last reading and leaves the GATE light on. The counter resets the display and begins a new measurement when any control is changed that would affect a valid reading. Examples are a change in function (frequency, period, etc.), trigger level, or signal conditioning.

Input Conditioning. When changing input conditioning (X1, X5, etc.), it is of course necessary to specify which of the two channels one wishes to change. Rather than require that the expression "CHA A" or "CHA B" preceede each input conditioning command, The DC 5010 and DC 5009 instead use the "CHA A" etc. commands as a pointer. This pointer, once set, remains set and insures that each input command that follows will refer to that channel only. Since Channel A is used for all the single channel functions, both the DC 5009 and DC 5010 power up with the pointer set to CHA A. The "INIT" command also sets the pointer to the A channel.

Rise/Fall. In the rise/fall mode, the DC 5010 measures input signal peak (100%) and valley (0%) voltages, and uses that information to calculate and set the 10% and 90% trigger levels. For risetime, the instrument is configured to take a time A->B measurement, Channel A and B are set to + slope, Channel A level is set to the 10% point and Channel B is set to the 90% point.

Relays route the signal coming in the A BNC connector to both Channel A and Channel B through a power splitter. When rise/fall is first selected (and before the autotrigger gets the 0% and 100% points), all of the input settings (AC/DC, etc.) of Channel A are automatically duplicated down onto the B channel. From the front panel, rise time and fall time are selected by first setting the Channel A slope to + (rise) or - (fall) before pushing RISE/FALL; over the bus, use either the "RISE" or "FALL" command (slope selection is not required). Should there be any significant change in signal voltage levels, then request "RISE" or "FALL" again, so that the new 10% and 90% levels can be measured and calculated.

In the rise/fall mode, the DC 5010 routes the signal arriving at the Channel A BNC connector into both the Channel A and B input conditioning and amplifiers. This is done automatically with an internal 50-ohm power splitter. The power splitter maintains a uniform 50-ohm environment, but it also divides the voltage of the signal by a factor of two. Since the LEV, MIN and MAX numbers all refer to the signal actually entering the input conditioning area, the reported voltages will be smaller by a factor of two than what is actually delivered to the front panel BNC. This is of interest only when using these numbers as absolute voltages. It is not a consideration if, for example, one wishes to set 20% and 80% trip points for rise/fall instead of the instruments 10% and 90% points. In that case, merely read MAX and MIN, calculate the 20% and 80% levels and program them as though there were no factor of two difference, since you are dealing only with percentages and not absolute voltages. To summarize, this factor of two decrease in reported voltage occurs only in RISE/FALL with 50-ohm termination, and then only affects the reporting of the absolute magnitude of the voltage.

When the counters report trigger level voltage, be aware of several other considerations.

1. The DC 5009 and DC 5010 both correct for their attenuating settings. For example, if the user program is in X1 (no attenuation) and sets a trigger level of 1.3 volts and then at some later time selects X5 attenuation, the instrument, if queried by "LEV?" will respond that the effective trigger point is now at 6.5 volts (1.3 X 5). This is true over the bus and from the front panel except in the one situation where the LEV and the ATTEN setting are made in the same message. In that case, the final trigger level at the input connector will be the voltage specified by the LEV command independent of the ATTEN setting.

2. One feature that these counters do **not** have is a "probe identify" ring such as on some Tektronix oscilloscopes. Thus the counter doesn't sense when an X5 or X10 probe is attached to the front of the counter. This would only affect absolute voltages read out with the LEV?, MIN? and MAX? commands.

3. In the one case of rise/fall at 1 megohm, the power splitter does not divide the signal in half, but it does change the input impedance from 1 megohm, approximately 22 picofarads, to about 500 kilohms and 50 picofarads. (This leaves the probe compensation, which depends on R*C, essentially unchanged.) With rise/fall at 1 megohm with attenuating probes, however, the situation is less obvious. For example, an X10 probe has a 9 megohm impedance in the probe, which with the 1 megohm input impedance, leads to a 10 to 1 division ratio as marked on the probe. When this X10 probe instead works into the 500 kilohm input impedence of the DC 5010 in rise/fall mode, the division ratio is (9 megohm + 500 kilohm)/ 500 kilohm or 19X. Similarly, an X5 probe will effectively have an X9 atenuation factor.

Getting a Reading

The 4050 INPUT statement obtains a reading from the counter output buffer if there is one available. If there is no reading available, the counter returns a byte with all bits set to one (decimal 255), asserting EOI concurrently. If input as a numeric variable, as T=0

INPUT @18: T

the variable is not updated (T would still equal zero). If input as a string:

INPUT @18: T\$

the string is set to a NULL (empty) string.

Use the SEND command to guarantee that the counter gets and reports a reading, no matter how long the 4050 has to wait on INPUT:

PRINT @18: "SEND" INPUT @18: R

Some measurements take significant time to complete, such as the period of a low repetition-rate signal or the average of a large number of readings. The program can handle other tasks in the meantime, relying on the operation complete SRQ to signal that the counter measurement is available:

10 REMARK OPC INTERRUPT-DRIVEN MEASUREMENT 100 ON SRQ THEN 190 110 B=0120 PRINT @18:"PER;OPC ON" 130 WAIT 140 IF B=0 THEN 130 150 PRINT @18:"OPC OFF" 160 PRINT "PERIOD = ";B 170 END 180 REMARK POLL AND GET READING ON OPC 190 POLL D, S; 18 200 IF S=66 OR S=82 THEN 230 210 PRINT "COUNTER REPORTS STATUS ";S 220 GO TO 230 230 INPUT @18:B 240 RETURN

Replace the WAIT with your program.

A technique incorporating the "RDY?" command may be used instead of the interrupt-driven input above:

```
10 REMARK GET MEASUREMENT ON "RDY 1"
100 ON SRQ THEN 190
110 PRINT @20:"INIT;PERIOD"
120 R=0
130 PRINT @20:"RDY?"
140 INPUT @20:R
150 IF NOT(R) THEN 130
160 INPUT @20:B
170 PRINT "PERIOD = ";B
180 END
190 POLL D,S;20
200 PRINT "COUNTER REPORTS STATUS ";S
210 RETURN
```

This technique can be adapted to allow the controller to perform tasks uninterrupted by an SRQ, "polling" the counter using "RDY?" to determine if a measurement is completed.

Time Interval and Width Measurements

Programmable trigger level controls and high resolution allow the counters to resolve narrow time intervals and pulse widths.

In this example, the DC 5010 returns the time relationship between two TTL signals. (An example later in this section extends this capability to make phase measurements.)

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10 REMARK TIM EXAMPLE

100 ON SRQ THEN 380

300 PRINT @20:"CHA A;SLO POS"

310 PRINT @20:"ATT 1;COU DC;LEV .275"

320 PRINT @20:"CHA B;SLO POS"

330 PRINT @20:"ATT 1;COU DC;LEV .275"

340 PRINT @20:"AVE 1;TIME;SEND"

350 INPUT @20:T

360 PRINT "TIME A TO B = ";T

370 END

380 POLL D,S;20

390 PRINT "STATUS = ";S

400 RETURN
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Lines 300 to 310 -- Set up Channel A. The 0.275 volt trigger level assumes X5 probes for trigger level at the probe tip of 1.375 volts (TTL threshold).

Lines 320 to 330 -- Duplicate setup on Channel B.

Lines 340 to 360 -- Select time interval function, request a reading, then input and print result.

If the time interval was a single pulse, the slope could be reversed in line 320 ("SLO NEG" instead of "SLO POS"). An alternative is to select the pulse width function:

10 REMARK PULSE WIDTH MEASUREMENT 300 PRINT @20:"INIT;WIDTH;LEV .275" 340 PRINT @20:"SEND" 350 INPUT @20:T 360 PRINT "PULSE WIDTH = ";T 370 END

Again, as with Time A to B, choose the polarity of the pulse to be measureed with "SLO POS" or "SLO NEG." Only one LEV command is required to set up the measurement.

Triggering An Updated Reading

The DC 5010 and DC 5009 may be set for continuous updating and reporting of new measurements. However, you may wish to control the counters directly through your program to get and output an updated reading. This can be done in several ways.

An updated value can be found by:

1. Any change in a function that would affect the validity of a measurement causes the counter to discard and not report a previous reading. This applies to a change in function, or signal conditioning.

2. The "INIT" command also causes an old reading to be discarded and initiates a new one.
3. The command sequence "STOP; RESET" sets the counter to stopped mode, resets the count chains, and initiates a new reading.

4. The command "STOP" followed by the GET interface message is equivalent to case 3.

Here is an example of a single time A to B measurement.

10 REMARK GET NEW MEASUREMENT 300 PRINT @18:"AVE 1;TIME" 310 PRINT @18:"STOP;RESET;SEND" 320 INPUT @18:R 330 PRINT "TIME INTERVAL = ";R 340 END

Line 300 -- Request one time interval reading (no averaging).

Line 310 -- Initiate new reading; ask for output.

Lines 320 to 330 -- Get and print reading.

The next example uses GET (Group Execute Trigger) interface message.

1 REMARK TRIGGER WITH <GET> 2 GO TO 310 4 GOSUB 340 5 RETURN 300 REMARK SET UP MEASUREMENT 310 PRINT @18:"TIME;STOP;AVE 1;DT TRIG" 320 END 330 REMARK TAKE READING 340 WBYTE @50,8,63: 350 PRINT @18:"SEND" 360 INPUT @18:R 370 PRINT "TIME INTERVAL = ";R 380 RETURN

Lines 2 to 5 -- Call measurement subroutine when UDK #1 is pressed.

Lines 310 to 320 -- Set up single updated measurement and end (wait for UDK).

Lines 340 to 370 -- Trigger measurement, then get reading and print it. In line 340, 50=MLA (18+32), 8=GET, and 63=unlisten. The SEND command in line 350 is recommended to handle a longer duration pulse. Without "SEND", the counter may time out and report <NULL>.

If you adapt this technique, use the command sequence in line 310, changing TIME to another function and number of averages as desired. It may be necessary to allow some time for the instrument to respond to DT TRIG before sending the first GET; this program does because it requires operator action to send GET.

Amplitude Measurements

Either counter performs as a peak-reading voltmeter when executing the AUTO trigger command. A simple example that uses this function is:

10 REM CHECK PULSE AMPLITUDE 200 PRINT @20:"CHA A;FREQ;ATT 5;AUTO;MAX?;MIN?" 210 INPUT @20:M1,M2 220 IF M1>3 AND M2<0.7 THEN 240 230 GO TO 200 240 PRINT "PULSE AMPLITUDE PASSES: LO < .7, HI > 3.0" 250 END

The test in line 220 could be expanded to check that both the high and low levels are within some bounds (not just greater than 3.0 and less than 0.7).

Because the probe compensation function also detects peak voltages, it can be used in place of AUTO. This restricts the low-frequency cut-off (works down to 100 rather than 20 hertz), but works faster (less than 0.5 second rather than 2.0 seconds, worst case). Just change line 200 to:

200 PRINT @20: "CHA A;ATT 5;PROBE;FREQ;MAX?;MIN?"

For the DC 5009 only, add line 195:

195 PRINT @18: "CHA A;LEV O"

Application Programs

Some program examples are shown here that use the DC 5009 and DC 5010. Address 18 indicates the program was developed using the DC 5009 and address 20 indicates the DC 5010 was used (these are the factory-set addresses). Generally, the programs may be used with either counter by changing the address in the program or the address of the counter. There are some exceptions, however, and these are noted.

Signal Characterization

This program illustrates the use of the DC 5009 in the measurement of such signal characteristics as maximum and minimum peak values, frequency, duty cycle, rise time, and slew rate. The program could, with small changes, use the DC 5010 rather than the DC 5009.

These following formulas are used in the program:

Duty cycle = width/period

Slew rate = (90% voltage level - 10% voltage level)/rise time

Rise time is measured by connecting the signal of interest to both the Channel A input and the Channel B input using either a T connector or a power splitter. A splitter is prefered if the signal source must be terminated at 50 ohms. An auto trigger is then performed on both channels. A maximum and minimum query is performed on each channel and then the 10% level is calculated using the Channel A minimum and maximum values. The 90% level is calculated by using the Channel B minimum and maximum values. Channel A trigger level is then programmed to the 10% point and Channel B to the 90% point. Rise time is then obtained by measuring time A to B.

SIGNAL CHARACTERIZATION

P-P AMPLITUDE = 5.575 VOLTS ATTEN = 1 COUPLING = DC MIN PEAK = -2.95 MAX PEAK = 2.625 FREQUENCY = 10221.615 KH

 FREQUENCY
 = 10221.615 KHz

 DUTY CYCLE
 = 48.5%

 RISETIME
 = 0.02397 uS

 SLEW RATE
 = 186.065915 V/us

PRESS COUNTER INST ID TO TAKE A MEASUREMENT AND CHARACTERIZE THE SIGNAL.

Fig. 3-1. Example 4052 display of signal characterization program.

110	INIT ON SRQ THEN 740
130 140	PAGE PRINT "JJJJJ PRESS COUNTER INST ID TO TAKE A MEASUREMENT" PRINT "AND CHARACTERIZE THE SIGNAL."
	R1=0 C\$="DC;"
170	PRINT @18:"INIT;USER ON;CHA A;ATT 5;CHA B;ATT 5" WAIT
190	IF E<>403 THEN 180 PAGE
210	REM FREQUENCY MEASUREMENT
230	
250	REM PULSE WIDTH/DUTY CYCLE MEASUREMENT PRINT @18:"WID;SEND;PER;SEND"
260 270	INPUT @18:W,P REM RISE/FALL - SLEW RATE MEASUREMENT
280	PRINT @18:"MIN?;MAX?;CHA B;MIN?;MAX?" INPUT @18:A0,A9,B0,B9
300	IF A0>-3.175 AND A9<3.2 THEN 480 IF A0=-3.175*5 OR A9=3.2*5 THEN 330
320	GO TO 510
340	IF C\$="AC;" THEN 360 C\$="AC;"
	GO TO 220 PAGE
	PRINT "J" FOR I=1 TO 5
390	PRINT " <u>GGG</u> OVER VOLTAGE <u>K</u> " NEXT I

410 PRINT "JJJTHE P-P VALUE OF THE SIGNAL AND/OR ITS DC OFFSET "; 420 PRINT "EQUALS OR EXCEEDS THE LIMITS OF THE COUNTER'S "; 430 PRINT "MEASUREMENT CAPABILITY." 440 PRINT "J * The p-p signal must fall within ";-3.175*5;" volts" and ";3.2*5;" volts to guarantee p-p amplitude and" 450 PRINT " 460 PRINT " risetime measurements." 470 GO TO 510 480 PRINT @18:"ATT 1;CHA A;ATT 1" 490 PRINT @18:"AUTO;MIN?;MAX?;CHA B;MIN?;MAX?" 500 INPUT @18:A0,A9,B0,B9 510 REM ----- CALCULATE 10% POINT AT CHANNEL A -----520 PRINT @18:"ATT?" 530 INPUT @18:A5 540 A1 = A0 + (A9 - A0) * 0.1550 REM ----- CALUCLATE 90% POINT AT CHANNEL B -----560 B8=B9-(B9-B0)*0.1 570 PRINT @18:"CHA A;LEV ";A1;";CHA B;LEV ";B8 580 PRINT @18:"TIME;SEND" 590 INPUT @18:R 600 REM ----- CALCULATE CHA A 90% POINT FOR SLEW RATE -----610 A8=A9-(A9-A0)*0.1 620 REM ----- PRINT OUT RESULTS OF SIGNAL MEASUREMENTS -----630 PRINT "JJJI SIGNAL CHARACTERIZATION" 640 PRINT "<u>IJJP-P</u> AMPLITUDEI= ";A9-A0;" VOLTS" 650 PRINT "<u>I</u> ATTEN = ";A5 660 C\$=REP("",3,1) 670 PRINT "I COUPLING = ";C\$ 680 PRINT "I MIN PEAK = ";A0;" I MAX PEAK = ";A9 690 PRINT " IJFREQUENCYI= ";F/1000;" KHz" 700 PRINT " IDUTY CYCLEI= ";INT(W/P*1000)/10;"%" 710 PRINT " IRISETIMEI= ";R*1000000;" uS" 720 PRINT " ISLEW RATEI= ";INT((A8-A1)/R)/1000000;" V/us" 730 GO TO 130 740 REM ----- SRQ ROUTINE -----750 POLL X,Y;18 760 PRINT @18:"ERR?" 770 INPUT @18:E 780 IF E=403 THEN 800 790 PRINT "JERROR CODE: ";E;" HAS BEEN REPORTED" PRIME PRIME AND PRAME PRIME AND THINK BE DECK 800 RETURN

Line 100 -- Returns system environmental parameters to a known state.

Line 110 -- Informs controller of SRQ handler.

Lines 220 to 230 -- Frequency measurement routine.

Lines 250 to 260 -- Pulse width and period measurement routine.

Lines 280 to 290 -- Obtain the maximum and minimum values of the signal.

Line 300 -- Checks to see if the input signal is within the Xl attenuation limits. If it is, attenuation is changed to Xl; if not, the attenuation remains at X5.

Line 310 -- Limits on the maximum and minimum of the input signal are determined by the limits of the trigger level circuit. These limits are min = -3.175 and max = 3.2 volts in the X1 attenuation mode and five times each respective limit in the X5 attenuation mode. This line determines whether either of the X5 limits have been exceeded and, if they have, then coupling is changed from DC to AC. Consider that AC coupling can make the rise/fall measurement duty-cycle dependent.

Line 330 -- If the coupling is already AC, then a warning is displayed on the screen informing the operator of possible errors in the measurements.

Lines 520 to 540 -- Calculate the 10% point and set Channel A level to it.

Lines 560 to 590 -- Calculate the 90% point, set Channel B level to it, and calculate rise time by measuring time A to B.

Line 750 to 800 -- SRQ handler.

This program includes a number of pieces that may be used separately. For example, lines 280 to 300 and 480 to 500 are a good approach to performing auto attenuation. The algorithm is basically this:

1. Start out in the X5 attenuation mode.

2. Check to see whether the limits in the X1 mode have been exceeded. These limits are -3.175 to +3.2 volts for the DC 5009 and -2.044 to +2.048 for the DC 5010. These values are multiplied by 5 to obtain the X5 limits. 3. If these limits have not been exceeded, then change the attenuation to X1.

For the auto coupling routine, the algorithm is basically this:

1. Start out in the DC coupled mode.

2. Check to see whether either limit has been exceeded.

3. If either of them have then change coupling to AC.

Note that whenever the attenuation or the coupling is changed, previous values for maximum and minimum are no longer valid, so a maximum and minimum query must again be executed, preceeded by an auto trigger.

To change this program for the DC 5010:

1. Change the address from 18 to 20 (the DC 5010 factory-set address) or have the DC 5010 address changed to 18.

2. Change the trigger level limits in line 300 to 310 and 440 to 450 to -2.044 and +2.048.

3. Replace lines 520 through 610 with:

510 REMARK GET RISE/TIME AND 10%, 90% LEVELS 520 PRINT @20: "RISE;SEND;CHA A;LEV?;CHA B;LEV?" 530 INPUT @20: R,A1,A8

To use this program as modified for the DC 5010, connect the signal only to Channel A, not A and B, as the DC 5010 has an interval power splitter.

Measuring Phase

A phase measurement is easily accomplished using the Time A to B function. Here's an example that would return the phase angle in degrees of a signal connected to B with respect to a signal connected to A.

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10 REMARK MEASURE PHASE 100 PRINT @20:"INIT;PER;SEND" 110 INPUT @20:P 120 PRINT @20:"TIME;SEND" 130 INPUT @20:T 140 PRINT "DEGREES PHASE = ";INT(360*T/P) 150 END

To add this measurement to the characterization program above, convert the result to phase of A with respect to a reference signal connected to B by subtracting the result, INT(360*T/P) from 360.

Error Decoding

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This listing includes an expanded SRQ subroutine that decodes the ERR? response and prints the instrument ID, the error number, and the corresponding error message. It is based on the full error-decoding routine in Section 7 that handles all TM 5000 instruments.

110 REM *** SUBROUTINE TO PRINT DC 5009/DC5010 ERR? MESSAGES *** 130 INIT 140 ON SRQ THEN 3000 150 PAGE 160 PRINT "TURN POWER ON" 170 B\$="" 180 WAIT 190 ON SRQ THEN 3070 200 REM . ***** YOUR PROGRAM GOES HERE ***** 210 REM 220 REM 230 REM 3000 REM ***** DELAY FOR PON AND POLL CONFIGURATION ***** 3010 CALL "WAIT",5 3020 DIM D(2) 3030 REM ***** DC 5009 @ ADDRESS 18 / DC 5010 @ ADDRESS 20 ***** 3040 DATA 18,20 3050 RESTORE 3040 3060 READ D 3070 REM ***** POLL ROUTINE ***** 3080 POLL X, Y; D(1); D(2) 3090 PRINT @D(X):"ERR?;ID?" 3100 INPUT @D(X):E,E\$ 3110 E\$=SEG(E\$,9,6) 3120 GOSUB 4000 3130 RETURN

***** CODING FOR REPORTING ERROR? INFORMATION ***** 4000 REM 4010 IF LEN(B\$) THEN 4700 4020 DELETE B\$ 4030 DIM B\$(2500) 4040 B\$=" 0 No errors or events to report" Command Header Error" 4050 B\$=B\$&" 101 4060 B\$=B\$&" Header Delimiter Error" 102 4070 B\$=B\$&" 103 Command Argument Error" 4080 B\$=B\$&" 104 Argument Delimiter Error" Non-numeric Argument (numeric expected)" 4090 B\$=B\$&" 105 4100 B\$=B\$&" 106 Missing Argument" Invalid Message Unit Delimiter" 4110 B\$=B\$&" 107 Command Not Executable in Local" 4120 B\$=B\$&" 201 4130 B\$=B\$&" 202 Settings lost due to rtl" 4140 B\$=B\$&" 203 4150 B\$=B\$&" 205 I/O Buffers full, Output dumped" Argument Out of Range" 4160 B\$=B\$&" 206 Group Execute Trigger ignored" 4170 B\$=B\$&" 301 Interrupt Fault" 4180 B\$=B\$&" 302 System Error" 4190 B\$=B\$&" 313 Serial I/O Fault" Fault at U1221A or Input Amplifier (DC 5009)" 4200 B\$=B\$&" 320 Fault at U1000A or Input " 4210 B\$=B\$&" 4220 B\$=B\$&"Amplifier (DC 5010)" 11 321 Fault at U1211A (DC 5009) 4230 B\$=B\$&" 4240 B\$=B\$&" Fault at U1011A (DC 5010)" 4260 B\$=B\$&" 322 4270 B\$ Fault at U1201A (DC 5009) 11 5010)" Fault at U1810A (DC 11 Fault at U1113A (DC 5009) 4270 B\$=B\$&" 323 Fault at U1801A (DC 5010)" 4280 B\$=B\$&" Fault at U1112A (DC 5009) 4290 B\$=B\$&" 324 Fault at U1120A (DC 5010)" 4300 B\$=B\$&" 4310 B\$=B\$&" 325 4320 B\$=B\$&" 326 Fault at U1111A" Fault at U1332" 4330 B\$=B\$&" 329 ""A"" chain failed to reset to zero" Fault at U1221B or Input Amplifier (DC 5009)" 4340 B\$=B\$&" 330 Fault at U1011C or Input " 4350 B\$=B\$&" 4360 B\$=B\$&"Amplifier (DC 5010)" Fault at U1211B (DC 5009) 4370 B\$=B\$&" 331 Fault at U1011B (DC 5010)" 4380 B\$=B\$&" Fault at U1201B (DC 5009) 4390 B\$=B\$&" 332 Fault at U1810B (DC 5010)" 4400 B\$=B\$&" 4410 B\$=B\$&" Fault at U1113B (DC 5009) 333 Fault at U1801B (DC 5010)" 4420 B\$=B\$&" Fault at U1112B (DC 5009) 4430 B\$=B\$&" 334 Fault at U1120B (DC 5010)" 4440 B\$=B\$&" 4450 B\$=B\$&" 335 Fault at U1111B" 4460 B\$=B\$&" 336 Fault at U1012B" ""B"" chain failed to reset to zero" 4470 B\$=B\$&" 339 11 System RAM Error (U1332) (DC 5009) 340 4480 B\$=B\$&" System RAM Error (U1410) (DC 5010)" 4490 B\$=B\$&" System RAM Error (U1610)" 4500 B\$=B\$&" 341 4510 B\$=B\$&" System RAM Error (U1311)" 342 4520 B\$=B\$&" System RAM Error (U1210)" 343

4530 4540 4550 4560 4570	B\$=B\$&" 374 E000 ROM Placement Error" B\$=B\$&" 375 F000 ROM Placement Error" B\$=B\$&" 380 0800 ROM Placement Error"	
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4590		
4600		
4610	i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i	
4620	i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i	
4630		
4640		
4650		
4660	B\$=B\$&" 711 Channel A Overflow"	
4670	B\$=B\$&" 712 Channel B Overflow "	
4680	REM ***** SORTING THRU B\$ ****	
4690	DIM A\$(200)	
4700		
4710		
	E1=POS(B\$,A\$,1)	
4730		
4740		DATAS
4750 4760 4770	REM ***** REPORTING INSTRUMENT AND CODE ***** PRINT "J ";E\$;" ";A\$ RETURN	

Status Routine

This listing uses the low-level serial poll routine from Section 2 to get a status byte whether or not SRQ is asserted (operates with RQS OFF). The routine decodes the status byte and prints a label for the class of status reported.

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1 REM {DC 5010 STB PARSER with ON SRQ}
100 INIT
110 ON SRQ THEN 50000
120 DIM B1(10,2)
130 DATA 97, 113, 98, 114, 99, 115, 65, 81, 66, 82, 67, 83
140 DATA 102, 118, 193, 209, 194, 210, 0, 16
150 RESTORE 130
160 READ B1
200 REM append here
50000 REM get stb
50010 WBYTE @63,24,84:
50020 RBYTE S
50030 WBYTE @25,95:
50040 FOR I=1 TO 10
50050 IF S=B1(I,1) OR S=B1(I,2) THEN 50090
50060 NEXT I
50070 PRINT "_STB = ";S;" Status Message Not FoundGG"
50080 RETURN
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50090 GO TO I OF 50120,50140,50160,50180,50200,50220 50100 GO TO I-8 OF 50240,50260,50280,50300 50110 RETURN 50120 PRINT "_COMMAND ERROR" 50130 RETURN 50140 PRINT " EXECUTION ERROR" 50150 RETURN 50160 PRINT " INTERNAL ERROR" 50170 RETURN 50180 PRINT " POWER UP" 50190 RETURN -50200 PRINT " OPERATION COMPLETE" 50210 RETURN -50220 PRINT " USER REQUEST FOR SERVICE" 50230 RETURN 50240 PRINT " DEVICE WARNING" 50250 RETURN -50260 PRINT "_CHANNEL A OVERFLOW" 50270 RETURN 50280 PRINT " CHANNEL B OVERFLOW" 50290 RETURN 50300 PRINT " NO ERROR OR EVENT TO REPORT" 50310 RETURN _____

SECTION 4

DM 5010 PROGRAMMABLE DIGITAL MULTIMETER

The DM 5010 offers the GPIB programmer full control of multimeter measurements. Front-panel functions may be selected over the GPIB. Readings may be triggered and output over the GPIB (or triggered by an external signal). Readings may also be acquired "on-the-fly" (as soon as available in a free-run mode). Either a normal (4 1/2 digit) or fast (3 1/2 digit) conversion rate may be selected.

A number of calculation functions can massage readings to supply answers that are more useful than the raw data that was acquired.

Because DM 5010 messages are coded in high-level mnemonics programs are easier to write and are self-documenting.

A microprocessor provides the intelligence to handle measurements and math functions, as well as front-panel controls and indicators and high-level messages over the GPIB.

DM 5010 Functions

The DM 5010 measures electrical parameters with the following functions:

DC Volts

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-1000 to +1000 volts.
Maximum resolution = 10 microvolts on the 200 millivolt range.
Basic accuracy = 0.015\% \pm 1 count.
Input Z = 1000 megohms to 20 volts and 10 megohms above 20 volts.
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AC Volts

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0 to 700 volts.
True-rms responding, either AC only or AC+DC.
Maximum resolution = 10 microvolts on 200 millivolt range.
10 Hz to 100 kHz with crest factor of 4.
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Ohms

0 to 20 megohms. Maximum resolution = 10 milliohms on the 200 ohm range. Low applied voltage does not turn on silicon p-n junctions.

Diode Test

Reads diode forward voltage drop at about 1 milliamp. Reads open circuit for reverse direction.

Current

Current is calculated from voltage drop across external, user-supplied, resistor.

Autorange

Microprocessor selects range--override either from GPIB or front panel.

Front/Rear Input

Select either front or rear input from GPIB or front panel.

Null

Microprocessor nulling of lead resistance in ohms or set up a single-probe quasi-differential measurement with any function.

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Calculations

Averaging

Average up to 19999 readings--programmable SRQ can alert controller when a measurement is ready.

Scaling and Offset

(X-B)/A function enables a variety of measurements such as current (B=0 and A=R), temperature sensors, and percent deviation.

dBm or dBr

Read dBm directly or enter a reference and read dBr.

Compare

Enter high and low limits and read HI/PASS/LO--programmable SRQ can alert controller to activate alarm or log data on out-of-limits reading.

For the full set of specifications, see the instrument instruction manual.

GPIB Operation

IEEE 488 Bus Address

The DM 5010 is supplied with a primary address of 16. To observe the current address, press the INST ID button. A decimal point following the number indicates that LF or EOI has been selected as the device-dependent message terminator. The factory setting is EOI only, indicated by the absence of a decimal point. A negative sign is displayed if the instrument has been set to talk-only mode.

Switches for all of these settings are internal; refer to a qualified service person for a change. If the switches are changed, use an address between 1 and 30, EOI only, and talk-only off to operate with TEKTRONIX controllers.

Power-Up

At power-up, the DM 5010 performs a self-test of ROM and RAM. If the test fails, the DM 5010 displays an error number. If the test succeeds, the DM 5010 goes to the local control state with power-up default settings, asserts SRQ, and prepares to report power-up status. Although the DM 5010 responds normally to GPIB messages whether or not the GPIB controller reads the power-up status, a 4050 BASIC program aborts if it does not include the ON SRQ THEN... statement and an SRQ handler (see Section 2 for more on this.)

TABLE 4-1 POWER-UP DEFAULT SETTINGS

Front Panel

DCV	-1.E+3		
NULL	0.0		
LFR	OFF		
MODE	RUN		
DIGIT	4.5		
AVE	2		
RATIO	1.0,	0.0	
DBR	1.0		
LIMITS	0.0,	0.0	
CALC	OFF		

Interrupts

RQS	ON
MONITOR	OFF
OPC	OFF
OVER	OFF
USER	OFF

Device Trigger

OFF

DT		
D 1		

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Selecting DM 5010 Functions

Simple commands select DM 5010 functions--often the same mnemonics used as labels on the front-panel buttons. Insert these commands in controller GPIB ASCII output statements to program the DM 5010 front panel. For example:

PRINT @16:"DCV"

instructs the DM 5010 to measure volts. This command also selects autoranging because a number argument (for the range) is omitted.

String DM 5010 commands together in a single message, even mix in query commands:

PRINT @16:"ACV -20;LFR?;MODE RUN" INPUT @16:F\$

sets the DM 5010 to measure AC volts starting in the 20 volt range, but autoranging (because of the negative argument). The query "LFR?" asks whether the low-frequency response function is on or off. Finally, "MODE RUN" selects continuous (internally triggered) readings. The INPUT statement stores the DM 5010 response to "LFR?" in string variable F\$.

Default Range Settings. You need not enter the exact value of the range desired. Suppose you want a range large enough to accomodate a variable not known to you when you are writing a program. Use the variable as the argument for the range and the DM 5010 will round the variable up to select a large enough range. For example:

PRINT @16:"OHMS ";R

sets the DM 5010 to the 20 kilohm range if the value of R is 7 kilohms, the 200 kilohm range if R is 50 kilohms, etc. This trick is used in the resistor sort program later in this section.

Initializing Settings. It is not necessary to program all DM 5010 functions to establish a known instrument state. Use the INIT command to restore the power-up state; if the desired instrument state differs, just add the necessary commands. For example, to set the instrument to measure the true RMS value of both AC and DC components of a signal with all other instrument parameters set to power-up default values:

PRINT @16:"INIT;ACDC"

Calculations

The DM 5010 microprocessor can operate on readings to provide measurement answers directly, freeing the system controller from many operations. For example, the DM 5010 can null lead resistance or voltage offsets, average up to 19999 readings and report the result, scale and offset the reading, convert the reading to dBm or dB referred to a programmable reference, and determine whether a reading is within limits. These math functions may be cascaded in this order: averaging, scaling, dBm or dBr conversion, and compare to limits. (The null function, if selected, is performed before any of these four.) For instance, null, scaling, and limits functions are used in the power supply set program later in this section.

Averaging. Averaging improves the signal-to-noise ratio of a DC measurement under certain conditions. This is particularly apparent if the noise is asymmetrical and low-frequency. The common-mode rejection and normal-mode (noise on a single lead) rejection characteristics of the DM 5010 may overcome noise on a signal in many instances. Also, symmetrical noise at higher frequencies, such as white noise, is averaged by the integrating-type DM 5010 converter. To reduce noise by microprocessor averaging, use:

PRINT @16:"AVE ";N;";CALC AVE"

where N has been set to a positive number. Note that semicolons surround the variable N--this is part of the syntax of the 4050 BASIC statement. The semicolon in ";CALC AVE" is part of the DM 5010 message syntax and is required to separate the AVE command that selects the number of averages and the CALC command that selects the averaging function.

Averaging requires some time to complete--N/3 seconds for 4 1/2 digit readings, but the DM 5010 holds off any requested output until the averaging calculation is complete, as discussed under Triggering and Acquiring Readings below. Several techniques shown later in this section as application examples allow your program to execute other tasks in the meantime.

Scaling. The (X-B)/A function offsets the measurement by B (equivalent to NULL B) and scales the result by 1/A. This may be used to make accurate in-circuit current measurements. For example:

PRINT @16:"DCV; CALC RATIO; RATIO "; R, Ø

sets the DM 5010 to display current by dividing the voltage across R by the value previously assigned to R. The in-circuit current measurement program later in this section shows a way to do this.

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In the above statement, the ratio arguments are sent outside the quote marks using the 4050 BASIC PRINT syntax as shown. This allows easy incorporation of variables in DM 5010 commands. Note also that the RATIO constants may be sent either before or after (as is the case above) the CALCulate RATIO command as long as both the constants and calculate command are part of the same message. Another use, % deviation, is shown as part of the power supply set program later in this section.

dBm, dBr. The dBm function converts readings to dB referenced to 1 mW in 600 ohms. The dBr function converts readings to dB compared to your reference:

PRINT @16; "CALC DBR; DBR "; R

where R is a variable set by the user. This is illustrated in the frequency response program as a system application, Section 7.

Compare to Limits. This function compares the measurement to programmable limits. Selecting the compare function causes the DM 5010 to display HI, LO, or PASS and output a "1.", "2.", or "3.", in response to the SEND command. Here's an example that sets the DM 5010 to compare an ohms reading to limits of 0.3 and 1. A reading below 0.3 causes the 4052 to beep faster; a reading between 0.3 and 1 causes the 4052 to beep slower (pause between beeps); and a reading above 1 causes the 4052 to skip the line that makes a beep.

10 REMARK COMPARE TO LIMITS 90 ON SRQ THEN 180 100 PRINT @16:"INIT;OHMS;LIMIT 0.3,1;CALC COMP;SEND" 110 INPUT @16:R1 120 REMARK ***** BRANCH ON R1 ***** 130 GO TO R1 OF 160,150,110 140 GO TO 110 150 CALL "WAIT",R1 160 PRINT "G"; 170 GO TO 110 180 POLL A,B;16 190 PRINT "STATUS ";B 200 RETURN

As the program is running, try pressing FAST CONVERSION RATE when the DM 5010 is reading LO. The 4052 will beep at a different rate because part of the time between beeps occurs at line 110 while the 4052 waits for the DM 5010 to supply a reading.

Several programs shown later in this section illustrate other uses of the compare mode.

Triggering and Acquiring Readings

Run Mode. Internally triggered (MODE RUN), the DM 5010 supplies readings as quickly as available--three readings/second in DIGIT 4.5 and more than 25 readings/second in DIGIT 3.5 (both assuming voltage measurements with LFR not selected). All that is required to get a reading is the 4050-series INPUT statement. An example that acquires readings as fast as available is shown in the low-frequency waveform rms program later in this section.

Triggered Mode. A reading may be triggered over the GPIB (MODE TRIG) by the GET interface message (DT TRIG), by SEND, or by the INPUT statement alone. Setting the DM 5010 to MODE TRIG clears any old reading. Each trigger causes the DM 5010 to take as many readings as required to output a valid reading even if autoranging or averaging is performed.

An example using triggered mode is:

10 REMARK TRIGGERED MODE EXAMPLE 100 DIM R(100) 110 PRINT @16:"MODE TRIG" 120 FOR I=1 TO 100 130 PRINT @16:"SEND" 140 INPUT @16:R(I) 150 REM 160 REMARK ***** SET UP PROGRAMMABLE SYSTEM ***** 170 REMARK ***** HERE FOR NEXT MEASUREMENT ***** 180 REM 190 NEXT I

Line 130 is not required unless an averaging operation is triggered that would take longer than five seconds. If the DM 5010 is responding to the INPUT statement alone, it times out after five seconds and outputs a byte with all bits set to one.

The DATA command may be used to request the last reading taken by the DM 5010 without triggering a new reading. The main purpose of DATA is to recover the reading that triggered an out-of-limits SRQ in compare mode:

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for the MON ON condition, the DM 5010 saves an out-of-limits reading until read with the DATA command. See the line voltage and max value programs later in this section for applications of the DATA command.

Ac Settling Time. A filter in the true-rms converter causes a worst-case step response of 1.2 seconds to rated accuracy for ac measurements. Use CALL "WAIT" 4050-series routine to force as much delay as proves necessary (up to 1.2 seconds) for reliable data. If the amplitude of the ac signal does not change as a step function, little (or no) delay may be necessary.

A range change also causes the rms converter to see a step change. In this case also, delay may be necessary before acquiring an ac measurement.

If autoranging, the DM 5010 automatically takes another measurement after a range change. This is an adequate safeguard for dc or ohms measurements, so you can rely on the first dc or ohms reading reported after a range change. For ac measurements, however, the rms converter filter may still be changing after a step change in input signal amplitude. For this reason, it is up to the program to accomplish the required delay.

An overrange interrupt is provided: "OVER ON" causes the DM 5010 to assert SRQ and report overrange status. The program can branch to a CALL "WAIT" routine on this interrupt. This is illustrated in the frequency response application in Section 7. The rms converter response to a downrange condition is quicker, so a program delay may not be necessary.

Application Examples

The following measurement routines illustrate ways to use DM 5010 functions with a GPIB controller. These examples are intended to suggest solutions for programmable measurement tasks. You may benefit by adapting and incorporating these examples in your own programs or by applying the techniques that appear in the examples.

Most are complete programs that incorporate an SRQ handler. All use primary address 16 to communicate with the DM 5010.

Data Logging

This program logs DM 5010 readings to tape. The DM 5010 must be in MODE RUN--the program does not trigger readings. The WAIT routine spaces out data samples. This program also illustrates how to read the data file from tape. After doing so, the 4052 proceeds to compute and print the mean.

This program does not change DM 5010 functions--select DCV or ACV, DIGIT 3.5 or 4.5, or calculations, etc. before running.

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10 REMARK DM5010 TO TAPE DATA LOGGING 20 ON SRQ THEN 360 100 ON EOF (0) THEN 320 110 REMARK ****** FIND TAPE FILE ***** 120 FIND 3 130 REMARK ***** LOG READINGS ***** 140 F1=0 150 FOR I=1 TO 100 160 PRINT @16:"SEND" 170 INPUT @16:R 180 WRITE @33:R 190 IF F1 THEN 220 200 CALL "WAIT".0.01 210 NEXT I 220 I=I-1 230 PRINT I;" DATA LOGGED" 240 REMARK ***** READ FILE AND FIND MEAN ***** 250 DELETE S 260 DIM S(I) 270 FIND 3 280 READ @33:S 290 PRINT "FILE READ; MEAN = ";SUM(S)/I 300 END 310 REMARK ***** EOF SUBROUTINE ***** 320 F1=1 330 PRINT "FILE FULL;"; 340 RETURN 350 REMARK ***** POLL SUBROUTINE ***** 360 POLL A, B; 16 370 PRINT "#";A;" REPORTS ";B 380 RETURN

Line 120 -- Change 3 to the number of any desired tape file that is marked large enough (2000 is enough for 100 data).

Line 140 -- Clears Fl, a flag used by the EOF subroutine.

Lines 150 to 210 -- Read and store 100 readings unless the EOF subroutine sets Fl. Vary line 150 for the desired number of data values. Vary line 200 for the desired delay (0.01 second is negligible to allow loop to complete quickly.

Line 220 -- Corrects I, the data counter. I=101 if FOR/NEXT loop completes 100 readings. If the loop does not complete, this line keeps last data value, which may be invalid, from counting.

Line 230 -- Prints message to operator.

Lines 250 to 290 -- Finds data (again change file number as desired), reads data, and computes mean making use of SUM function.

Lines 320 to 340 -- Handles the end-of-file condition (tape file marked too small). This subroutine only sets Fl; it is up to the logging routine to test the flag after each tape write.

Lines 360 to 380 -- Handles unexpected SRQ events.

Power Supply Setting--Three DM 5010 Display Modes

Setting a voltage, such as a power supply output, is a common DMM use.

In addition to the normal DMM display of volts, three other DM 5010 display modes are available for this purpose. The following program asks the operator to select the mode, and the program then sets up the display. This program also illustrates how to incorporate the user request (INST ID button) SRQ.

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10 REMARK DM5010 POWER SUPPLY SET PROGRAM 20 ON SRQ THEN 410 ***** INIT DM5010 ***** 100 REMARK 110 PRINT @16:"INIT" ***** INPUT VOLTS, DM5010 DISPLAY MODE ***** 120 REMARK 130 PRINT "ENTER IDEAL VOLTAGE AND PERCENT TOLERANCE" 140 INPUT V,P 150 PRINT "ENTER DM5010 DISPLAY MODE: I1=DIFFERENCE" 160 PRINT "II2=% DEVIATION" 170 PRINT "II3=PASS/FAIL" 180 INPUT M 190 PRINT "******* PRESS DM 5010 INST ID BUTTON WHEN DONE" ***** SET UP NULL ***** 200 REMARK 210 PRINT @16:"NULL ";V 220 IF M=1 THEN 290 230 REMARK ***** SET UP % DEVIATION IF REQUESTED ***** 240 PRINT @16:"RATIO ";V*0.01,0;";CALC RATIO" 250 IF M=2 THEN 290 260 REMARK ***** SET UP PASS/FAIL IF REQUESTED ***** 270 PRINT @16:"LIMITS "; P, -P; "; CALC RATIO, CMPR" ***** LOOP TILL USER INTERRUPTS ***** 280 REMARK 290 E=0 300 PRINT @16:"USER ON" 310 IF E<>403 THEN 310 320 PRINT @16:"USER OFF" ***** CHECK FOR CORRECT V 330 REMARK 340 PRINT @16:"CALC OFF" 350 INPUT @16:V1 360 IF ABS(V1/V*100)>P THEN 380 370 END 380 PRINT "GGGGGGREPEAT ADJUSTMENT FOR CORRECT SETTING" 390 GO TO 220 400 REMARK ***** POLL ROUTINE ***** 410 POLL A, B; 16 420 PRINT @16:"ERR?" 430 INPUT @16:E 440 IF B<=67 THEN 460 450 PRINT "STATUS ";B;" ERROR ";E 460 RETURN

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Lines 130 to 190 -- Prints instructions and inputs operator choices.

Lines 210 to 220 -- Subtracts ideal voltage from current reading; skips to difference display; if this display was requested, the program skips other set-ups.

Lines 240 to 250 -- Calculates % deviation (A=0.01*V and B=0) and skips pass/fail display if it was not requested. B=0 because the reading was already nulled.

Line 270 -- Sets up limits and compare mode for HI/LO/PASS display. Note in line 270 (and 240) that multiple parameters for the RATIO and LIMITS commands may be included in the PRINT statement as variables outside the quote marks.

Lines 300 to 320 -- Enables, checks for, and then disables the user interrupt, relying on the error code E obtained by the POLL routine.

Lines 340 to 370 -- Checks for correct absolute voltage and ends program.

Lines 410 to 460 -- A poll routine that incorporates an error query for more detailed information than the instrument reports in the status byte. The status and error codes are printed unless the status byte corresponds to the user interrupt.

A Resistor Sorting Program

This program sets up the desired limits for good readings and aids the operator in sorting resistors. The program could be adapted to activate a parts handler by branching on the value of M.

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10 REMARK RESISTOR SORT ROUTINE 90 ON SRQ THEN 270 100 PRINT "ENTER RESISTOR VALUE: ": 110 INPUT R 120 PRINT "ENTER % TOLERENCE: ": 130 INPUT T 140 REMARK ***** SET UP DM5010 ***** 150 PRINT @16:"INIT:OHMS ":R*(1+0.01*T) 160 PRINT @16:"RATIO ";0.01*R;R;";LIM ";T;-T;";CALC RATIO, CMPR" ***** WAIT FOR TWO GOOD READINGS ***** 170 REMARK 180 FOR I=1 TO 2 190 INPUT @16:M 200 IF M=2 THEN 220 210 I=0 220 NEXT I 230 REMARK ***** RING BELL FOR PASS 240 PRINT "G"; 250 GO TO 180 ***** SRQ HANDLER (N.A.) 260 REMARK 270 POLL A, B; 16 280 PRINT @16:"ERR?" 290 INPUT @16:E\$ 300 PRINT "ISTATUS ":B,E\$ 310 RETURN

Lines 100 to 160 -- Sets up DM 5010 compare mode using values input by the operator.

Lines 180 to 250 -- Fail-safe check--pass only if two consecutive readings are good. If so, signal the operator.

Lines 270 to 310 -- Handles unexpected SRQs.

Monitoring Line Voltage

This program sets up the DM 5010 for unattended data logging to tape the time and data for out-of-limits line voltage conditions. This saves storage by logging only the desired readings. It can be adapted to monitor many other conditions by changing the DM 5010 function and limits in line 150. You may stop the program with the BREAK before the tape file is filled. After running, follow the instructions in line 20 to reset the 4050 page-full mode. This program uses the File Manager ROM Pack to obtain the time; it could use the Real Time Clock ROM Pack instead by modifying line 260.

10 REMARK LINE VOLTAGE MONITOR PROGRAM 20 REMARK RESET PAGE FULL PARAMETER AFTER END (PRI@32,26:0) 100 PRINT @32,26:2 110 FIND 3 120 ON EOF (0) THEN 360 130 ON SRQ THEN 180 140 REMARK ***** SET UP DM5010 AS MONITOR ***** 150 PRINT @16:"INIT; ACV 200; LIMITS 105, 125; MONITOR ON" 160 WAIT 170 GO TO 160 ***** POLL FOR STAUS BYTE AND ERROR CODE ***** 180 REMARK 190 POLL X, Y; 16 200 PRINT @16:"ERR?" 210 INPUT @16:E 220 IF E=701 OR E=703 THEN 250 230 PRINT "STATUS ";Y;" ERROR ";E;" REPORTED" 240 GO TO 350 ***** LOG OUT-OF-LIMITS DATA ***** 250 REMARK 260 CALL "TIME", A\$ 270 PRINT @16:"DATA" 280 INPUT @16:D\$ 290 PRINT @16:"MON OFF" 300 A\$=D\$&A\$ 310 PRINT A\$ 320 WRITE @33:A\$ 330 CALL "WAIT", 10 340 PRINT @16:"MON ON" 350 RETURN 360 END 1000 REMARK READ AND PRINT DATA FROM TAPE PRINI DATA FROM TALE 1010 PRINT @32,26:0 1020 FIND 3 1030 FOR I=1 TO 1000 1040 READ @33:A\$ 1050 PRINT A\$ 1060 NEXT I

Line 100 -- Keep page-full condition from holding up program execution.

Lines 110 to 130 -- Set up tape and program; change 110 to find any marked file, as desired.

Lines 150 to 170 -- Set up DM 5010 and wait for interrupt.

Lines 190 to 240 -- Poll and query error; check error for out-of-limits error (701=10w, 703=high). Branch to log out-of-limits reading or print other (unexpected) status and error.

Lines 260 to 350 -- Get the time and out-of-limits reading (DATA), concatenate, and write on tape. Shut off further immediate out-of-limits readings, wait 10 seconds, then resume limits monitoring and return.

The file manager time must be initialized previously with

CALL "SETTIME", "dd-mmm-yy hh:mm:ss"

To operate with the Real Time Clock ROM Pack, change line 260 to:

26Ø CALL "RDTIME", A\$

and initialize the time with:

CALL "SETIME", "dd-mmm-yy hh:mm:ss"

Lines 1010 to 1060 -- You may survey data on tape by entering "RUN 1000" after the previous lines are executed. If you changed line 110, change line 1020 to match.

In-Circuit Current Measurement

This program prompts the operator to measure a resistor, enters the value, and uses it to calculate current based on the voltage measured. The program turns off power to the circuit while the resistor is being measured.

10 REMARK IN-CIRCUIT CURRENT MEASUREMENT 90 ON SRQ THEN 1000 100 PRINT @22:"OUT OFF" 110 PRINT @16:"INIT;OHMS" 120 PRINT "1) SHORT DMM LEADS TO SAME SIDE OF RESISTOR "; 130 PRINT "AND PRESS ""NULL""" 140 PRINT "2) MOVE ONE LEAD TO OTHER SIDE OF RESISTOR "; 145 PRINT "AND PRESS ""RETURN""" 150 INPUT A\$ 160 INPUT @16:R1 170 PRINT @16:"DCV;CALC RATIO;RATIO ";R1,O 180 PRINT @22:"OUT ON" 190 END 1000 POLL A, B; 16; 22 1010 PRINT "STATUS "; B; " FROM ADDRESS "; 16+6*(A-1) 1020 RETURN

Lines 100 and 180 -- control power supplied to circuit by a PS 5010.

Lines 110 to 150 -- Set up DM 5010 and instruct operator; wait on INPUT until operator performs the instructions.

Lines 160 to 170 -- INPUT the resistor value and begin displaying current by measuring the voltage and scaling the reading using R1.

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Averaging Using RDY? Or OPC

Averaging takes awhile to complete as noted earlier in this section. Here's how to use RDY? or the OPC interrupt to check for completion.

First, the RDY? query. This program uses GET to trigger a new measurement only after the old one is read.

10 REMARK AVERAGE WITH RDY? QUERY 90 ON SRQ THEN 240 100 REMARK ***** SET UP AVERAGED MEASUREMENT ***** 110 PRINT @16:"DT TRIG; MODE TRIG; AVE 30; CALC AVE" 120 REMARK ***** SEND GET INTERFACE MESSAGE ***** 130 CALL "WAIT",0.2 140 WBYTE @32+16,8,63: 150 REMARK ***** PROGRAM GOES HERE; TEST RDY? FOR DONE ***** 160 PRINT @16:"RDY?" 170 INPUT @16:D1 180 IF D1 THEN 200 190 GO TO 160 200 INPUT @16:R1 210 PRINT "AVERAGE READING = ";R1 220 GO TO 140 230 REMARK ***** SRQ HANDLER ***** 240 POLL S, B; 16 250 PRINT @16:"ERR?" 260 INPUT @16:E\$ 270 PRINT E\$;" STATUS ";B 280 RETURN

Lines 110 to 140 -- Set up triggered, averaged measurement; wait for execution of command string; then send GET.

Lines 150 to 190 -- Your program can do other tasks, returning to check for measurement ready as is illustrated here.

Lines 200 to 220 -- Get reading and go for another one.

Lines 240 to 280 -- Handle any unexpected SRQs.

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Second, the OPC interrupt. This program also operates in triggered mode, but uses SEND to trigger a measurement.

10 REMARK AVERAGE WITH OPC INTERRUPT HANDLER 90 ON SRQ THEN 190 ***** SET UP MEASUREMENT AND DONE FLAG ***** 100 REMARK 110 PRINT @16:"MODE TRIG; AVE 30; CALC AVE; OPC ON" 120 PRINT @16:"SEND" 130 F1=1 ***** PROGRAM GOES HERE; TEST FLAG FOR DONE ***** 140 REMARK 150 IF F1 THEN 150 160 PRINT "AVERAGE READING = ";R1 170 GO TO 120 ***** SRQ HANDLER ***** 180 REMARK 190 POLL S, B; 16 200 IF B=66 OR B=82 THEN 230 210 PRINT B;" STATUS REPORTED" 220 RETURN 230 IN.PUT @16:R1 240 F1=0 250 RETURN

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Line 110 -- Set up averaged, triggered modes.

Line 120 -- Trigger a measurement.

Lines 130 to 170 -- Set flag and test, looping until reading is acquired, then print it. Repeat loop indefinitely.

Line 190 to 250 -- Poll on interrupt, printing unexpected status (line 210) or inputting reading (line 230) if status indicated operation complete.

Find Max Value

The SRQ subroutine is expanded to update a variable that holds the biggest DM 5010 reading (greater than zero). The DM 5010 performs the task of testing each reading against the current champion, which the controller has loaded in as one of the DM 5010 limits.

10 REMARK SRQ SUBROUTINE FINDS MAX VALUE 20 ON SRQ THEN 220 30 WBYTE @48,20,63: 40 PRINT @16:"INIT" 50 PRINT "PRESS <RETURN> WHEN READY....." 60 INPUT A\$ 100 REMARK **** SET UP DM5010 ***** 110 PRINT @16:"FUNC?" 120 INPUT @16:S\$ 130 S=VAL(S\$)140 S=ABS(S) $150 \ S_{s=SEG(S_{s}, 1, 3)}$ 160 PRINT @16: "MODE RUN; LIMITS -99, 0; CALC CMPR; "; S\$, S 170 PRINT @16:"MON ON;OVER ON;RQS ON" 180 REMARK ***** WAIT LOOP HOLDS PLACE FOR YOUR PROGRAM ***** 190 WAIT 200 GO TO 190 ***** SRQ ROUTINE UPDATES RANGE OR LIMITS ***** 210 REMARK 220 POLL A, B; 16 230 PRINT @16:"ERR?" 240 INPUT @16:E 250 IF E<>601 THEN 300 260 M1=S 270 IF S=1000 THEN 350 280 S=10*S 290 PRINT @16:S\$,S 300 IF E<>703 THEN 350 310 PRINT @16:"DATA" 320 INPUT @16:M1 330 PRINT @16:"LIMIT -99,";M1 340 PRINT "NEW MAX =";M1 350 RETURN

Lines 20 to 60 -- Restore power-up values and start when operator is ready. Add to line 40 if you want other than power-up settings.

Lines 110 to 170 -- Take instrument out of autorange, but leave in current range; guarantee free-run mode, set up limits and compare mode; and turn on interrupts.

Lines 190 to 200 -- Ad lib your own program here.

Lines 220 to 250 -- Get status and error codes.

Lines 250 to 290 -- For overrange condition, remember top of current range S as max value M1. If not already at highest range, move up one range (10*S).

Lines 300 to 340 -- For beyond-upper-limit condition, get out-of-limits reading (DATA) as new Ml; put it into DM 5010 limits parameter; and print new max value.

P-P Reading of Square Wave

This technique acquires square wave positive and negative peak values up to 20 hertz if you have selected the fast readings mode and set the DCV range big enough for the signal.

10 REMARK SQUARE WAVE PEAK-PEAK READING 20 ON SRQ THEN 260 ***** GET READINGS ***** 100 REMARK 110 DELETE R 120 DIM R(100) 130 FOR I=1 TO 100 140 INPUT @16:R(I) 150 NEXT I ***** FIND MAX, MIN **** 160 REMARK 170 M1 = R(1)180 M2 = R(1)190 FOR I=2 TO 100 200 M1=M1 MAX R(I) 210 M2=M2 MIN R(I) 220 NEXT I 230 PRINT "MAX = ";M1,"MIN = ";M2 240 END ***** POLL ROUTINE ***** 250 REMARK 260 POLL A, B; 16 270 PRINT "STATUS "; B; " REPORTED" 280 RETURN

Lines 100 to 150 -- Fill a 100-point array.

Lines 170 to 230 -- Sort through the array, point-by-point, for biggest and smallest readings; print them.

Low-Frequency Rms

DM 5010 true-rms ac readings yield rated accuracy down to 10 hertz and are useful below that. At very low frequencies, however, readings begin to follow the input as though it were a varying dc signal. Here's a program that returns rms readings for signals down to about 0.4 hertz by digitizing a waveform, finding a full cycle, and calculating its rms value. The input waveform must be continuously varying--the find-cycle routine fails on square waves.

10 REMARK LOW FREQUENCY WAVEFORM RMS 20 ON SRQ THEN 700 100 REMARK ***** GET DATA ***** 110 PRINT @16:"FUNC?" 120 INPUT @16:S 130 S=ABS(S)140 PRINT @16:"DIGIT 3.5;DCV ";S 150 DELETE B5 160 DIM B5(90) 170 FOR I=1 TO 90 180 INPUT @16:B5(I) 190 NEXT I 200 REMARK ***** SCALE GRAPH ***** 210 PAGE 220 VIEWPORT 20, 120, 10, 90 230 WINDOW 0,90,-S,+S 240 AXIS 14.3, S/4, 1,0 250 PRINT @32,21:0,51 260 PRINT " V/D=" 270 PRINT S/4 280 PRINT @32,21:60,5 290 PRINT "T/D=0.5" ***** GRAPH DATA ***** 300 REMARK 310 MOVE 1, B5(1) 320 FOR I=2 TO 90 330 DRAW I, B5(I) 340 NEXT I 350 REMARK ***** FIND FULL CYCLE ***** 360 F1=0 370 IF B5(2)>B5(1) THEN 390 380 F1=1 390 FOR I=2 TO 90 400 IF B5(I)>B5(1) THEN 430 410 NEXT I 420 GO TO 660 430 FOR J=I+1 TO 90 440 IF B5(J)<B5(I) THEN 470 450 NEXT J

460 GO TO 660 470 T1=J 480 IF F1 THEN 540 490 FOR K=J+1 TO 90 500 IF B5(K)>B5(J) THEN 530 510 NEXT K 520 GO TO 660 530 T1=K ***** RMS CALCULATION ***** 540 REMARK 550 B5=B5^2 560 R = B5(1)/2570 FOR I=1 TO T1-1 580 R = R + B5(I)590 NEXT I 600 R = R + B5(T1)/2610 R = R/T1620 R = SQR(R)630 PRINT USING """^""3L50T""RMS = ""3D.3D""V""":R 640 GO TO 680 650 REMARK BRANCH HERE IF FULL CYCLE SEARCH FAILS 660 PRINT 670 PRINT " ** ROUTINE DID NOT FIND A FULL CYCLE FOR RMS CALCULATION **" 680 END ***** POLL ROUTINE ***** 690 REMARK 700 POLL A, B; 16 710 PRINT "STATUS ":B:" REPORTED" 720 RETURN

Lines 110 to 140 -- Set up fast readings mode and defeat autorange (assumes present range is large enough for waveform).

Lines 150 to 190 -- Get 90 readings; this limits lowest frequency at which a full cycle is acquired to about 0.4 hertz and is a compromise to limit wait for acquiring higher frequencies.

Lines 220 to 290 -- Size graph and scale the plot of the 90 readings, then label axes.

Lines 310 to 340 -- Move to first point and draw lines to rest of the points.

Lines 360 to 390 -- Clear Fl (initial slope = positive); set Fl if initial slope is negative.

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Lines 390 to 420 -- Find next reading that is greater than the initial reading. If initial slope was negative, we are half finished. If initial slope was positive, we are just beginning. If this test exhausts all readings, fail at 660.

Lines 430 to 470 -- Continue until a reading is less than point where last test completed.

Line 480 -- If initial slope was negative, proceed to calculate rms. If initial slope was positive, we are half finished.

Lines 490 to 530 -- We get here if initial slope was positive and finish testing for end of first full cycle.

Lines 550 to 630 -- Compute and print rms: square values point by point, apply the trapezoidal rule for integration, and take the square root.


T/D=0.5

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Fig. 4-1. Sample output of rms program.

Error Decoding

This is an expanded SRQ subroutine that decodes the ERR? response to print an error message. It is based on the full error-decoding routine in Section 7 that handles not only the DM 5010, but other TM 5000 instruments as well.

110 REM *** SUBROUTINE TO PRINT ERROR MESSAGE IN RESPONSE TO ERR? 130 INTT 140 ON SRQ THEN 3070 150 REM 160 REM ***** YOUR PROGRAM GOES HERE ***** 170 REM 3060 REM ***** POLL ROUTINE ***** 3070 POLL X, Y; 16 3080 PRINT @16:"ERR?; ID?" 3090 INPUT @16:E,E\$ 3100 E\$=SEG(E\$,9,6) 3110 GOSUB 4000 3120 RETURN 4000 REM ***** CODING FOR REPORTING ERROR? INFORMATION ***** 4010 IF LEN(B\$) THEN 5700 4020 DELETE B\$ 4030 DIM B\$(1500) 4040 B\$=" 101 Command Header Error" 4050 B\$=B\$&" 102 4060 B\$=B\$&" 103 Header Delimiter Error" Command Argument Error" 4070 B\$=B\$&" 104 Argument Delimiter Error" 4080 B\$=B\$&" 105 4090 B\$=B\$&" 106 Non-numeric Argument (numeric expected)" Missing Argument" 4100 B\$=B\$&" 107 Invalid Message Unit Delimiter" 4130 B\$=B\$&" 201 Command Not Executable in Local" 4140 B\$=B\$&" 202 4150 B\$=B\$&" 203 4160 B\$=B\$&" 204 Settings lost due to rtl" I/O Buffers full, Output dumped" Settings Conflicts" 4170 B\$=B\$&" 205 Argument Out of Range" 4170 B\$=B\$&" 205 4180 B\$=B\$&" 206 4200 B\$=B\$&" 231 4210 B\$=B\$&" 232 Group Execute Trigger ignored" Not in Calibrate Mode" Beyond Calibration capability" 4300 B\$=B\$&" 301 Interrupt Fault" 4310 B\$=B\$&" 302 System Error" 4320 B\$=B\$&" 4330 B\$=B\$&" 303 4610 B\$=B\$&" 311 Math Pack Error" Timeout (measurement not completed)" 4610 B\$=B\$&" 311 340 System RAM Error" 4620 B\$=B\$&" 341 System RAM Error (low nibble)" 4720 B\$=B\$&" 351 Calibration RAM Checksum Error" 4850 B\$=B\$&" 372 COOO ROM Placement Error" 4860 B\$=B\$&" 373 D000 ROM Placement Error" 4870 B\$=B\$&" 374 E000 ROM Placement Error" 5010 B\$=B\$&" COOO ROM Checksum Error" 5010 B\$=B\$&" 392 5020 B\$=B\$&" 393 5030 B\$=B\$&" 394 392 D000 ROM Checksum Error" E000 ROM Checksum Error" 5040 B\$=B\$&" 395 F000 ROM Checksum Error" 5050 B\$=B\$&" 401 Power On" 5060 B\$=B\$&" 402 Operation Complete" 5070 B\$=B\$&" 403 User Request" 5080 B\$=B\$&" 521 Display During Signature Analysis" 5090 B\$=B\$&" 601 5150 B\$=B\$&" 701 Overrange" Below Limits" 5160 B\$=B\$&" 703 Above Limits "

5690 REM ***** SORTING THRU B\$ ***** 5700 A\$=STR(E) 5710 A\$=A\$&" " 5720 E1=POS(B\$,A\$,1) 5730 E2=POS(B\$,"_",E1) 5740 A\$=SEG(B\$,E1,E2-E1+1) 5750 REM ***** REPORTING INSTRUMENT AND CODE ***** 5760 PRINT "J_";E\$;" --- ";A\$

Your program should initialize B\$ (B\$="") before calling this routine the first (and only the first) time. See the longer version of this program in Section 7 for an example of how this is done.

SECTION 5

FG 5010 PROGRAMMABLE FUNCTION GENERATOR

The FG 5010 is a versatile signal source with programmable frequency, amplitude, offset voltage, and waveshape. A variety of operating modes are available in addition to the continuous (free-running) mode. When stimulated by external signals applied to the TRIG/GATE input, the AM input, or the FM/VCF input, the FG 5010 can provide almost any combination of parameters in an output waveform.

FG 5010 Functions

The FG 5010 provides sine, square/pulse, and triangle/ramp waveforms, which can be programmed for:

Frequency

0.002 to 20 MHz.

Microprocessor monitors frequency using counter techniques for 0.1% accuracy in free-run mode.

Amplitude

20 mV to 20 V p-p open circuit. 10 mV to 10 V p-p into 50 ohms. 4-digit resolution.

Offset

0 to ± 7.5 V open circuit. 0 to ± 3.75 V into 50 ohms. Amplitude plus offset ≤ 15 V (open circuit), 7.5 V (50 ohms). Resolution = 20 mV (open circuit), 10 mV (50 ohms).

Normal/Complement

Output can be inverted around the programmed offset.

Triggered, Gated, or Nburst (1 to 9,999 cycles)

Responds to external signal, GET interface message, or Manual trigger.

Phase

+90 degrees from control signal. One degree steps. Sets baseline in triggered, gated, or burst mode.

Symmetry

10% to 90% to create pulses and ramps. One percent steps.

Output Hold

0.002 to 200 Hz. Can hold instantaneous level.

Phase Lock

20 Hz to 20 MHz range. Automatically scans and locks to control signal. Programmable SRQ for phase-lock condition.

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Modulation

Uses external modulation signal. AM or FM. DC to 100 kHz.

Swept Frequency

Uses external sweep signal. 0 to 10 V produces 1:1000 frequency change.

GPIB Operation

IEEE 488 Bus Address

Pressing the INST ID button causes the FG 5010 to display its GPIB primary address and message terminator. A decimal point indicates the message terminator is set for LF or EOI; the absence of a decimal point indicates it is set for EOI only.

The FG 5010 is set at the factory for address 24 and EOI only; these settings may be changed by changing the switches on the back of the plug-in.

Select any address from 1 to 30 and EOI only to operate with 4050-Series controllers. The FG 5010 does not use and ignores secondary addresses.

Power-Up Self-Test

The FG 5010 performs an internal diagnostic self-test after the instrument has powered up or received the TEST command. In the case of power-up, the front panel controls are always set to fixed defaults and the SRQ line is asserted to interrupt the controller; the SRQ line is not released until the controller serial polls the FG 5010 for the power-up status byte. Diagnostic errors found during power-up cause the FG 5010 to continue to assert the SRQ line until an additional status byte is reported to indicate the internal error.

FG 5010 settings may be restored to their power-up state by the INIT command.

TABLE 5-1 POWER-UP DEFAULT SETTINGS

Front Panel

FREQ	1.0E+3
AMPL	500.0E-3
OFFS	0.0
SYMM	50
PHASE	0
NBUR	10
FUNC	SINE
MODE	CONT
SLOPE	POS
OUT	OFF
COMP	OFF
AM	OFF
FM	OFF

Interrupts

VCF	OFF
HOLD	OFF
GATE	OFF
PLI	OFF
USER	OFF
RQS	ON

Device Trigger

DT

OFF

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Programming FG 5010 Functions

Setting Commands and Queries

One or more setting commands and queries may be sent in a message to the FG 5010 in 4050-Series PRINT statements:

> PRINT @24:"FUNC SQUARE" PRINT @24:"FUNC SQUARE;FREQ 1.1E+6;AMPL?"

The FG 5010 accepts variations that make the programming task less rigorous. For instance, "FUNC SQUARE" could be sent as "FUNCTION SQUARE", "FUNC SQU", or simply "SQUARE".

In the example above, "AMPL?" readies the FG 5010 to return: "AMPL <NUMBER>", which may be read by the 4050-Series statements:

INPUT @24:A\$ INPUT @24:A1

as the string A\$ or as just a number in variable Al. Most setting commands may be turned into queries by adding a question mark to the command mnemonic as in the case of "AMPL?". Executing the 4050-Series INPUT statement without first sending a query causes the FG 5010 to output a single byte with all bits set to one (decimal 255).

All FG 5010 commands are included in the Appendix. Refer to the power-up settings above for a list of programmable settings. And for a more complete discussion of FG 5010 programming formats and syntax, refer to the instrument instruction manual.

High-Level Settings Query

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FG 5010 settings may be queried as a group with "SET?". The response is a sequence of message units that defines all the front panel settings and system settings. Use this capability to learn all front panel settings and store them in computer memory as string variables for use at a later time. For more information on how to use "SET?" with 4050-Series BASIC, see Section 2. The SET query response contains valid instrument commands and will be executed if sent back to the instrument.

Low-Level Settings Query

The FG 5010 has the added capability of sending its current programmed status back in the form of a binary block message. To make use of this message, you must send it back to the instrument in the form in which it was received; no alteration is permitted. This low-level message will be sent by the FG 5010 only when it is prompted with the "LLSET?" query or the "SEND <n>" command (n for one of ten stored settings). The syntax of the binary block is of the general form:

HEADER <SPACE> % <BINARY BLOCK> ;

The bytes sent in the binary block are not ASCII and must be stored as numeric variables in the controller's memory. Refer to the low-level settings application programs later in this section for more details. 0

Special Functions with Group Execute Trigger (GET)

The response of the FG 5010 to receipt of the Group Execute Trigger interface control message is determined by the DT command. Four possible actions can be programmed: no action (DT OFF), update to new settings (DT SET), execute one output event of TRIG or NBURST (DT TRIG), or toggle the gate on or off in GATE mode (DT GATE).

The appropriate response to GET must be programmed before the GET message is received. Use GET when the FG 5010 must execute operations in software synchronization with other instruments in the system. Such a situation might occur when a single output cycle is desired from the function generator at the same moment a DC 5009 counter or DM 5010 multimeter is to begin its measurement interval.

To set up the FG 5010 for DT TRIG and trigger a single pulse out with the GET message:

1000 PRINT @24:"INIT;OUT ON;MODE TRIG;DT TRIG" 1010 WBYTE @56,24,63: Line 1000 sets up the FG 5010 at address 24 with default settings, output on, triggered mode, and trigger on receipt of GET.

Line 1010 sends the GET command.

Status Reporting

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Some status bytes reported by the FG 5010 have special meaning in relation to FG 5010 functions, as shown in Table 5-2. The full set of status and error codes returned by the FG 5010 and other TM 5000 instruments is listed in the Appendix.

TABLE 5-2 SPECIAL FG 5010 STATUS BYTES

CONDITION	NOT BUSY	BUSY
Generator went out of phase lock	202	218
Generator went into phase lock	206	222
Trigger input low	129	145
Trigger input toggling	130	146
Trigger input high	131	147
Phase lock mode, out of lock, trigger low	137	153
Phase lock mode, out of lock, trigger toggling	138	154
Phase lock mode, out of lock, trigger high	139	155
Phase lock mode, in lock, trigger toggling	142	158
Not in phase lock, trigger status not available mode	128	144

FG 5010 Applications Programs

The programs in this section feature special FG 5010 capabilities. The routines are written in 4052 basic as stand-alone programs or as subroutines which operate on predefined variables. The FG 5010 is assumed to be the only device on the bus and set to address 24.

FG 5010 ERR? and Status Byte Message Table

This program provides the framework for the rest of the routines. Full decoding of status bytes and error messages is accomplished in the SRQ interrupt handler. Append other programs to line 1000.

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Variables: B$ = Error code messages
B1 = Status byte code table
A$ = Error code printed message
E1, E2, E = Error code reporting variables
P,S = Serial Poll variables
B2 = Status byte code table read flag
I = Stats byte table decode FOR NEXT loop
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1 REM {FG 5010 ERR? and Status Byte MESSAGE TABLE}
100 INIT
110 B$=""
120 B2=0
130 ON SRQ THEN 50000
140 PAGE
1000 REM
       append programs here for FG5010 at address 24.
49980 END
49990 REM ----- SRQ Interrupt Handler -----
50000 POLL P,S;24
50010 REM parse the status byte message
50020 GOSUB 50090
50030 PRINT @24:"ERR?"
50040 INPUT @24:E
50050 REM parse the ERR? message
50060 GOSUB 50580
50070 RETURN
50080 REM ---- ERR? and Status Byte message table -----
50090 IF B2 THEN 50160
50100 DIM B1(16,2)
50110 DATA 97, 113, 98, 114, 99, 115, 65, 81, 67, 82, 0, 16, 202, 218, 206, 222, 129, 145
50120 DATA 130, 146, 131, 147, 137, 153, 138, 154, 139, 155, 142, 158, 128, 144
50130 RESTORE 50110
50140 READ B1
50150 B2=1
50160 FOR I=1 TO 16
50170 IF S=B1(I,1) OR S=B1(I,2) THEN 50210
50180 NEXT I
50190 PRINT " STB = ";S;"
                        Status Message Not FoundGG"
50200 RETURN
50210 PRINT " GG* INTERRUPT * ":
50220 GO TO I OF 50250,50270,50290,50310,50330,50350,50370,50390
50230 GO TO I-8 OF 50410,50430,50450,50470,50490,50510,50530,50550
50240 RETURN
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50250 PRINT " COMMAND ERROR": 50260 RETURN 50270 PRINT " EXECUTION ERROR"; 50270 PRINT " EXECUTION ERROR"; 50280 RETURN 50290 PRINT " INTERNAL ERROR"; 50300 RETURN 50310 PRINT " POWER UP"; 50320 RETURN 50330 PRINT " USER REQUEST FOR SERVICE"; 50340 RETURN 50350 PRINT " NOTHING TO REPORT"; 50360 RETURN 50370 PRINT " PHASE LOCK MODE - GENERATOR OUT OF LOCK"; 50380 RETURN 50390 PRINT " PHASE LOCK MODE - GENERATOR IN LOCK"; 50400 RETURN 50410 PRINT " TRIGGER INPUT LOW"; 50420 RETURN 50430 PRINT " TRIGGER INPUT TOGGLING"; 50440 RETURN 50450 PRINT " TRIGGER INPUT HIGH"; 50460 RETURN 50470 PRINT " PHASE LOCK MODE - OUT OF LOCK - TRIGGER LOW"; 50480 RETURN 50490 PRINT " PHASE LOCK MODE - OUT OF LOCK - TRIGGER TOGGLING"; 50500 RETURN 50510 PRINT " PHASE LOCK MODE - OUT OF LOCK - TRIGGER HIGH"; 50520 RETURN 50530 PRINT " PHASE LOCK MODE - IN LOCK - TRIGGER TOGGLING"; 50540 RETURN 50550 PRINT " NOT IN PHASE LOCK MODE - TRIGGER STATUS NOT AVAILABLE"; 50560 RETURN 50570 REM ***** CODING FOR REPORTING ERROR? INFORMATION ***** 50580 IF LEN(B\$) THEN 51210 50600 DIM B\$(2400) 50610 B\$=" 101 Invalid Command Header" 50620 B\$=B\$&" 102 Header Delimiter Error" 50630 B\$=B\$&" 103 Command Argument Error" 50640 B\$=B\$&" 106 Missing Argument" 50650 B\$=B\$&" 107 Invalid Message Unit Delimi 50660 B\$=B\$&" 108 Binary Block Checksum Error 50670 B\$=B\$&" 109 Binary Block Byte-count Erro 50680 B\$=B\$&" 201 Command Not Executable in Lo 50690 B\$=B\$&" 202 Settings lost due to rtl" 50700 B\$=B\$&" 203 I/O Buffers full (output dur 50710 B\$=B\$&" 205 Argument Out of Range" 50720 B\$=B\$&" 206 Group Execute Trigger ignor 50730 B\$=B\$&" 251 Symmetry-Frequency Conflict" 50740 B\$=B\$&" 252 Amplitude-Offset Conflict" 50750 B\$=B\$&" 254 Hold Mode-Phase Lock Conflict 50770 B\$=B\$&" 255 Hold Mode-Frequency Conflict" 50780 B\$=B\$&" 257 Phase Lock-VCF Conflict" 50790 B\$=B\$&" 258 Gate (ON/OFF)-Mode Conflict" 50590 DELETE B\$ Invalid Message Unit Delimiter" Binary Block Checksum Error" Binary Block Byte-count Error" Command Not Executable in Local state" I/O Buffers full (output dumped to avoid deadlock)" Group Execute Trigger ignored" Symmetry-Frequency Conflict" Amplitude-Offset Conflict" Hold Mode-Phase Lock Conflict" Hold Mode-Frequency Conflict" 50790 B\$=B\$&" 258 Gate (ON/OFF)-Mode Conflict"

	B\$=B\$&"_ 301	Interrupt Fault"	-
	B\$=B\$&" 302 B\$=B\$&" 311	System Error" Period measurement failed to complete"	0
	B\$=B\$&" 312	Period measurement overflow occured"	
	B\$=B\$&" 313	Shift register (in VIA) failed to function"	
	B\$=B\$&" 314 B\$=B\$&" 315	Mag-latch relay strobe interrupt failed to occur	. 11
	B\$=B\$&" 316	Phase lock status over and under range" Automatic frequency correction range exceeded"	
	B\$=B\$&" 320	Via fault on CPU board"	
	B\$=B\$&" 321	Trig/Gate control error on CPU board"	
	B\$=B\$&" 322 B\$=B\$&" 323	4 MHz Reference Frequency Clock or Counter Fault Frequency Control Logic Fault on Loop 2 board"	;"
	B\$=B\$&" 324	Loop cycle counter fault on Loop 2 board"	
50930	B\$=B\$&" 325	Frequency prescaler fault on Loop 2 board"	
	B\$=B\$&" 326	Low Frequency Prescaler Fault on Loop 2 board"	
	B\$=B\$&" 327 B\$=B\$&" 328	No Signal Detected from Loop 1 board" Inadequate Frequency Range - 2 KHz range"	
	B\$=B\$&" 329	Inadequate Frequency Range - 20 KHz range"	
	B\$=B\$&" 330	Inadequate Frequency Range - 200 KHz range"	
	B\$=B\$&" 331 B\$=B\$&" 332	Inadequate Frequency Range - 2 MHz range"	
	B\$=B\$&"_ 332 B\$=B\$&"_ 333	Inadequate Frequency Range - 20 MHz range" Burst Counter Fault"	
51020	B\$=B\$&" 334	Offset Generator Fault"	
	B\$=B\$&" 335	Amplitude DAC Error"	
	B\$=B\$&" 336 B\$=B\$&" 337	Amplitude Attenuator Error" Waveform Shaping Error"	
	B\$=B\$&" 338	Normal/Complement Error"	
51070	B\$=B\$&" 339	Low Frequency Generator DAC Error"	0
	B\$=B\$&" 340 B\$=B\$&" 341	Faulty RAM found (U1400)"	
	B\$=B\$&"341 B\$=B\$&"350	Faulty RAM found (U1500)" Faulty RAM found in uP chip"	
51110	B\$=B\$&" 370	ROM Placement Error at address A000"	
	B\$=B\$&" 372	ROM Placement Error at address COOO"	
	B\$=B\$&" 374 B\$=B\$&" 390	ROM Placement Error at address E000" ROM Checksum Error at address A000"	
	B\$=B\$&" 392	ROM Checksum Error at address COOO"	
51160	B\$=B\$&" 394	ROM Checksum Error at address E000"	
	B\$=B\$&" 401	Power On"	
51100	B\$=B\$&" 403 B\$=B\$&" 731	User Request (via INST ID button)" Generator went out of phase lock"	
51200	B\$=B\$&" 732	Generator went into phase lock "	
51210	A = STR(\overline{E})		
	A\$=A\$&" " E1=POS(B\$,A\$,	1)	
	E2=POS(B\$," "		
51250	A\$=SEG(B\$,E1,I	E2-E1+1)	
	A\$=" CODE"?	& A \$	
	PRINT A\$ RETURN		

Any of the other programs listed below can be appended into this program at line 1000. The result is a complete program with interrupt handling for the FG 5010. All programs assume the FG 5010 is set to primary address 24 as shipped from the factory.

FG 5010 Software Frequency Sweep

This program sweeps the FG 5010 frequency in decades between a predetermined START and STOP frequency (150 Hz and 1.2 MHz in this example). Two FOR/NEXT loops are nested in lines 1090 to 1190 to control the FG 5010 frequency.

Variables: F1 = START frequency (50 Hz) F2 = STOP frequency (1.2 MHz)

- D = Number of frequency increments per decade
- W = Seconds of wait interval at each frequency increment
- F8 = START frequency decade (1=10 to 100, 2=100 to 1000, etc.)
- F9 = Stop frequency decade
- D0 = Frequency increment step size
- Dl = Last frequency step in each decade

1010	REMARK S/W FREQUENCY SWEEP F1=50
	F2=1200000
1030	W=0.2
	F8=1
	F9=6
	D0=9/D
	D1=10-D0
	PRINT @24:"FREQ ";F1
1100	FOR E=F8 TO F9
	FOR G=1 TO D1 STEP DO
	F=G*10^E
	IF F <f1 1170<="" td="" then=""></f1>
	IF F>F2 THEN 1190
	CALL "WAIT",W
	PRINT @24:"FREQ ";F
And In Contract	NEXT G
	NEXT E
1190	PRINT @24:"FREQ ";F2
1200	END

Lines 1000 to 1050 -- Set variables. Make changes here for desired start, stop, increment, etc.

Lines 1060 to 1070 -- Compute steps within decades. The "9" follows from the concept of a decade: 10 to 90, 100 to 900, etc.

Line 1080 -- A numeric argument is sent with a literal string instrument command for the start frequency.

Line 1090 -- Increment through the decades.

Line 1100 to 1160 -- Increment through the decade. Skip frequency steps below the start frequency (line 1120). Jump out of the loop above the stop frequency (line 1130). Wait as desired at line 1140.

Line 1180 -- Send the stop frequency.

FG 5010 VCF Mode Voltage Calculation

The FG 5010 Voltage Controlled Frequency mode provides a means of sweeping the frequency via an external voltage input. The FG 5010 frequency control circuit utilizes ranges for frequency setting purposes. The top of the frequency ranges are: 20 MHz, 2 MHz, 200 kHz, 20 kHz, 2 kHz, 200 Hz, 20 Hz, 2 Hz, .2 Hz, and .02 Hz. VCF mode prevents further frequency range switching and allows selection of f=0 Hz. Therefore, an appropriate range must be selected before entering the VCF mode.

This program prompts the user for a desired STOP and START frequency and then calculates the VCF sensitivity and voltage which must be applied. The FG 5010 is programmed for the STOP frequency in order to establish the range. Then the VCF mode is turned ON and the START frequency is programmed.

FG5010 VCF MODE Voltage Calculation

ENTER STOP FREQUENCY 45000 ENTER START FREQUENCY 1000 START FREQ. =1000 STOP FREQ. =45000 Freq Range = 200000 Hz UCF Sensitivity = 20000 Hz/V Apply 2.199 volts. ENTER STOP FREQUENCY 19E+6 ENTER START FREQUENCY 100E+3 START FREQ. =100000 STOP FREQ. =1.9E+7 Freq Range = 2.0E+7 Hz UCF Sensitivity = 2000000 Hz/V Apply 9.449 volts.

ENTER STOP FREQUENCY

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Fig. 5-1. Display for several runs of program that does VCF mode voltage calculation.

Variables:	F2 = STOP frequency
	F1 = START frequency
	Gl = Maximum frequency of range
	Z = VCF sensitivity for that range
	U = Frequency difference between F2 and F1
	V = Volts to apply to VCF input.

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1010 PRINT "IFG5010 VCF MODE Voltage Calculation"
1020 PRI "J
              _____
1030 PRINT" ENTER STOP FREQUENCY ";
1040 INPUT F2
1050 IF F2<=2.0E+7 AND F2=>0.002 THEN 1080
1060 PRINT " STOP FREQUENCY Out of Range (.002 to 20 MHz)GGGG"
1070 GO TO 1020
1080 PRINT " ENTER START FREQUENCY ";
1090 INPUT FT
1100 REM FIND RANGE
1110 G1=2*10^INT(LGT(F2+1.0E-6))
1120 REM TEST IF STOP FREQ < RANGE
1130 IF F2<G1 THEN 1150
1140 G1=G1*10
1150 \text{ Z}=G1/10
1160 REM Z=v/Hz (range G1)...U=FREQ. DIFFERENTIAL...V=APPLIED VOLTS
1170 U=F2-F1
1180 V = U/Z
1190 PRINT "_START FREQ. =";F1;"STOP FREQ. =";F21200 PRINT "_Freq Range = ";G1;" HzVCF Sensitivity = ";Z;" Hz/V"
1210 PRINT " Apply ";INT(V*1000)/1000;" volts."
1220 PRINT @24:"VCF OFF;FREQ ";F2
1230 PRINT @24:"VCF ON;FREQ ";F1
1240 CALL "wait",0.5
1250 GO TO 1020
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Lines 1030 to 1090 -- Input and check start and stop frequencies.

Lines 1110 to 1140 -- Compute top of range that is required.

Lines 1150 to 1210 -- Compute VCF signal required and inform the operator.

Line 1220 -- Turn off VCF mode and program the STOP frequency (automatic range selection).

Line 1230 -- Turn on VCF mode and program START frequency (actual frequency with zero volts applied).

Line 1240 -- Wait for an interrupt; this could occur if START frequency is greater than STOP frequency. (CALL "WAIT" is not available on the 4051.)

FG 5010 Pulse Generator Emulator

The FG 5010 square wave functions can be used to fill a variety of pulse generator applications. Period, duration, amplitude, offset, and complement are among the parameters of interest in specifying pulse parameters. FG 5010 instrument commands "FREQ", "SYM", "AMPL", "OFFS", and "COMP" specify pulse parameters in function generator terms. "FREQUENCY" and "SYMMETRY" are alternate ways to specify period and duration. "AMPLITUDE" and "OFFSET" specify peak-to-peak amplitude and DC offset. Frequently however, pulse parameters specify p-p amplitude and negative peak voltage, or positive peak and negative peak voltage.

The FG 5010 Pulse Generator Emulator program converts the user's choice of terminology to instrument commands the FG 5010 can understand. A menu of parameter choices is provided for the user to select from. Figure 5-2 is a hard copy of the 4052 display. The prompts indicate allowable ranges.

FG5010 PULSE GENERATOR EMULATOR

PARAMETERS:

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1) PERIOD & DURATION 2) REPETITION & DUTY CYCLE 3) AMPLITUDE & OFFSET 4) NEG PEAK & POS PEAK 5) COMPLEMENT (SYMMETRY)

ENTER PARAMETER SELECTION -

#1 Enter PERIOD in seconds (200 sec. to 50 ns) : 0.2
DURATION Range = 0.02 to 0.18
Enter DURATION: .05

- #2 Enter REPETITION RATE in Herz (.002 to 20 MHz): 15E+6 DUTY CYCLE Range = 38 to 61 Enter DUTY CYCLE : 40
- #3 Enter P-P AMPLITUDE in volts (20v max open ckt): 18 Negative Peak Baseline Offset range = -15 volt to -3 volts. Enter OFFSET: -10
- Enter NEGATIVE PEAK in volts (-15 to +7.5): -10 POSITIVE PEAK range = -10 to 10 volts. Enter POSITIVE PEAK in volts: +8

#5 COMPLEMENT SYMMETRY

Fig. 5-2. Display provided by pulse generator emulator program.

Symmetry range is 10% to 90% up to 4 MHz frequency. The range reduces to a fixed 50% at 20 MHz. This reduction in symmetry range is factored into the program for items 1 and 2 on the menu. Minimum pulse duration is limited to the greater of 25.5 nS or 10% (conversely 90%) symmetry. Maximum pulse duration is limited to period--25.5 ns or 90% symmetry, whichever is least.

Each item in the menu is a separate subroutine which stands alone.

1000 REM FG5010 PULSE GENERATOR EMULATOR 1010 PAGE 1020 PRINT @24:"INIT:FUNC SQUARE:OUT ON:" 1030 PRINT " IFG5010 PULSE GENERATOR EMULATOR" 1040 PRINT "JJJPARAMETERS: K" 1050 IMAGE 15T, 30A 1060 PRINT USING 1050:"1) PERIOD & DURATION" 1070 PRINT USING 1050:"2) REPETITION & DUTY CYCLE" 1080 PRINT USING 1050:"3) AMPLITUDE & OFFSET" 1090 PRINT USING 1050:"4) NEG PEAK & POS PEAK" 1100 PRINT USING 1050:"5) COMPLEMENT (SYMMETRY)" 1110 PRINT "JJENTER PARAMETER SELECTION - "; 1120 INPUT N 1130 PRINT "J" 1140 IF $ABS(\overline{N}) < 1$ OR ABS(N) > 5 THEN 1040 1150 GOSUB N OF 1180, 1360, 1530, 1750, 1960 1160 PRINT "JJ" 1170 GO TO 1040 1180 REM ----- 1) PERIOD 1190 PRINT "J #1 Enter PERIOD in seconds (200 sec. to 50 ns) : "; 1200 INPUT P 1210 IF 1/P<0.002 OR 1/P>2.0E+7 THEN 1340 1220 D1=P*0.9 1230 IF P-D1>2.55E-8 THEN 1250 1240 D1=P-2.55E-8 DURATION Range = "; P*0.1 MAX 2.55E-8;" to "; D1 1250 PRINT "J 1260 PRINT "J Enter DURATION: "; 1270 INPUT D 1280 IF D=>2.55E-8 AND D<=D1 THEN 1310 1290 PRINT "J DURATION out of range.GGG" 1300 RETURN 1310 PRINT @24:"FREQ ":1/P:":SYM ":100*(D/P) 1320 CALL "WAIT",0.5 1330 RETURN 1340 PRINT "JPERIOD OUT OF RANGE.GGG" 1350 RETURN

1360 REM ------ 2) REPETITION RATE -----1370 PRINT "J #2 Enter REPETITION RATE in Herz (.002 to 20 MHz): "; 1380 INPUT F 1390 P1=1/F 1400 D1=2.55E-8 1410 D2=P1-2.55E-8 1420 E1=INT(100*(D1/P1)) MAX 10 1430 E2=INT(100*(D2/P1)) MIN 90 1440 PRINT "JDUTY CYCLE Range = ";E1;" to ";E21450 PRINT "JEnter DUTY CYCLE : ";1460 INPUT C 1470 IF NOT(C=>E1 AND C<=E2) THEN 1510 1480 PRINT @24:"FREQ ";F;";SYM ";C 1490 CALL "WAIT",0.5 1500 RETURN 1510 PRINT "JDUTY CYCLE out of range.GG"1520 RETURN3) AMPLITUDE 1540 PRI "J #3 Enter P-P AMPLITUDE in volts (20v max open ckt): "; 1550 INPUT V 1560 V=ABS(V) 1570 IF V<=20 THEN 1600 1580 PRINT "J AMPLITUDE out of range (0 to 20 v P-P)GG" 1590 RETURN 1600 PRINT "J Negative Peak Baseline Offset range = "; 1610 IF 7.5+V/2<15 THEN 1640 1620 V2=15-V 1630 GO TO 1650 1640 V2=7.5-V/2 1650 PRINT " -15 volt to ";V2;" volts." 1660 PRINT "J Enter OFFSET: "; 1670 INPUT O 1680 IF 0=>-15 AND 0<=V2 THEN 1710 1690 PRINT "J OFFSET out of range.GG" 1700 RETURN 1710 01=V/2+0 1720 PRINT @24:"AMPL ";V;";OFFS ";01 1730 CALL "WAIT",0.5 1740 RETURN 1750 REM ------ 4) NEG PEAK & POS PEAK ------1780 IF V1=>-15 AND V1<=7.5 THEN 1810 1790 PRINT "J NEGATIVE PEAK out of range (-15 to +7.5)GG" 1810 IF V1<0 THEN 1840 1820 V2=15-V1 1830 GO TO 1850 1840 V2=V1+20 1850 PRINT "JPOSITIVE PEAK range = ";V1;" to ";V2;" volts."1860 PRINT "JEnter POSITIVE PEAK in volts: ";1870 INPUT V3 1880 IF V3<=V2 AND V3>V1 THEN 1910 1890 PRINT "J POSITIVE PEAK out of range.GGG" 1900 GO TO 1850

Subroutine #1: Convert period and duration to frequency and symmetry.

Variables: P = Period D = Duration Dl = maximum positive pulse width.

Line 1310 -- Note that the semicolon message unit delimiter is required after the FREQ argument and before the SYM header. The semicolon is inside the quotes and is sent as an ASCII character. The other semicolons in the print statement are 4052 syntax elements.

Subroutine #2: Convert repetition rate and duty cycle to frequency and symmetry.

Variables:	F	=	Repetition rate
	E 1	=	Minimum duty cycle
	E 2	=	Maximum duty cycle
	С	=	Duty cycle
	D1	=	Minimum duration
	D2	=	Maximum duration

Subroutine #3: Convert p-p amplitude and negative pulse peak to amplitude and dc offset.

Variables: V = p-p amplitude V2 = Upper end of negative pulse peak voltage range 0 = Negative pulse peak voltage 01 = dc offset.

Subroutine #4: Convert negative pulse peak and positive pulse peak voltages to p-p amplitude and dc offset.

Variables: V1 = Negative pulse peak voltage V2 = Maximum positive pulse peak voltage V3 = Positive pulse peak voltage V = p-p pulse amplitude 01 = dc offset voltage.

Subroutine #5: Complement symmetry (toggle current COMP setting).

Variables: S\$ = Current COMPLEMENT setting.

FG 5010 LEARN MODE -- Create Settings Different From INIT

This program uses the FG 5010 SET? to learn the current front panel setup. The ASCII data is read into a string variable and consists of about 182 characters. Frequently however, only a few parameters may be different from the default front panel settings of the "INIT" command. In this case, it is convenient to send "INIT" followed by the settings which differ. The result is a front panel setting message of only 20 or 30 characters rather than the full 182 or more.

This program displays the INIT settings and the current front panel settings and then creates a string consisting of "INIT;...difference settings" which is much shorter. The "difference" settings can then be sent back to reprogram the function generator. Use this technique to reduce the number of program lines necessary to define a full front panel setup. This also conserves computer memory by compressing the instrument front panel setup data to a minimum.

Variables:	I\$ = INIT settings
	N = Position in I\$ of ";" characters
	R\$ = Response from FG 5010 to SET? command
	S\$ = "INIT;" + message units in R\$ which differs from I\$
	T\$ = Message unit in R\$
	U\$ = Message unit in I\$, same header as T\$ but
	default argument.

1000 REM FG 5010 LEARN MODE--CREATE SETTINGS DIFFERENT FROM INIT 1010 PAGE 1020 PRI "FG5010 LEARN SETTINGS - Create Settings Different from INIT" 1030 PRINT "JJ INIT"," NEWJ" 1040 DIM I\$(200), R\$(200), S\$(200), N(20) 1050 S\$="" 1060 I\$="FREQ 1.0E+3; AMPL 500.0E-3; OFFS 0.0; SYM 50; PHASE 0;" 1070 I\$=I\$&"NBUR 10;FUNC SINE;MODE CONT;SLOPE POS;OUT OFF;COMP OFF;" 1080 I\$=I\$&"AM OFF;FM OFF;VCF OFF;HOLD OFF;GATE OFF;PLI OFF;DT OFF;" 1090 I\$=I\$&"USER OFF; RQS ON;" 1100 DATA 0, 13, 28, 38, 46, 55, 64, 74, 84, 94, 102, 111, 118, 125, 133, 142, 151, 159 1110 DATA 166,175,182 1120 RESTORE 1100 1130 READ N 1140 PRINT @24:"SET?" 1150 INPUT @24:R\$ 1160 N1=0 1170 NO=11180 FOR I=1 TO 20

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1190 N1=POS(R$,";",NO+1)
1200 T$=SEG(R$, NO, N1-NO+1)
1210 NO=N1+1
1220 IF I<>20 THEN 1250
1230 \ U = SEG(I$, N(I)+1, LEN(I$)-N(I))
1240 GO TO 1260
1250 \text{ U} = SEG(I$, N(I)+1, N(I+1)-N(I))
1260 PRINT U$, T$
1270 IF U$=T$ THEN 1290
1280 S$=S$&T$
1290 NEXT I
1300 S$="INIT;"&S$
1310 PRINT " DIFFERENCE SETTINGS ARE :J"
1315 PRINT S$
1320 PRINT "JPress RETURN to send only these Difference Settings back."
1330 INPUT A$
1340 PRINT @24:S$
1350 END
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The FOR-NEXT loop in lines 1180 to 1290 sequentially compares message units in I\$ with the same message unit in R\$. The headers should be the same but arguments may be different.

Binary Settings Query

The FG 5010 binary settings data consists of only 50 bytes of data to describe the full front panel setup. Fewer bytes means lees time to handshake data between the controller and the FG 5010. Since binary data is assumed to have been originally created by the FG 5010, minimal time is spent by the FG 5010 processor in checking out the settings data before updating hardware. This means higher throughput rates when sending binary settngs.

This program acquires the current front panel binary block setup in a numeric array R. This data is position dependent and should not be altered in any way before being sent back to the FG 5010. 1000 REM binary settings query
1010 PAGE
1020 PRINT "IFG5010 LOW LEVEL SETTINGS QUERY_"
1030 DIM R(50)
1040 PRINT @24:"LLSET?"
1050 WBYTE @63,95,88:
1060 RBYTE R
1070 WBYTE @62,95:
1080 PRINT "FG5010 LOW LEVEL SET DATA FOLLOWS:"
1090 PRINT R;
1100 PRI "JJJPress RETURN to send Low Level Setting back to the FG5010."
1110 INPUT A\$
1120 WBYTE @63,95,56:R
1130 WBYTE @63,95:
1140 END

Line 1040 -- Send "LLSET?" query.

Line 1050 -- Send UNTALK, UNLISTEN, TALK address.

Line 1060 -- Handshake binary settings into array R.

Line 1070 -- Send UNTALK, UNLISTEN.

Line 1120 -- Send UNTALK, UNLISTEN, listen address, array R to the FG 5010.

Line 1130 -- Send UNLISTEN, UNTALK.

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Low-Level Stored Settings Query

This program allows the user to learn the settings data in any of ten registers in the FG 5010. The "SEND n" command instructs the FG 5010 which register to send back in binary block format. The binary data consists of 52 bytes per register. These are stored in array R. Program execution is the same as #6, only the query is different. The data is position dependent and should not be altered in any way before being sent back to the FG 5010.

1010	REM LOW LEVEL STORED SETTINGS QUERY DIM R(52) PAGE
1040	PRINT "IFG5010 LOW LEVEL STORED SETTINGS QUERY"
1050	PRINT "ENTER Register # for Stored Setting Query - "; INPUT N
	PRINT @24:"SEND ";N
1070	CALL "WAIT", 0.5
	WBYTE @63,95,88:
	RBYTE R
1100	WBYTE @63,95:
1110	PRINT " Low Level Stored Settings Register ":N:" Data:"
1120	PRINT R;
1130	PRI " Press RETURN to re-store the Low Level Data in Register ";N
1140	INPUI A\$
1150	WBYTE @63,95,56:R
	WBYTE @63,95:
1170	END

Line 1060 -- Send the "SEND n" command.

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Line 1080 to 1100 -- Acquire binary bytes in array R.

Lines 1150 to 1160 -- Send array R binary block data back to the FG 5010.



SECTION 6

PS 5010 PROGRAMMABLE POWER SUPPLY

The PS 5010 is a microprocessor based, triple power supply designed to operate in a TM 5000 power module. It provides a complete and rapid, high performance solution for many GPIB system power supply applications, three independently programmable supplies with a wide range of voltage and current capabilities, simulated DMM displays coupled with automatic crossover to provide visual feedback of the known output and regulation status.

In addition to the visual regulation feedback, the PS 5010 can report its regulation status by sending SRQs and status bytes over the bus. This 'is important for program branching and decision making.

All front panel functions are programmable over the GPIB and their status can be sent to the controller in learn mode command-argument format.

Additional remotely programmable features are:

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Independent output control for the DUAL FLOATING and LOGIC supplies

* Programmable user generated interrupts

- * Responds to variety of interface control messages
- * Error/status reporting
- * Low level (binary) setting capability
 - SRQ disabling

PS 5010 FUNCTIONS POSITIVE and NEGATIVE FLOATING SUPPLIES

	r		
Constant voltage mode:			
Range			
Positive supply	0 to +32.0 V		
Negative supply	0 to -32.0 V		
Step size (resolution)	10 mV <u>+</u> 10 mV to 10.0 100 mV <u>+</u> 40 mV above		
Overall accuracy (total effect)	+(0.5% + 20 mV)	a mare entre entre entre and a second a second	
Voltage change response time:	No load	Max load	
Up	l ms	l ms	
Down	20 ms	l ms	
Constant current mode:			-0)
constant current mode:	iner generated interit		
Range	and a state of the second		
High power compartment	50 mA to 0.750 A (1.	.60 A at 15 V and below)	
Standard compartment		750 A at 15 V and below)	
Step size (resolution)	50 mA +15 mA		
Overall accuracy	+(5% + 20 mA)		
Current change response time:			
Up	20 mS		
Op			

Programming time:	and the second second	
Group Execute Trigger (GET)	
Without output	10 mS typical	arybba and didt
on/off change	the second s	
With output on/off change	30 mS typical	

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Constant voltage mode:	
Voltage range Voltage step size Overall accuracy	4.50 to 5.50 V 10 mV <u>+</u> 10 mV <u>+</u> 50 mV
Current limit:	Outpel
Range Step size Accuracy	100 mA to 3.0 A 100 mA <u>+</u> 30 mA <u>+(5% + 20 mA)</u>
Programming time:	a senda li ala con rema del actor presente la la constante del sendo a la constante del sendo del sendo del sen
Without on/off change With on/off change	3 mS typical 35 mS typical

GPIB Operation

IEEE Bus Address

Pressing the INST ID button will display the PS 5010's primary address. A decimal following the address indicates that the message terminator is set to EOI/LF.

The PS 5010 address switch, which is located on the CPU board, is factory set to primary address 22 and terminator to EOI only. Secondary address capability is not used by the PS 5010.

The PS 5010 GPIB address and message terminator can be reset by a qualified service person. Binary addresses between 0 and 31 are valid primary addresses, however, setting the primary address to 31 causes the PS 5010 to ignore GPIB commands (31+32=63=UNLISTEN) and many controllers, including the 4050 Series Controllers, reserve zero for themselves.

Power-Up Conditions

When powered up, the PS 5010 performs a diagnostic, self-test to check the ROM and RAM functionality. When an error is found during this procedure an SRQ will occur and the error code will be displayed in the LOGIC display (see Appendix for error codes). If there are no internal errors, the instrument enters the LOCAL state (LOCS) with the default settings and the SRQ line is asserted.

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TABLE 6-1

POWER-UP DEFAULT SETTINGS

Current

INEG	0.4
IPOS	0.4
ILOG	1.0

Voltage

VNEG	0.0
VPOS	0.0
VLOG	5.0

Output

OFF
OFF

Interrupt Conditions

RQS	ON
USER	OFF
NRI	OFF
PRI	OFF
LRI	OFF
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Device Trigger Condition

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OFF

Programming PS 5010 Functions

Initialized Settings

The PS 5010 can be initialized to its power-on state via the INIT command.

EXAMPLE: PRINT @22:"INIT"

"INIT" sent to an instrument as is a device dependent command only initializes the instrument that has been addressed.

Programming Voltage and Current Limits

Voltage and current limits are programmed using the commands ITRA, VTRA, INEG, VNEG, IPOS, VPOS, ILOG, and VLOG (I=current; V=voltage) followed by a numeric argument.

To program the PS 5010 negative and positive supplies for voltage limits of 15 volts and current limits of 400 mA:

EXAMPLE (1): PRINT @22:"VPOS 15; VNEG 15; IPOS .4; INEG .4"

EXAMPLE (2): PRINT @22:"VTRA 15;ITR .4"

EXAMPLE (3): PRINT @22:"INIT;VTRA 15"

Example (1) illustrates a literal interpretation of the problem.

Example (2) accomplishes the same result using the Dual Floating supplies tracking capability.

Example (3) initializes the instrument to a known state which includes currents set to 400 mA and then sets the voltage using the tracking capability.

Incrementing Voltages and Currents

To increment voltage and current limits over the GPIB, any of several BASIC incrementing methods may be used. For instance, FOR/NEXT looping can increment a ramp.

To increment the POSITIVE voltage from 5 to 12 volts in 100 mV steps:

300 FOR V1=5 TO 12 STEP .1 310 PRINT @22:"VPOS ";V1 320 CALL "WAIT",0.01 330 NEXT V1

Line 300 -- Controls the number of times the loop is executed (5 to 12 volts in 100 mV steps).

Line 310 -- Addresses the PS 5010 to set its POSITIVE output voltage to the value in V1.

Note the syntax: the statement VPOS is followed by a space inside the quotes and the argument (V1) is outside the quotes. The semi-colon supresses the carriage return, which syntactically positions the argument (V1) after the space.

Line 320 -- Approximates the delay for output settling time. Line 320 can be adjusted or removed according to the settling time required for the application.

Line 330 -- Returns program to line 300 until loop execution is complete.

Note: to reverse the incrementing process (12 to 5 volts), change line 300 to:

300 FOR V1=12 TO 5 STEP -0.1

Incrementing for Specified Random Values ("a Staircase")

The GO TO statement may be used in place of the FOR/NEXT loop as shown in the next example.

Here's an example that steps the NEGATIVE supply for the following waveform using programmed time delays.



410 REM ***** STEPPED WAVEFORM ***** 430 INIT 440 ON SRQ THEN 1000 450 P=22 460 C=1 470 DIM V2(7,2) 480 DATA 15,0.01,10,0.05,5,0.1,1,0.1,5,0.5,10,0.1,15,0 490 RESTORE 480 500 READ V2 510 PRINT @P:"FSOUT ON; INEG . 30" 520 PRINT @P:"VNEG ";V2(C,1) 530 CALL "WAIT", V2(C,2) 540 C=C+1 550 IF C=8 THEN 570 560 GO TO 520 570 GO TO 460 1000 POLL D, S; P 1010 RETURN

Lines 430 to 460 -- Initialize, set up SRQ and define variables.

Line 470 -- Dimensions the array V2 for seven voltage values (1-7,1) and seven time values (1-7,2).

Line 480 -- Specifies the voltage and time values in pairs in the order which they are to be executed.

Line 490 -- Restores the invisible data pointer to the first element in the data statement.

Line 500 -- Reads all DATA elements into array V2.

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Line 510 -- Addresses the PS 5010 (P) to turn the floating supply output on and set the NEGATIVE current limit.

Line 520 -- Addresses the PS 5010 (P) to change its negative supply voltage to the "C" element in column "1" of array V2.

Line 530 -- Delays the loop time by the "C" element in column 2 of array V2.

Line 540 -- Increments C to the next pair.

Line 550 -- Checks C for end of loop execution at which time the program branches to Line 570.

Line 560 -- Repeats loop from line 520 until C=8.

Line 570 -- Causes the program to loop back to begin the cycle again.

Output Control

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The dual floating supplies and the logic supply outputs can be switched on and off independently over the GPIB with the statements FSOUT <ON>or<OFF> for the dual floating supplies and LSOUT <ON>or<OFF> for the logic supply or simultaneously with the statement OUT <ON>or<OFF>.

For example, to set the logic supply to 5.3 volts, 1 amp, floating supplies output off, and logic supply output on:

PRINT @22:"INIT;VLOG 5.3;LSOUT ON"

INIT causes the instrument to return to a known state which includes turning the outputs off and setting the LOGIC supply current to 1 amp.

To set the POSITIVE supply to 15 volts, .5 amps, and the LOGIC supply to 5 volts, 2 amps, and turn the outputs on:

PRINT @22:"VPOS 15; IPOS .5; ILOG 2; OUT ON"
Front Panel Lockout

Front-panel controls are locked out by sending the low level Local Lockout (LLO--17) command with the WBYTE statement. Since LLO is a universal GPIB command, all devices which are already in the remote state (REMS) will be affected. This command can only be sent under program control (with a line number) since the instruments automatically return to the LOCS when the REN line becomes unasserted.

EXAMPLE (1): <LINE NUMBER>WBYTE @17:

EXAMPLE (2): <LINE NUMBER>WBYTE @54,17,63:

Example (1) locks out all instruments on the bus which are in the remote state.

Example (2) accomplishes the same thing, however, it sends MLA 54 (22+32) to the PS 5010 prior to executing the LLO (17) message and then returns it to an UNLISTEN (63) state. This insures that the specified device (PS 5010) is in the remote state (REMS). The LLO message still offsets all devices on the bus which are in the remote state.

In remote with lockout state (RWLS), all front panel buttons which can cause a change in instrument settings are locked out. The PS 5010 locks out all front panel except the VOLTAGE and CURRENT parameter buttons and the INST ID button.

The PS 5010 can be returned to the local with lockout state (LWLS) by sending the low level addressed command GTL(1), however, it will return to RWLS (LLO) the next time it is addressed.

EXAMPLE: <LINE NUMBER>WBYTE @22+32,1:

It will only return to the local state (LOCS) when the REN line becomes unasserted by terminating program control (BREAK, END, STOP).

In the remote state (REMS) pressing any front panel button will return the PS 5010 to LOCS.

Regulation Status Reporting

Regulation status reporting is available both at the front panel and over the GPIB.

From the front panel the displays will always indicate the actual known output parameter and value because of a combination of microprocessor feedback, simulated DMM displays, and automatic crossover features. This means, whenever a load change causes a supply to change from constant voltage to constant current, or vice versa, the display will also change to indicate the actual known output value and regulation mode of the supply. If the load change causes the supply to unregulate, the display will blank indicating that actual output of the supply is unknown.

The same changes visible at the front panel can be detected over the GPIB either by enabling the PS 5010 regulation interrupt capabilities to report the changes when they occur or by querying the supplies at specific points in a program.

Query All Supplies. The regulation query (REG?) is used to query the PS 5010 for the regulation status of all of its supplies. The response to this command is REG<num>,<num>. The <num> will be a 1, 2, or 3 depending on the regulation status of each supply.

- 1 = VOLTAGE REGULATION MODE
- 2 = CURRENT REGULATION MODE
- 3 = UNREGULATED MODE

The order of the response follows the display (NEGATIVE, POSITIVE, LOGIC).

The response to REG? where the NEGATIVE supply is in current regulation, the POSITIVE supply is in voltage regulation, and the LOGIC supply is unregulated, would be:

REG 2,1,3

Regulation Interrupt Reporting. The regulation reporting capability is independently enabled for each supply via the commands NRI, PRI, and LRI, followed by an ON or OFF argument. When the regulation interrupt is enabled, an SRQ will be reported if a load change causes a supply to change from CV to CC or visa versa, or when it goes into an unregulated state.



Fig. 6-1. Load lines for individual load impedances.

Since there are three possible regulation conditions for each supply (voltage regulated, current regulated, and unregulated) the SRQ will report a different status byte and/or error code (see below) for each mode change. RQS must be ON for all SRQ reporting capabilities.

STATUS	BYTE	ERROR CODE					
197		721	Neg.	change	to	CV	
198		722	Neg.	change	to	CC	
199		723	Neg.	change	to	Unreg.	
201		724	Pos.	change	to	CV	
202		725	Pos.	change	to	CC	
203		726	Pos.	change	to	Unreg.	
205		727	Log.	change	to	CV	
206		728	Log.	change	to	CC	
207		729	Log.	change	to	Unreg.	

Here's an example that tests an overvoltage protection circuit to current limit @ 50 mA when the voltage exceeds 18 volts. It checks the circuit to 18 volts $\pm 10\%$ (16.2-19.8) and indicates whether the circuit "passed" or "failed" at $\pm 5\%$ of 18 volts.

600 REM 610 REM {PS 5010 REGULATION AND USER} 620 REM {INTERRUPT REPORTING} 630 REM 640 INIT 650 ON SRQ THEN 1000 660 P=22 670 PRINT @P:"INIT; IPOS .05; USER ON" 680 PRINT "JJPRESS INST ID BUTTON TO BEGIN TEST" 690 WAIT 700 IF S<>67 THEN 690 710 PRINT @P:"VPOS 0; PRI ON; FSOUT ON" 720 FOR V3=16.2 TO 19.8 STEP 0.1 730 PRINT @P:"VPOS ";V3 740 CALL "WAIT",0.11 750 IF S=202 THEN 770 760 NEXT V3 770 PRINT @P:"VPOS?" 780 INPUT @22:V4 790 IF V4>17.1 AND V4<18.9 THEN 830 800 PRINT "J OVERVOLTAGE TEST FAILED @"; V4; " VOLTS" 810 PRINT @P:"PRI OFF;FSOUT OFF" 820 GO TO 680 830 PRINT "J OVERVOLTAGE TEST PASSED @"; V4; " VOLTS" 840 PRINT @P:"PRI OFF;FSOUT OFF" 850 GO TO 680 1000 REM ***** POLL ROUTINE ***** 1010 POLL D,S;P 1020 RETURN

Lines 640 to 660 -- Initialize, set up on SRQ and defines variables.

Line 670 -- Addresses the PS 5010 to initialize its settings, set the positive supply current and turn the user generated interrupt on.

Line 690 -- Causes the program to wait for an interrupt to occur.

Line 700 -- Checks the status byte(s) for 67 which signifies that the INST ID button has been pressed. If S is not equal (<>) to the user requested interrupt then go back to line 690.

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Line 710 -- Sets the positive voltage, turns on the regulation reporting and turns on the floating supply outputs.

Line 720 -- Establishes the ramping limits of T and 10% of 18 volts.

Line 730 -- Programs the PS 5010 to the value in V3 which is incremented in 100 mV steps until the overvoltage protection circuit turns on or V3=19.9 (one step beyond the end of the loop).

Line 740 -- Establishes approximately a 110 mS delay for a regulation interrupt to be detected.

Line 750 -- Checks the variable S to determine whether the interrupt (202) that occurs when the positive supply changes to a current regulated status. If S=202 the program jumps out of the loop; otherwise it goes to the NEXT V3.

Lines 770 to 790 -- Queries the PS 5010 for the present programmed value of the positive supply and puts the response in V4. The program then checks V4 for greater than the lower 5% limit or less than the upper 5% limit and if it's within the set limits branches to line 830 and reports that the test "passed." If V4 is not within the limits the program falls through and reports that the test failed.

Lines 810 to 840 -- Handle turning the positive regulation interrupt and floating supply outputs off before looping back to line 680 to begin another test.

Low-Level Setting

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Low-level setting capability allows rapid PS 5010 set-ups under program control.

Sending the low level settings command, "LLSET <binary block>", causes the PS 5010 to change all of its settings to the states specified in the binary block argument.

To acquire the binary block argument, send the ASCII command LLSET? and store the response in an array variable dimensioned for exactly 26 elements using the low levels 4050 BASIC I/O statements WBYTE and RBYTE:

100 REM ********* 110 REM * LOW LEVEL SETTINGS 120 REM *********** 130 INIT 140 ON SRQ THEN 1010 150 DIM L1(26) 160 PRINT @22:"LLSET?" 170 WBYTE @86: 180 RBYTE L1 190 WBYTE @63,95: 200 PRINT L1 210 END 500 END 1000 REM ***** POLL ROUTINE ***** 1010 POLL D, S;22 1020 RETURN

Line 150 -- Dimensions array variable Ll for 26 elements. Twenty-six must be used to acquire a complete PS 5010 LLSET? response.

Line 160 -- Sends the command LLSET? to the PS 5010 (primary address P). This tells the PS 5010 to be prepared to send its settings in binary block format when it receives MTA.

Line 170 -- Talk addresses (MTA=primary address +64) the power supply, device P.

Line 180 -- Assigns incoming data elements to array variable Ll.

Line 190 -- Unlisten (63), untalk (95) everyone on the bus.

Line 200 -- Prints X (see below).

An example of the 26 elements in array X is:

76	76	83	69
84	32	37	0
16	10	35	122
7	122	50	10
0	255	255	0
0	0	255	255
144	-59		233

The first seven elements represent the decimal equivalent of

<Binary Block> 76 76 83 69 84 32 37 <19 elements>

the next 19 elements include the two byte count, data bytes, and the checksum byte. The last element -59 is the semicolon message unit delimiter (minus indicates EOI).

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To execute the settings stored in Ll, send MLA using the BASIC I/O statement WBYTE.

EXAMPLE: WBYTE 54:L1

The data in Ll is complete (including the LLSET command) for execution of LLSET. Do not alter this data because the microprocessor expects binary block format that was returned in response to the LLSET? and will not check for errors. Errors could be damaging to the instrument.

Address 54 represents primary plus MTA (22+32=54).

Application Programs Using the PS 5010

Series-Connected Supplies

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The outputs of two or more PS 5010s can be connected in series as shown in Fig. 6-2 to obtain an output voltage equal to the sum of the output voltages from each supply. Each supply must be programmed individually to obtain the desired output voltage.



Fig. 6-2. Supplies series connected.

NOTE

The PS 5010 has internal diodes connected across the output to protect the seriesconnected supplies against reverse polarity if the load is shorted, or one of the supplies is not on. The following program illustrates using two PS 5010s in series by effectively ramping the voltage from 0 to 128 volts (the PS 5010 can be floated to 150 V with respect to ground) and enabling the regulation interrupt reporting capability to report any regulation changes.

3000 REM * TWO PS 5010 IN SERIES USING REGULATION INTERRUPTS ¥ 3020 INIT 3030 ON SRQ THEN 3460 3040 DIM P(2) 3050 E=0 3060 DATA 22,6 3070 RESTORE 3060 3080 READ P 3090 PRINT @P(1):"INIT; INEG .05; IPOS .05; NRI ON; PRI ON; USER ON" 5100 PRINT @P(2):"INIT; INEG .05; IPOS .05; NRI ON; PRI ON; USER ON" 3110 PRINT "JJPress INST ID button on one of the PS 5010's" 3120 PRINT "to begin the test." 3130 WAIT 3140 IF E<>403 THEN 3130 3150 V2=0 3160 PRINT @P(1):"FSOUT ON" 3170 PRINT @P(2):"FSOUT ON" 3180 A=22 3190 A\$="VNEG " 3200 GOSUB 3300 3210 A\$="VPOS " 3220 GOSUB 3300 3230 A=6 3240 A\$="VNEG " 3250 GOSUB 3300 3260 A\$="VPOS " 3270 GOSUB 3300 3280 PRINT "JIDevice under test PASSED at "; V2; " voltsGGG" 3290 GO TO 3090 3300 FOR V1=0 TO 32 STEP 0.5 3310 PRINT @A:A\$;V1 3320 CALL "WAIT", 0.11 3330 IF E>721 AND E<726 THEN 3370 3340 NEXT V1 3350 V2=V1+V2-0.5 3360 RETURN 3370 PRINT @P(1):"OUT OFF" 3380 PRINT @P(2):"OUT OFF" 3390 A\$=REP("?",5,0) 3400 PRINT @A:A\$ 3410 INPUT @A:V3 3420 V4=V2+V3 3430 PRINT "JIDevice under test FAILED: " 3440 PRINT "I * supply current limited at ";V4;" voltsGGG" 3450 GO TO 3090.

3460 REM ***** POLL ROUTINE ***** 3470 POLL D,S;P(1);P(2) 3480 IF D=0 THEN 3510 3490 PRINT @P(D):"ERR?" 3500 INPUT @P(D):E 3510 RETURN

Lines 3020 to 3050 -- Initializes, establishes ON SRQ, dimensions array P for the number of instruments on the bus, and defines variables.

Lines 3060 to 3080 -- The DATA elements represent the primary addresses of the two PS 5010s on the bus. This list would contain all GPIB instruments in the system (up to 14). The invisible pointer in the DATA statement is RESTORED to the first element and then READ into array variable P.

Lines 3090 and 3100 -- Address the PS 5010s P(1)=22 and P(2)=6 to first INITIALIZE their settings and then set up for the test.

Line 3110 -- Prompts the operator to begin the test by pressing either one of the PS 5010s INST ID buttons.

Line 3130 -- Waits for an SRQ to occur. The SRQ will cause the program to branch to the POLL routine before returning to the next line.

Line 3140 -- Checks the value of E which is the variable containing the numeric data from the ERR? response in the POLL routine. If the INST ID button (ERR 403) was not the cause of the interrupt, control is sent back to line 3130 until the right interrupt occurs. When E=403 program flow continues.

Lines 3160 and 3170 -- Turn the outputs on.

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Lines 3180 to 3270 -- Establish the primary address and the supply (neg or pos) which is to have its voltage ramped before branching to subroutine 3300. These three steps are repeated until either the desired 128 volts are reached or an interrupt occurs.

Line 3300 -- Sets up the incrementing limits of 0 to 32 in 500 mV steps.

Line 3310 -- Programs the PS 5010 at address A, and the supply defined by B\$ for the voltage set by V1.

Line 3320 -- Delays for regulation interrupt SRQ.

Line 3330 -- Checks E (ERR? response) for a regulation interrupt value. If E is within the limits, the program jumps to line 3370, otherwise it goes to the next VI.

Line 3350 - V2 sums the last value of V1 before returning to the main program if a regulation interrupt has not occurred.

Lines 3370 and 3380 -- Turn both P(1) and P(2) outputs off.

Line 3390 -- Converts A\$ to a query command by replacing the space after the command with a "?".

Line 3400 -- Queries the last supply addressed (A) for its voltage value.

Line 3410 -- Inputs the response to voltage query to variable V3.

Line 3420 -- V4 equals the accumulated value in V2 plus V3 to indicate the voltage at which the output current limited.

Line 3430 -- Reports the test failed and V4 equals voltage at which the supply current limited.

Line 3450 -- Loops back to repeat the test.

Lines 3460 to 3510 -- Provide the POLL routine.

Error Decoding

This is an expanded SRQ subroutine that decodes the ERR? response to print an error or status message. It is based on the full error-decoding routine in Section 7 that handles not only the DM 5010 but other TM 5000 instruments as well.

110 REM * PRINTING PS 5010 ERROR MESSAGES IN RESPONSE TO ERR? 130 INIT 140 ON SRQ THEN 3000 150 B\$="" 160 ON SRQ THEN 3030 170 REM . 180 REM . 190 REM . 3000 REM ***** DELAY ROUTINE ***** 3000 REM ***** DELAY ROUTINE **** 3010 CALL "WAIT",1 3020 RETURN 3030 REM ***** POLL ROUTINE **** 3040 POLL D,S;22 3050 PRINT @22:"ERR?;ID?" 3060 INPUT @22:E,E\$ 3070 E\$=SEG(E\$,9,6) 3080 GOSUB 4000 3090 RETURN 4000 REM ***** CODING FOR PS 5010 REPORTING ERROR? ***** 4010 IF LEN(B\$) THEN 4420 4020 DELETE B\$ 4030 DIM B\$(1300) 4040 B\$=" 101 Command Header Error"

 4050
 B\$=B\$&"
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 4060
 B\$=B\$&"
 103

 4070
 B\$=B\$&"
 104

 4080
 B\$=B\$&"
 106

 4090
 B\$=B\$&"
 107

 Header Delimiter Error" Command Argument Error" Argument Delimiter Error" Missing Argument" Invalid Message Unit Delimiter" 4100 B\$=B\$&" 108 Checksum Error" 4110 B\$=B\$&" 109 4120 B\$=B\$&" 201 Bytecount Error" Command Not Executable in Local" 4130 B\$=B\$&" 202 4140 B\$=B\$&" 203 4150 B\$=B\$&" 204 4160 B\$=B\$&" 205 Settings lost due to rtl" I/O Buffers full, Output dumped" Settings Conflicts" Argument Out of Range" 4170 B\$=B\$&" 206 Group Execute Trigger ignored" 4180 B\$=B\$&" 302 4190 B\$=B\$&" 303 System Error" 4190 B\$=B\$&" 303 4200 B\$=B\$&" 340 4210 B\$=B\$&" 341 4220 B\$=B\$&" 372 Math Pack Error" System RAM Error" System RAM Error (low nibble)" COOO ROM Placement Error" 4230 B\$=B\$&" 4230 B\$=B\$&" 373 4240 B\$=B\$&" 374 4250 B\$=B\$&" 375 D000 ROM Placement Error" E000 ROM Placement Error" F000 ROM Placement Error" 4260 B\$=B\$&" 4260 B\$=B\$&" 392 4270 B\$=B\$&" 393 4280 B\$=B\$&" 394 4290 B\$=B\$&" 395 4300 B\$=B\$ COOO ROM Checksum Error" D000 ROM Checksum Error" E000 ROM Checksum Error" F000 ROM Checksum Error" 4300 B\$=B\$&" 401 Power On" User Request" 4310 B\$=B\$&" 403 4320 B\$=B\$&" 521 Display During Signature Analysis"

4330 B\$=B\$&" 721 Neg. Supply Change to Voltage Regulation" 4340 B\$=B\$&" 722 4350 B\$=B\$&" 723 Neg. Supply Change to Current Regulation" Neg. Supply Change to Unregulated" 4360 B\$=B\$&" 724 Pos. Supply Change to Voltage Regulation" 4370 B\$=B\$&"_ 725 Pos. Supply Change to Current Regulation" 4380 B\$=B\$&" 726 Pos. Supply Change to Unregulated" 4390 B\$=B\$&" 727 4400 B\$=B\$&" 728 Log. Supply Change to Voltage Regulation" Log. Supply Change to Current Regulation" 4410 B\$=B\$&" 729 Log. Supply Change to Unregulated" 4420 A\$=STR(\overline{E}) 4430 A\$=A\$&" " 4440 E1=POS(B\$,A\$,1) 4450 E2=POS(B\$," ",E1) 4460 A\$=SEG(B\$, E1, E2-E1+1) 4470 PRINT "J ";E\$;" ERR":A\$ 4480 RETURN

Zener-Diode Test

The Zener-Diode program combines the settability, accuracy and interrupt reporting features of the PS 5010 with the graphic capabilities of the 4050 Series Controllers to provide a typical PS 5010 application for incoming inspection or component evaluation.

In concept the program is an expanded version of the Regulation and User Interrupt program illustrated earlier in this section.

The use of predefined variables rather than specific values throughout the programs provides the basis for countless applications. Change the value of Z in line 370 to the components nominal value and establish test and select limits in lines 380 through 410 according to your application and run the program.

Additional flexibility could be added by prompting the operator for the spec and limit values.

1 REM 2 GO TO 100	[ZENER - DIODE TEST]
40 REM *	**** UDK #10 TO GRAPH DATA *****
41 GOSUB 1140 42 RETURN	Las Troug and these starts the
100 REM 110 REM	**** BEGIN TEST ****
120 REM	Selectered buring Signature
130 INIT 140 ON SRQ THEN 95 150 SET NOKEY	0

160		********** VARIABLES ********************
170 180 190 200	REM D REM D1,S	Primary address for the PS 5010 Device number in POLL list and status byte respectively
210 220	REM E REM F,P	Error/Status code respone to ERR? Counter for failures (F) and passes (P)
230 240 250	REM L,L1	
260 270	REM N	Number of components to be tested - operator input Upper test (10%) and acceptance (5%) limits
280	REM V	FOR/NEXT incrementor for setting ramp voltage
300 310 320	REM V3 REM X	Running sum of "passed" component values X-axis tic interval: 1 if N<50 or 10 if N>50
330 340 350	REM C\$	
360 370	D=22 Z=5.1	
390	L=Z-Z*0.1 L1=Z-Z*0.05 U=Z+Z*0.1	
410 420	U1=Z+Z*0.05 V3=0	
440	P = 0 F = 0 C = 0	
470	PAGE REM **** INI REM	TALIZE BASIC SETTINGS AND DIMENSION PARAMETERS *****
490	PRINT @D:"INI	T;IPOS .05;USER ON"
510 520	WBYTE @17: PRINT "This t PRINT "nomina PRINT "withir	est will check zener diodes to within +H 10% of their" l value and determine whether they passed or failed"
540 550	PRINT "JJHow INPUT N	many components are to be tested? ";
570 580	DIM $V1(\overline{N})$	CT ZENER AND PRESS INST ID TO BEGIN EACH TEST:_"
600 610	FOR I=1 TO N PRINT USING ' REM WAIT	""Ready to test component #""2DS":I ***** WAIT FOR USER REQUEST SRQ *****
	to a line,	

630 IF E<>403 THEN 620 640 REM ***** LOOP TO RAMP VOLTAGE ***** 650 FOR V=L TO U STEP 0.01 660 PRINT @D:"FSOUT ON:PRI ON" 670 IF E=725 THEN 770 680 PRINT @D:"VPOS ";V ***** DELAY TO ALLOW SRQ ***** 690 REM 700 CALL "WAIT",0.11 710 NEXT V 720 REM ***** REPORT PROGRAMMED VOLTAGE IF NO SRQ OCCURED ***** 730 GOSUB 1010 740 REM ***** TURN OUTPUT OFF WHEN SRQ OR LIMITS ARE MET **** 750 REM 760 REM 770 PRINT @D:"OUT OFF" 780 NEXT T 790 SET KEY 800 PRINT "JJJThe test on ";N;" zeners is complete." 810 PRINT "JJJJJPress <RETURN> to continue" 820 INPUT C\$ 830 PAGE 840 REM ***** REPORT SUMMARIZED DATA ***** 850 REM 860 PRINT "JJJThe following zener voltages were reported:" 870 PRINT V1 880 PRINT "J ";P;" components passed (";INT(P/N*1000)*0.1;"%)" 890 PRINT "J ";F;" components failed (";INT(F/N*1000)*0.1;"%)" 900 IF P=0 THEN 930 910 PRINT "JThe average voltage for the components which passed was "; 920 PRINT INT(V3/P*1000)/1000 930 PRINT "JJJJJJJ Press UDK #10 to graph the data." 940 END 950 REM ***** SERIAL POLL ROUTINE ***** 960 POLL D1,S;D 970 PRINT @D:"ERR?" 980 INPUT @D:E 990 IF E=725 THEN 1010 1000 RETURN 1010 REM ***** QUERY FOR KNOWN PROGRAMMED VOLTAGE VALUE ***** 1020 REM 1030 PRINT @D:"VPOS?" 1040 INPUT @D:V1(I) 1050 REM ***** TEST FOR PASS OR FAIL ***** 1060 IF V1(I)>L1 AND V1(I)<U1 THEN 1100 1070 PRINT " Component FAILED at "; V1(I); " voltsGGG" 1080 F = F + 11090 RETURN 1100 PRINT " Component PASSED at "; V1(I); " voltsGGG" 1110 V3=V3+V1(I) 1120 P = P + 11130 RETURN

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1140 REM ***** SUBROUTINE TO GRAPH DATA ***** 1150 IF N>50 THEN 1180 1160 X = 11170 GO TO 1190 1180 X=10 1190 PAGE 1200 PRINT @32,21:30,95 1210 PRINT "ZENER VOLTAGES TESTED" 1220 REM 1230 REM ***** ESTABLISH VIEWPORT AND WINDOW PARAMETERS FOR LEGEND ***** 1240 REM 1250 VIEWPORT 0,130,0,100 1260 WINDOW 0,130,0,100 1270 MOVE 75,10 1280 FOR I=1 TO 5 1290 RDRAW 2,0 1300 RMOVE 2,0 1310 NEXT I 1320 PRINT " Acceptable limits" 1330 MOVE 75,5 1340 FOR I=1 TO 10 1350 RDRAW 1.0 1360 RMOVE 1,0 1370 NEXT I 1380 PRINT " Average passes" 1390 MOVE 15,10 1400 PRINT "X interval = ";X;" component(s)" 1410 MOVE 15,5 1420 PRINT "Y interval = .1 volts" 1430 REM 1440 REM ***** ESTABLISH VIEWPORT AND WINDOW PARAMETERS FOR GRAPH ***** 1450 REM 1460 VIEWPORT 10,120,15,100 1470 IF N=1 THEN 1500 1480 WINDOW 0, N-1, INT(L), INT(U+1) 1490 GO TO 1520 1500 WINDOW 0, N, INT(L), INT(U+1) 1510 REM ***** ESTABLISH AXIS PARAMETERS 1520 AXIS X,0.1,0,Z 1530 REM ***** DRAW DASHED LINE FOR LOWER LIMIT (L1) ***** 1540 MOVE 0,L1 1550 FOR I=1 TO 30 1560 RDRAW N/60.0 1570 RMOVE N/60.0 1580 NEXT I 1590 REM ***** DRAW DASHED LINE FOR UPPER LIMIT (U1) ***** 1600 MOVE 0,U1 1610 FOR I=1 TO 30 1620 RDRAW N/60.0 1630 RMOVE N/60,0 1640 NEXT I

***** DRAW DASHED LINE FOR AVERAGE VALUE 1650 REM 1660 IF P=0 THEN 1730 1670 MOVE 0, V3/P 1680 FOR I=0 TO 60 1690 RMOVE N/120.0 1700 RDRAW N/120,0 1710 NEXT I 1720 REM ***** GRAPH DATA FROM TESTED COMPONENTS (V1) 1730 MOVE 0, V1(1) 1740 FOR I=1 TO N 1750 DRAW I-1, V1(I) 1760 NEXT I 1770 VIEWPORT 0,120,15,100 1780 REM 1790 REM ***** PRINT VALUE OF Y-AXIS TIC INTERVALS 1800 REM 1810 FOR I=INT(L) TO INT(U+1) STEP 0.5 1820 MOVE 0, I 1830 PRINT I 1840 NEXT I 1850 MOVE 0,Z 1860 PRINT Z 1870 RETURN

Lines 40 to 42 -- Provide the necessary steps for exercising UDK#10.

Line 140 -- Identifies the POLL routine.

Line 150 -- Disables the user definable keys.

Line 490 -- Initializes, sets the positive current, and turns on the user request interrupt capability.

Line 550 -- Defines "N" which establishes the value for looping parameters, statistical computations and graph limits based on the number of components tested.

Line 580 -- Dimensions array V1 for N values.

Line 590 -- Begins loop for testing components.

Line 630 -- WAITs for an interrupt, line 640 checks for the specific interrupt.

Lines 650 to 720 -- Ramp to the voltage value in "V" until the loop is interrupted because the PS 5010 positive supply changed from CV to CC. Line 670 turns the floating supply and positive regulation interrupt on.

Line 740 -- Forces a query of the supply voltage if an interrupt does not occur. This insures proper accounting of all components tested.

Line 780 -- Turns the PS 5010 output off after each component has been tested.

Line 790 -- Returns program to next increment of I to test another component.

Line 800 -- Turns the user request interrupt off after all components are tested. This prevents accidental user interrupts.

Line 810 -- Enables the user definable keys.

Lines 820 and 830 -- Signal the operator that the test is complete.

Lines 850 to 950 -- Report summarized information about the test.

Lines 900 and 910 -- Computes the percentage of passes and failures by taking the integer value of the count divided by number of components for the average, then multiplying by 1000 and multiplying result by .1 to get a three-digit percentage reading.

Line 920 -- Bypasses the average passes computation if P=O to eliminate a 4050 SIZE ERROR.

Line 940 -- Calculates the average passes.

Lines 970 to 1020 -- Provide the POLL routine unless E=725 at which time the routine branches to line 1030 to test and report pass/fail information before returning to the main program.

Lines 1100 and 1140 -- Count passes and failures.

Line 1130 -- Keeps a running sum of passed values.

Graphic Subroutine

(See 4050 Series Graphic System Reference Manual for more information.)

Line 1160 -- Begins the graphing subroutine.

Line 1170 -- Checks the value of N to scale the X tic interval (x).

Line 1220 -- Moves the cursor to 30,95 to print line 1230.

Lines 1270 and 1280 -- Set VIEWPORT and WINDOW to their default condition.

Lines 1290 to 1450 -- Print the legend.

Lines 1460 to 1520 -- Establish VIEWPORT and WINDOW parameters for the graph. Variables are used so the parameters will adjust according to number of components tested and the established limits.

Line 1540 -- Establishes X and Y tic intervals and intercept points.

Lines 1550 to 1600 -- Draws a dashed line at the lower acceptable limit.

Lines 1610 to 1660 -- Draws a dashed line at the upper acceptable limit.

Lines 1670 to 1730 -- Draws a dashed line at the average value of "passed" components, if P=0 then the routine is by-passed.

Lines 1740 to 1780 -- Graph the values in V1.

Line 1790 -- Re-establishes VIEWPORT large enough to print to the left of the axis.

Lines 1810 to 1860 -- Print the adjusted (line 1830) Y internal values and prints them at 500 mV increments (STEP 0.5).

Lines 1870 and 1880 -- Insure that the X,Y intercept value (Z=nominal spec) is printed even if it isn't at the 500 mV interval.

Line 1890 -- Returns to line 960 which terminates the program.

NOTE: The CALL "WAIT" statement in line 710 would have to be changed to a FOR/NEXT loop equal to 110 mS to run on a 4051.



Fig. 6-3. Graphic output from Zener-Diode test.



SECTION 7

SYSTEM APPLICATIONS

This section lists programs that show two or more Tektronix instruments working together in a system. The last program demonstrates a utility subroutine to decode and print an error message that elaborates on the cause of an SRQ.

Frequency Response Plot Program FG 5010, DM 5010, and 4052

This program controls the FG 5010 as a stimulus to a device under test, such as an audio bandpass amplifier or filter. The output amplitude is constant as frequency is software swept through four decades, from 10 Hz to 100 kHz. Output amplitude is measured in dB gain or loss by a DM 5010 in the true RMS AC volts mode using the dBr calculation feature. Results from the DM 5010 are plotted against the frequency for that measurement and a response curve is the result.

The program prompts the user for the volts (p-p) to be applied by the FG 5010 to the device input. This value is converted to RMS and is also used to program the reference "r" of the DM 5010 for dBr conversion of measurement data. The user is asked for minimum and maximum dB values before the graph is drawn and measurements begin. This permits "windowing-in" on a specific region of gain or loss over the range of frequencies. Figure 7-1 is a response plot of an audio amplifier with AC input coupling. A smaller range of frequencies within 10 Hz to 100 kHz could be specified by changing only a few lines of the program. Variables P and IØ control the decades of frequency to be plotted. Variables Q and Il control frequency increments per decade. This program plots nine frequencies per decade. Typical time to plot is about 40 seconds for 38 data points.

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FREQUENCY RESPONSE PLOT 0.5 Volts P-P Input



FREQUENCY in HERTZ

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Two instruments are supported in the program; the FG 5010 at address 24, and the DM 5010 at address 16. Instrument power must be applied before the program is run.

Variables: A:

- A: POLL address pointer D1: Bottom vertical scale dB limit
 - D2: Top vertical scale dB limit
 - D3: Vertical scale span (top limit bottom limit)
 - F: Frequency used to program the FG 5010
 - G: dB Gain measurement from DM 5010
 - IØ: FOR/NEXT loop counter increment decades
 of frequency
 - Il: FOR/NEXT loop counter increment per decade
 of frequency
 - I3: FOR/NEXT loop counter draw freq. scale
 tic marks
 - P: FOR/NEXT loop counter increment decades of frequency

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Q: FOR/NEXT loop counter - increment per decade
                      of frequency
                   R:
                      Input voltage to test ckt. - reference for
                      dBr mode
                  S: Poll status byte from GPIB
                  S1: Overange flag set by DM 5010 overange interrupt
                  T: 10 * LOG of frequency, used to plot test results
1 REM {FREQ. RESPONSE PLOT PROGRAM}
 2 REM ---
 100 INIT
 110 ON SRQ THEN 1300
 120 PAGE
 130 S1=0
 140 REM
 150 PRINT "JJJIFREQUENCY RESPONSE PLOTJJJ"
 160 PRINT "ENTER INPUT VOLTS (P-P) for device testing :";
 170 INPUT R
 180 R = ABS(R)
 190 PRINT @16:"INIT; ACV; AVE 1; CALC DBR; DIGIT 3.5; OVER ON"
 200 REM ----- SET DM REFERENCE TO RMS VALUE OF 'R'
 210 PRINT @16:"DBR ";R/(2*SQR(2))
 220 REM ----- LOCKOUT ALL INSTRUMENT FRONT PANELS
 230 WBYTE @48,56,17:
 240 WBYTE @63,95:
 250 PRINT "JENTER Vertical Scale Limits"
 260 PRINT " BOTTOM dB Limit: ";
 270 INPUT D1
 280 REM ----- TEST IF D1 IS EVENLY DIVISIBLE BY 5 -----
 290 IF INT(D1/5)-D1/5=0 THEN 320
 300 REM ---- SET D1 TO NEXT LOWER WHOLE MULTIPLE OF 5 -----
 310 D1=INT(D1/5)*5
 320 PRINT " TOP dB Limit: ";
 330 INPUT D2
 340 REM ----- TEST IF D2 IS EVENLY DIVISIBLE BY 5 -----
 350 IF INT(D2/5)-D2/5=0 THEN 380
 360 REM ----- SET D2 TO NEXT WHOLE MULTIPLE OF 5 -----
 370 D2=(INT(D2/5)+1)*5
 380 REM -----
                         TEST FOR D1 > D2
 390 IF D2>D1 THEN 420
 400 PRINT "JLIMITS INVERTEDGGG?"
 410 GO TO 250
 420 D3=D2-D1
 430 REM ----- TITLE GRAPH AND LABEL AXES
 440 PAGE
 450 PRINT "IFREQUENCY RESPONSE PLOT ";R;" Volts P-P Input"
 470 PRINT USING 460:"dB","G","A","I","N"
480 MOVE 0.5
 480 MOVE 0,5
              FREQUENCY in HERTZ"
0,120,20.85
 490 PRINT "I
 500 VIEWPORT 20, 120, 20, 85
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510 REM -- WINDOW FOR 10 units/decade (1 to 5) and D1 dB to D2 dB ---
520 WINDOW 10,50,D1,D2
530 MOVE 10, D2
540 DRAW 10, D1
550 DRAW 50,D1
560 REM ----- INCREMENT THRU 2 TO 10 IN DECADES 1 TO 4 -----
570 FOR P=1 TO 4
580 REM - alter next line to specify different freq. intervals/decade
590 FOR Q=2 TO 10
600 T = 10 * LGT (0 * 10^{P})
610 MOVE T,D1
620 REM ------ DRAW SCALE LINES BY DECADES -----
630 FOR I3=D1 TO D2 STEP 5
640 REM ----- DRAW HORIZONTAL TIC MARKS -----
    RDRAW 0,0.4
660
670
     MOVE T, I3
680
   NEXT I3
690 NEXT Q
700 REM ----- MOVE ACCORDING TO SCALE AND LABEL THE HORIZ AXIS
710
    MOVE P*10-0.025*D3.D1-0.075*D3
720 PRINT "10"
730 REM ------ PRINT THE EXPONENT OF 10 AS A SUPERSCRIPT
740 RMOVE 0.7,0.0175*D3
750 PRINT P
760 REM ----- DRAW VERTICAL SOLID LINES -----
770 MOVE T,D1
780 DRAW T, D2
790 NEXT P
800 REM ----- LABEL LAST DECADE -----
810 MOVE P*10-0.025*D3, D1-0.075*D3
820 PRINT "10"
830 RMOVE 0.7,0.0175*D3
840 PRINT P
840 PRINT P
850 REM ----- LABEL VERTICAL AXIS -----
860 FOR P=D1 TO D2 STEP 5
870 MOVE 5, P-0.5
880 IF P=0 THEN 910
890 PRINT P;"dB"
900 GO TO 920
910 PRINT " ";P
920 MOVE 10,P
930 DRAW 50,P
940 NEXT P
950 REM ----- Now Setup FG5010 -----
960 PRINT @24:"INIT;FREQ 10;AMPL ";R;";OUT ON"
970 REM ----- LET THE DM5010 SETTLE BEFORE CONTINUING -----
980 CALL "WAIT",1
990 PRINT "KGGGGGGG"
                      1000 REM _____
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----- SWEEP THE FG & ACQUIRE DM READINGS 1010 REM 1020 FOR IO=1 TO 4 1030 REM - alter next line to specify different freq. intervals/decade FOR I1=1 TO 9 STEP 1 1040 F=I1*10^IO 1050 1060 PRINT @24:"FREQ ":F 1070 CALL "WAIT", 0.7 REM - IF OVERANGE INTERRUPT THEN WAIT 1.5 SEC. FOR ADDL. SETTLING 1080 1090 IF NOT(S1) THEN 1120 1100 CALL "WAIT".1.5 1110 S1=0 1120 PRINT @16:"SEND" 1130 INPUT @16:G 1140 REM _____ G IS THE CURRENT GAIN MEASUREMENT 1150 REM ----MOVE TO FIRST READING, DON'T DRAW TO IT. 1160 REM 1170 IF NOT(IO=1 AND I1=1) THEN 1200 REM ----- PLOT THE GAIN (G) VERSUS FREQUENCY (F) 1180 MOVE 10*LGT(F),G 1190 DRAW 10*LGT(F),G 1200 REM -- TEST LAST FREQ. IN LAST DECADE eg. 10*10^4 1210 1220 IF NOT(IO=4 AND I1=9) THEN 1250 1230 $I_{1=10}$ 1240 GO TO 1050 1250 NEXT I1 1260 NEXT IO 1270 END 1280 REM 1290 REM 1300 POLL A, S; 16; 24 1310 REM ---- POLL ROUTINE FOR DM5010 AT PRIMARY ADDRESS 16 FG5010 AT PRIMARY ADDRESS 24 1320 REM -----1330 GO TO A OF 1350,1450 1340 RETURN 1350 IF S=102 OR S=118 THEN 1430 1360 REM ----- S1 IS OVERANGE FLAG 1370 REM -----S1=0 IF NOT OVERANGE 1380 REM ----- S1=1 IF OVERANGE ---1390 S1=0 1400 PRINT @32,21:0,95 1410 PRINT "DMM INTERRUPT STATUS BYTE ":S 1420 RETURN 1430 S1=1 1440 RETURN 1450 PRINT @32,21:0,90 1460 PRINT "FG INTERRUPT STATUS BYTE ":S 1470 RETURN

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Generating a Higher-Resolution DC Voltage

The FG 5010 Function Generator might not be your first choice for a DC voltage source. However, if your system includes an FG 5010 and a DM 5010 Digital Multimeter, you can obtain a high-resolution DC output using a software feedback loop. Just connect the FG 5010 output to the DM 5010 input as well as the stimulus node and incorporate the following routine in your program. In this version, the routine is nested in a program that prompts the operator to enter the desired voltage and also handles SRQs, such as those that result if you ask for an output level outside the range of the FG 5010 (+15 volts).

If you adapt the program, you may want to include only lines 1000 through 1280 as a subroutine. If so, set the value of X2 (the desired voltage) and X3 (the load impedance factor) before calling the routine. If the load impedance is not high (e.g., 1 megohm), adjust the value of X3 in your program using the voltage divider rule. Just set X3 equal to the load impedance and then apply the rule, taking into account the FG 5010's 50-ohm source impedance. For the case of a 50-ohm load, the program statements would be:

> x3=50 x3=x3/(50+x3)

In this case, X3=0.5. In the example below, X3=1, which assumes the FG 5010 is connected to a high impedance.

The routine obtains the desired voltage as shown in Fig. 7-2.



Fig. 7-2. Reaching a DC level using the FG 5010 triangle output. The solid line indicates the expected waveshape if the FG 5010 received a trigger.

To reach the desired voltage, the routine performs this sequence:

1. Set up the FG 5010 for a triangle output in hold mode (waiting for a trigger at center of triangle.

2. Set FG 5010 output as close as possible to the desired voltage using the offset control (up to +7.5 volts).

3. Compute the triangle amplitude needed to reach the desired voltage (with some margin) if beyond the offset range.

4. Compute the point on the triangle that would match the desired voltage and set the phase control.

5. If the phase control resolution allows, change the phase angle to get even closer to the desired voltage as monitored by the DM 5010.

Variables: BØ: FG 5010 offset

Bl: FG 5010 amplitude B2: FG 5010 phase, volts/degree Sl: Device reporting status

S2: Status byte

X1: DM 5010 reading

X2: Desired voltage

X3: Load impedance factor

X4: Output error in degrees

10 REMARK GENERATING A DC VOLTAGE WITH THE FG5010/DM5010 100 ON SRQ THEN 2010 110 X3=1 120 PRINT "JJIENTER DESIRED VOLTAGE: "; 130 INPUT X2 140 GOSUB 1010 150 GO TO 120 1000 REM ***** SETUP INSTRUMENTS ***** 1010 PRINT @16:"INIT; MODE TRIG" 1020 PRINT @24:"INIT; TRIA; MODE TRIG; FRE 100; OUT ON" 1030 REM ***** SET OFFSET AS CLOSE AS POSSIBLE ***** 1040 B0=INT(X2/X3*100+0.5)/100 1050 IF ABS(B0)<=7.5 THEN 1070 1060 B0=SGN(B0)*7.5 1070 PRINT @24:"OFFS ";B0 1080 REM***** SET AMPLITUDE TO GET CLOSER *****1090 REMTHE MIN AMPL IS 0.18V AND MAX IS 15V OPEN CIRCUIT1100 REM(1 MEGOHM) BUT ONLY 0.18V TO 7.5V INTO 50 OHMS 1110 B1=ABS(X2/X3-B0)*3 MAX 0.18/X3 MIN 15 1120 PRINT @24:"AMP ";INT(B1/0.18+0.5)*0.18 ***** NOW USE PHASE FOR FINE RESOLUTION ***** 1130 REM 1140 PRINT @24:"AMPL?" 1150 INPUT @24:B1 ***** SCALE PHASE RANGE IN VOLTS PER DEGREE ***** 1160 REM 1170 B1=B1/180 1180 B2=0 1190 PRINT @24:"PHA ";B2 1200 INPUT @16:X1 1210 REM ***** JUMP OUT OF LOOP IF WITHIN 0.6 DEGREE ***** 1220 X4=(X2-X1)/X3 1230 X4=X4/B1 1240 IF ABS(X4)<=0.6 THEN 1280 1250 REM ***** SOFTWARE CORRECT FG5010 OUTPUT ***** 1260 B2=INT(B2+X4+0.5) 1270 GO TO 1190 1280 RETURN 2000 REM ***** HANDLE SRQS ***** 2010 POLL S1, S2; 16; 24 2020 PRINT S2;" STATUS REPORTED AT "; 16+8*(S1-1) 2030 RETURN

Lines 110 to 150 -- Input the desired voltage and call the subroutine repetitively.

Lines 1010 to 1020 -- Prepare DM 5010 as a monitor and FG 5010 as a source. In line 1010, the command "MODE TRIG" arms the DM 5010 to take and report a reading when requested; in line 1020, that command sets the FG 5010 to hold mode, i.e., the output "holds" at the default phase angle (zero degrees) on the triangle output. At 200 Hertz and below, the output is DAC generated, the source of the DC resolution utilized by this program.

Lines 1040 to 1070 -- Set FG 5010 output to desired voltage (or as close as possible) using the offset control. Line 1040 adjusts for load impedance, as explained above, and forces rounding.

Line 1110 -- Adjust for load impedance (X2/X3) and subtract BØ (the offset selected at 1060). Multiplying by 3 obtains a peak amplitude with a 50% margin beyond the desired voltage. The balance of the statement assures that the requested amplitude is within the amplitude range of the output.

Line 1120 -- Set the FG 5010 amplitude to the calculated value after rounding.

Lines 1140 to 1170 -- Calculate volts/degree of phase control by dividing p-p amplitude (B1) by 180 (+90%).

Lines 1180 to 1200 -- Initialize phase control and get a DM 5010 reading.

Lines 1220 to 1240 -- Is the amplitude error X4 less than 0.6 degrees of phase control (X4 is scaled in degrees by line 1230)? Again, X3 corrects for interaction of source impedance and load impedance. If the error can be corrected, proceed.

Lines 1260 to 1270 -- If the error is not too small, update phase and try again. If the error is within 0.6 degree limit, go back and input a new X2.

Lines 2010 to 2030 -- Poll on SRQ; print status and device address (for #1 on list, Sl=1 and address=16; for #2, Sl=2 and address=24). Remember, you must change your serial poll routine to include all instruments in the system if you adapt this routine to another program.

Automatic Checkout of Device Under Test

Here's a program that performs a full checkout on a device under test using a TM 5000 system.

The device under test (DUT) is a single-board demo aid that is configured using six switches (Fig. 7-3) and provides these functions:

1. Non-inverting AC or DC coupled variable gain amplifier.

2. Free-running triangle generator at 200 kHz, 330 Hz, or 1 Hz with auxiliary square wave output.

3. Zero-crossing generator.

4. Four-bit binary counter with preset inputs and LED display.

5. Crowbar over-voltage protection at <u>+</u>18 volts and reverse voltage protection.

The DUT plugs directly into the PS 5010 front-panel jacks for power. Inputs and outputs are connected automatically to the TM 5000 instruments by the SI 5010 Programmable Scanner.

The program includes the prompts needed by the operator to connect and configure the device. Although you may not have access to the device and run this program, you may use the listing as an example of how to conduct various programmable tests. Remarks are provided throughout the program for this purpose.



Fig. 7-3. DUT functions.

1 REM {TM5000 DEMO DUT CHECKOUT SOFTWARE} 2 REM 3 GO TO 110 4 GO TO 580 100 REM ------ INSTRUMENT POWER MUST BE OFF TO RUN -----110 INIT 120 ON SRQ THEN 2650 130 DATA 22,20,16,26,24 140 DIM A(5) 150 READ A 160 REM 170 REM ----- 4052 ONLY! -----180 REM 190 REM ----- 10 Kbytes memory rqd. -----200 REM 210 REM ------ USE 012-0532-00 CABLES FOR D.U.T. CONNECTIONS -----220 REM 230 REM ----- Variables -----230 REMAGPIB ADDRESS MATRIX240 REMAGPIB ADDRESS MATRIX250 REMA\$INPUT STRING260 REMV1PS5010 STATUS BYTE OR VPOS CROWBAR VOLTS270 REMV2PS5010 STATUS BYTE OR VNEG CROWBAR VOLTS280 REMIFOR-NEXT COUNTER290 REMG1CCW GAIN MEASUREMENT300 REMG2CW GAIN MEASUREMENT210 REMG220 dBCAINAD JUSTPASSCODE 310 REMG320 dB GAIN ADJUST PASS CODE320 REMG4LF GAIN MEASUREMENT 330 REM G5 HF GAIN MEASUREMENT 340 REMG6DCLFGAINMEASUREMENT350 REML0+5vPULSEMINPEAKVOLTAGEMEASUREMENT360 REML1+5vPULSEMAXPEAKVOLTAGEMEASUREMENT 370 REM L +5v PULSE P-P VOLTAGE CALCULATION 380 REML2TRIANGLEMAXPEAKVOLTAGEMEASUREMENT390 REML3TRIANGLEMINPEAKVOLTAGEMEASUREMENT400 REMF1TRIANGLEFREQ.MEASUREMENT@330HZPOSITION 410 REM R1 TRIANGLE RISETIME MEASUREMENT 410REMR1TRIANGLERISETIMEMEASUREMENT420REMR2TRIANGLEPERIODMEASUREMENT430REMF2TRIANGLEFREQ.@1HZPOSITION440REMF3TRIANGLEFREQ.@200KHZPOSITION450REMR3+5vPULSERISETIMEMEASUREMENT460REMR4+5vPULSEFALLTIMEMEASUREMENT470REMNPOLLLISTADDRESSPOINTER480REMSPOLLROUTINESTATUSBYTE 490 REM 500 REM 510 REM 520 REM 530 REM 540 PRINT "LSYSTEM REQUIRED = FG5010, DM5010, PS5010, DC5010, SI5010" 550 PRI "_USE DEFAULT ADDRESSES (24, 16, 22, 20, 26)__TURN ON POWER NOWGGG" 560 WAIT 570 SET KEY 580 ON SRQ THEN 2750

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590 PRINT "LITEST SET-UP"
600 PRINT " PLUG D.U.T. INTO PS5010"
610 PRINT " SET SWITCH 654321
                                                  0 0 0 1 0 1"
620 PRINT "_1=CLOSED 0=OPEN "
630 PRINT " CONNECT FG5010 OUTPUT TO DUT J3011 (INPUT)"
640 PRINT " CONNECT SI5010 `A' TO DC5010 CHAN A INPUT"
650 PRINT "
                           '4' TO DM5010 HI-LO INPUT"
660 PRINT "
                           "3' TO DUT J3031"
                           '2' TO DUT J3023"
670 PRINT "
680 PRINT "
                           `1' TO DUT J3021"
690 PRINT " SET GAIN POT CCW - PRESS `RETURN'_"
700 INPUT A$
710 REM .....
                      .....TEST CROWBARS ..
720 REM
730 PRINT " TEST CROWBARSG"
740 V1=0
750 PRINT @22:"INIT;VTRA O;PRI ON;NRI ON;LRI ON;OUT ON"
760 FOR I=15 TO 20 STEP 0.1
770 PRINT @22:"VPOS ":I
780 CALL "WAIT",0.2
790 IF V1=202 OR V1=218 AND (I<=18.9 AND I=>17.1) THEN 860
800 IF V1=202 OR V1=218 AND (I>18.9 OR I<17.1) THEN 830
810 IF I=20 THEN 830
820 GO TO 850
830 PRINT "+ CROWBAR FAILED AT ";I;" voltsG G G"
840 GO TO 860
850 NEXT I
860 V1=I
870 PRINT @22:"VTRA 0;OUT OFF"
880 V2=0
890 CALL "WAIT",1
900 PRINT @22:"OUT ON"
910 FOR I=15 TO 20 STEP 0.1
920 PRINT @22:"VNEG ":I
930 CALL "WAIT",0.2
940 IF V2=198 OR V2=214 AND (I<=18.9 AND I=>17.1) THEN 1010
950 IF V2=198 OR V2=214 AND (I>18.9 OR I<17.1) THEN 980
960 IF I=20 THEN 980
970 GO TO 1000
980 PRINT " - CROWBAR FAILED AT ";-I;" voltsG G G"
990 GO TO 1010
1000 NEXT I
1010 V2=I
1020 PRINT @22:"VTRA 0;OUT OFF"
1030 CALL "WAIT",1
1040 PRINT @22: "VTRA 15; OUT ON"
1050 PRINT " CROWBAR TEST COMPLETEGGGGG"
1060 CALL "WAIT",2
1070 REM ...
                              TEST AMPLIFIER CCW GAIN
1080 REM
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1100 PRINT "AMPLIFIER TEST CCW GAIN " 1110 PRINT @16:"INIT; ACV; DIG 3.5; CALC DBR; DBR . 3535" 1120 PRINT @24:"INIT;SINE;AMPL 1;OUT ON" 1130 PRINT @26:"INIT;CONF 0,8,4,4;CLO 1,4;" 1140 CALL "WAIT", 1 1150 INPUT @16:G1 1160 IF G1=>24 AND G1<=27 THEN 1200 1170 PRINT "CCW GAIN ERROR - ";G1;" dBG G G" 1180 REM TEST AMPLIFIER CW GAIN 1190 REM 1200 PRINT " CW GAIN SET GAIN POT TO CW END" 1210 PRINT "PRESS 'RETURN' TO CONTINUE 1220 INPUT A\$ 1230 CALL "WAIT".1 1240 INPUT @16:G2 1250 IF G2=>-1 AND G2<=1 THEN 1290 1260 PRINT "CW GAIN ERROR - ";G2;" dBG G G" 1270 REM ADJUST 20 dB GAIN 1280 REM 1290 PRI " SET GAIN FOR 20.0 dB +H 0.2 dB - ADJUST GAIN FOR `PASS'" 1300 PRINT @16:"LIM 19.8,20.2;CALC DBR,CMPR;" 1310 REM GET 20 CONSEQUETIVE 'PASSES' (a '2') in a row 1320 I=0 1330 INPUT @16:G3 1340 IF G3<>2 THEN 1320 1350 I=I+1 1360 IF I=20 THEN 1380 1370 GO TO 1330 1380 PRINT @16:"CALC DBR" 1390 INPUT @16:G3 1390 INPUT @16:G3 1400 PRINT "GAIN ADJUSTEDGGG" 1410 REM TEST LOW FREQ. BANDPASS 1410 REM 1420 REM 1430 PRINT " LF BANDPASS TEST" 1440 PRINT @24:"FREQ 50" 1450 PRINT @16:"CALC DBR;" 1460 CALL "WAIT",1 1470 INPUT @16:G4 1480 IF G4=>13 AND G4<=17 THEN 1520 1480 IF G4=>13 AND G4<=17 THEN 1520 1490 PRINT "LF BANDPASS ERROR - ";G4;" dBG G G" 1500 REM TEST HI FREQ. BANDPASS 1510 REM 1520 PRINT " HF BANDPASS TEST" 1530 PRINT @24:"FREQ 40E3" 1540 CALL "WAIT",1 1560 IF G5=>9 AND G5<=11 THEN 1600 1550 INPUT @16:G5 1570 PRINT "HF BANDPASS ERROR - ";G5;" dBG G G"

.... TEST DC COUPLED RESPONSE 1580 REM 1590 REM 1600 PRINT " TEST DC COUPLED LF RESPONSE" 1610 PRI " SET DUT SWITCH #6 CLOSED - PRESS `RETURN' TO CONTINUE . 1620 INPUT A\$ 1630 PRINT @24:"FREQ 50" 1640 CALL "WAIT",2 1650 INPUT @16:G6 1660 IF G6=>19.8 AND G6<=20.2 THEN 1710 1670 PRINT " DC COUPLED ERROR - ";G6;" dBG G G" 1680 CALL "WAIT",5 1690 REM TEST SQUARE & TRIANGLE OSCILLATOR 1700 REM 1710 PRINT "LTEST OSCILLATOR OUTPUT AND FREQ." 1720 PRINT " SET SWITCH 6 5 4 3 2 1_ 0 1 0 0 1 0" 1730 PRINT " 1=CLOSED 0=OPEN PRESS RETURN' TO CONTINUE . . 1740 INPUT AS 1750 PRINT @24:"INIT" 1760 PRINT @26:"INIT;CLO 3" 1770 CALL "WAIT",0.2 1780 PRINT @20:"FREQ;CHA A;COU DC;ATT 5;AUTO" 1790 CALL "WAIT",1 1800 REM CHECK J3031 OUTPUT +5v PULSE 1810 REM 1820 PRINT " CHECK +5v AMPLITUDE " 1830 PRINT @20:"CHA A;MIN?;MAX?" 1840 INPUT @20:L0,L1 1850 L=L1-L0 1860 IF L=>4.7 AND L<=5 THEN 1880 1870 PRINT "_J3031 5v PULSE AMPLITUDE ERROR - ";L;" voltsG G G" 1880 REM TEST J3023 AMPL AND FREQ AT 330 HZ 1890 REM 1900 PRINT " CHECK TRIANGLE Amplitude & 330Hz Frequency_" 1910 PRINT @26:"OPEN 3;CLO 2" 1920 CALL "WAIT", 0.1 1930 PRINT @20:"AUTO" 1940 PRINT @20:"FREQ;CHA A;MAX?;MIN?;RESET;SEND" 1950 INPUT @20:L2,L3,F1 1960 IF L2>5.4 AND L2<6.6 THEN 1980 1970 PRINT "J3021 +PEAK AMPLITUDE ERROR - ";L2;" voltsG G G" 1980 IF L3>-6.6 AND L3<-5.4 THEN 2000 1990 PRINT "J3021 -PEAK AMPLITUDE ERROR - ";L3;" voltsG G G" 2000 IF F1>300 AND F1<345 THEN 2050 2010 PRINT "330 Hz FREQUENCY ERROR - ";F1;" HzG G G" 2020 REM CHECK J3023 TRIANGLE SYMMETRY 2030 REM 2040 PRINT " CHECK TRIANGLE Symmetry (+Slope)_" 2050 PRINT @20:"RISE;SEND" 2060 INPUT @20:R1 2070 PRINT @20:"PER;SEND" 2080 INPUT @20:R2 2090 REM CHECK SYMMETRY 2100 IF R1>0.36*R2 AND R1<0.44*R2 THEN 2140 2110 PRINT " J3021 SYMMETRY/SLEW ERROR > 10%G G G"
2120 REM CHECK 1Hz FREQUENCY 2130 REM 2140 PRINT "_ CHECK 1Hz SET SWITCH 6 5 4 3 2 1 0 0 1 0 1 0" 2150 PRINT "_1=CLOSED O=OPEN PRESS `RETURN' TO CONTINUE . . . " 2160 INPUT AS 2170 REM TEST 1 Hz Freq. 2180 PRINT @20:"FREQ:AUTO:SEND" 2190 INPUT @20:F2 2200 IF F2>0.8 AND F2<1.1 THEN 2240 2210 PRINT " 1Hz FREQUENCY ERROR - ";F2;" HzG G G" 2220 REM CHECK 200KHz FREQUENCY 2230 REM 2240 PRINT " L CHECK 200KHz Frequency" 2250 PRINT " SET SWITCH 6 5 4 3 2 1 0 0 0 0 1 0" 2260 PRINT "_1=CLOSED 0=OPEN_PRESS RETURN' TO CONTINUE . . ." 2270 INPUT A\$ 2280 PRINT @20:"AUTO;SEND" 2290 INPUT @20:F3 2300 IF F3<220000 AND F3>170000 THEN 2330 2310 PRINT " 200 KHz FREQUENCY ERROR ";F3;" HzG G G" 2320 REM 2330 REM CHECK J3031 PULSE Tr and Tf 2340 REM 2350 PRINT " CHECK J3031 RISE & FALL TIME" 2360 PRINT @26:"OPEN 2;CLO 3" 2370 CALL "WAIT", 0.1 2380 PRINT @20:"FREQ;CHA A;COU DC;ATT 5;RISE" 2390 PRI @20:"CHA A;LEV ";LO+0.2*L;";CHA B;LEV ";L1-0.2*L;";RESET;SEND" 2400 INPUT @20:R3 2410 IF R3<4.5E-7 AND R3>3.5E-7 THEN 2430 2420 PRINT " J3031 Tr ERROR - ";R3/1.0E-9;" nsG G G" 2430 PRINT @20:"FALL:" 2440 PRI @20:"CHA A;LEV ";L1-0.2*L;";CHA B;LEV ";L0+0.2*L;";RESET;SEND" 2450 INPUT @20:R4 2460 IF R4<2.1E-7 AND R4>1.1E-7 THEN 2500 2470 PRINT "_J3031 Tf ERROR - ";R4/1.0E-9;" nsG G G" 2480 REM CHECK COUNTER & DUT LED's 2490 REM 2500 PRINT " L.E.D. CHECKOUT" 2510 PRINT " GGVisually Check DUT LED's for EQUAL BRIGHTNESS" 2520 PRINT " Then SET SWITCH 4 CLOSED and observe proper BINARY count" 2530 PRINT "sequence on DUT LEDS." 2540 PRINT " Press `RETURN' to continue . . . "; 2550 INPUT AS 2560 PRINT " ITEST CONCLUDED G G G G G" 2570 PRINT " IPress USER KEY 1 to RESTART" 2580 PRINT @22:"INIT" 2590 END 2600 REM 2610 REM 2620 REM 2630 REM 2640 REM

2650 REM -------- POWER ON INTERRUPT HANDLER ---2660 REM ----- POWER ON SELF TEST PAUSE 2670 CALL "WAIT",5 2680 POLL N, S;22 2690 POLL N, S;20 2700 POLL N,S;16 2710 POLL N,S;26 2720 POLL N,S;24 2730 RETURN 2740 REM ----- INTERRUPT HANDLER -----2750 POLL N,S;22;20;16;26;24 2760 IF N=1 THEN 2810 2770 PRINT @A(N):"ERR?; ID?" 2780 INPUT @A(N):A\$ 2790 PRINT " SRQ INTERRUPT : ";A\$ 2800 RETURN 2810 REM CHECK STATUS BYTE FOR PS5010 2820 IF S=202 OR S=218 THEN 2860 2830 IF S=198 OR S=214 THEN 2880 2840 IF S=206 OR S=222 THEN 2900 2850 RETURN 2860 V1=S 2870 RETURN 2880 V2=S 2890 RETURN 2900 PRINT " +5v CURRENT LIMIT" 2910 RETURN

Full Error Message Decoding

The "ERR?" query command expands Tektronix instrument status reporting. The error code provides further information on the previous status byte reported by an instrument. The sequence is:

1. An instrument asserts SRQ to report power on, a command error, operation complete, or whatever. Whether the instrument asserts SRQ depends on GPIB status and error reporting commands listed in the Appendix.

2. The controller conducts a serial poll, obtaining a status byte.

3. The controller sends "ERR?" and inputs the response.

The following program demonstrates a subroutine that decodes the "ERR?" responses and prints the name of the reporting instrument, the error number, and a corresponding message. The point of this example is made by the subroutine; the talk/listen portion is just there as a vehicle to exercise the subroutine.

The serial poll and error decoding subroutines begin at line 360. The error list is inclusive of all TM 5000 instruments. The POLL statement assumes six instruments are in the system as configured earlier, so should be modified to fit your system. If you adapt the subroutines for another program, include also line 170. It should be executed once before the subroutine is called to initialize B\$. It should not be executed after that so that the subroutine reads the entire error list once and not again after that.

Variables:	AŞ:	Error code and message decoded from E and BS.
	В\$:	The full error TM 5000 error list.
	D:	Array of instrument addresses.
	D1:	Instrument address for talk/listen routine.
	Е:	Error code from instrument received in reponse to "ERR?".
	E\$:	Balance of message requested by "ERR?;ID?" (contains only "ID?"
		response).
*	E1,E2:	String handling variables.
	M\$,R\$:	Message to/from instrument in talk/listen routine.

110 REM *** SUBROUTINE TO PRINT ERROR MESSAGE IN RESPONSE TO ERR? 130 INIT 140 ON SRQ THEN 3000 150 PAGE 160 PRINT "TURN POWER ON" 170 B\$="" 180 WAIT 190 ON SRQ THEN 3060 200 DIM R\$(300) 210 PRINT "JENTER ADDRESS OF INSTRUMENT TO BE TALKED TO: "; 220 INPUT DI 230 PRINT "JENTER MESSAGE: "; 240 INPUT MS 250 PRINT @D1:M\$ 260 INPUT @D1:R\$ 270 PRINT "J";R\$ 280 GO TO 210 ***** DELAY FOR PON AND POLL CONFIGURATION ***** 3000 REM 3010 CALL "WAIT",5 3020 DIM D(6) 3030 DATA 16, 18, 20, 22, 23, 24, 26 3040 RESTORE 3030 3050 READ D ***** POLL ROUTINE ***** 3060 REM 3070 POLL X,Y;D(1);D(2);D(3);D(4);D(5);D(6) 3080 PRINT @D(X):"ERR?; ID?" 3090 INPUT @D(X):E,E\$ 3100 E\$=SEG(E\$,9,6) 3110 GOSUB 4000 3120 RETURN 4000 REM ***** CODING FOR REPORTING ERROR? INFORMATION ***** 4010 IF LEN(B\$) THEN 6050 4020 DELETE B\$ 4030 DIM B\$(9000) 4040 B\$=" O No Errors or Events to Report" Command Header Error" Header Delimiter Error" 4050 B\$=B\$&" 101 4050 B\$=B\$&" 102 4060 B\$=B\$&" 102 4070 B\$=B\$&" 103 4080 B\$=B\$&" 104 Command Argument Error" Argument Delimiter Error" 4090 B\$=B\$&" 105 Non-numeric Argument (numeric expected)" 4100 B\$=B\$&" 105 4100 B\$=B\$&" 106 4110 B\$=B\$&" 107 4120 B\$=B\$&" 108 Missing Argument" Invalid Message Unit Delimiter" Checksum Error" 4130 B\$=B\$&" 109 Bytecount Error" 4140 B\$=B\$&" 201 Command Not Executable in Local" 4150 B\$=B\$&" 202 4160 B\$=B\$&" 203 Settings lost due to rtl" I/O Buffers full, Output dumped" 4170 B\$=B\$&" 204 Settings Conflicts" 4180 B\$=B\$&" 205 4190 B\$=B\$&" 206 Argument Out of Range" Group Execute Trigger ignored"

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4200 B$=B$&" 220
                     Select Error. No card in that slot"
4210 B$=B$&"
               231
                     Not in Calibrate Mode"
4220 B$=B$&"
              232
                     Beyond Calibration capability"
4230 B$=B$&"
               251
                     Symmetry/Frequency Conflict"
4240 B$=B$&"
              252
                     Amplitude/Offset Conflict"
4250 B$=B$&"
              253
                     Amplitude/AM Conflict"
4260 B$=B$&"
              254
                     Hold/Phase Lock Conflict"
4270 B$=B$&" 255
                     Hold/Frequency Conflict"
4280 B$=B$&" 256
                     Phase Lock/FM Conflict"
4290 B$=B$&"
              257
                     Phase Lock/VCF Conflict"
4300 B$=B$&" 258
                     Gate/Mode Conflict"
4310 B$=B$&"
              301
                     Interrupt Fault"
4320 B$=B$&"
              302
                     System Error"
4330 B$=B$&"
              303
                     Math Pack Error"
4340 B$=B$&"
              311
                    Timeout (measurement not completed)"
4350 B$=B$&"
              312
                    Measurement Overflow"
4360 B$=B$&" 313
                    Serial I/O Fault"
4370 B$=B$&"
              314
                    Mag-latch Relay Strobe to long"
4380 B$=B$&"
              315
                    Phase Lock Range Error"
4390 B$=B$&"
              316
                    Frequency correction range correction exceeded"
4400 B$=B$&"
              317
                    Front Panel Time Out"
4410 B$=B$&" 318
4420 B$=B$&" 320
                    Bad Calibration Constant"
                    Via fault on CPU board (FG 5010)
4430 B$=B$&"
                                  Fault at U1221A or Input
4440 B$=B$&"Amplifier (DC 5009)
4450 B$=B$&"Fault at U1000A or Input "
4460 B$=B$&"Amplifier (DC 5010)"
4470 B$=B$&" 321 Trig/Gate control error on CPU board (FG 5010)
                                                                         11
4480 B$=B$&"
                                  Fault at U1211A (DC 5009)
                                                                        11
4490 B$=B$&"
                                                Fault at U1011A "
4500 B$=B$&"(DC 5010)"
4510 B$=B$&"
                    4 MHz Reference Frequency Clock or Counter Fault-FG"
              322
4520 B$=B$&"
                                  Fault at U1201A (DC 5009)
4530 B$=B$&"
                                               Fault at U1810A (DC 5010)"
4540 B$=B$&"
              323
                    Frequency Control Logic Fault on Loop 2 board (FG) "
4550 B$=B$&"
                                  Fault at U1113A (DC 5009)
                                                                        11
4560 B$=B$&"
                                               Fault at U1801A (DC 5010)"
4570 B$=B$&"
              324
                    Loop cycle counter fault on Loop 2 board (FG 5010) "
4580 B$=B$&"
                                  Fault at U1112A (DC 5009)
4590 B$=B$&"
                                               Fault at U1120A (DC 5010)"
4600 B$=B$&"
              325
                    Frequency prescaler fault on Loop 2 board (FG 5010)"
4610 B$=B$&"
                                 Fault at U1111A (DC 5009)"
4620 B$=B$&"
              326
                    Low Frequency Prescaler Fault on Loop 2 board (FG) "
4630 B$=B$&"
                                 Fault at U1332 (DC 5009)"
4640 B$=B$&"
              327
                    No Signal Detected from Loop 1 board"
4650 B$=B$&"
              328
                    Inadequate Frequency Range - 2 KHz range"
4660 B$=B$&"
              329
                    Inadequate Frequency Range - 20 KHz range (FG 5010)"
4670 B$=B$&"
                                 ""A"" chain failed to reset at zero"
4680 B$=B$&" (DC 5010)"
4690 B$=B$&"
             330 Inadequate Frequency Range - 200 KHz range(FG 5010)"
4700 B$=B$&"
                                 Fault at U1221A or Input Amplifier"
4710 B$=B$&" (DC 5009)
                                                   11
4720 B$=B$&"Fault at U1011C or Input Amplifier (DC 5010)"
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1720	D#_D# !!	221	
	B\$=B\$&"	331	Inadequate Frequency Range - 2 MHz range (FG 5010) "
	B\$=B\$&"		Fault at U1211B (DC 5009) "
	B\$=B\$&"		Fault at U1011B (DC 5010)"
	B\$=B\$&"	332	Inadequate Frequency Range - 20 MHz range (FG 5010)"
	B\$=B\$&"		Fault at U1201B (DC 5009) "
	B\$=B\$&"		Fault at U1810B (DC 5010)"
	B\$=B\$&"_	333	Burst Counter Fault (FG 5010) "
	B\$=B\$&"		Fault at U1113B (DC 5009) "
	B\$=B\$&"		Fault at U1801B (DC 5010)"
	B\$=B\$&"	334	Offset Generator Fault (FG 5010) "
4830	B\$=B\$&"		Fault at U1112B (DC 5009) "
4840	B\$=B\$&"		Fault at U1120B (DC 5010)"
	B\$=B\$&"	335	Amplitude DAC Error (FG 5010) "
	B\$=B\$&"	555	
4870	B\$=B\$&"	336	Fault at U1111B (DC 5009)"
4880	B\$=B\$&"	220	Amplitute Attenuator Error (FG 5010) "
4890	B\$=B\$&"	337	Fault at U1012 (DC 5009)"
	B\$=B\$&"	338	Waveform Shaping Error"
	B\$=B\$&"		Normal/Complement Error"
	B\$=B\$&"	339	Low Frequency Generator DAC Error (FG 5010) "
			""B"" chain failed to reset to "
4930	B\$=B\$&"ze	ero (D(
4940	B\$=B\$&"	340	System RAM Error"
	B\$=B\$&"	341	System RAM Error (low nibble)"
	B\$=B\$&"	342	RAM Error"
	B\$=B\$&"	343	RAM Error"
	B\$=B\$&"_	344	RAM Error"
	B\$=B\$&"	345	RAM Error"
	B\$=B\$&"	346	RAM Error"
	B\$=B\$&"	347	RAM Error"
	B\$=B\$&"	348	RAM Error"
	B\$=B\$&"	349	RAM Error"
5040	B\$=B\$&"	350	CPU RAM Error"
	B\$=B\$&"	351	Calibration RAM Checksum Error"
5060	B\$=B\$&"	360	XXXX ROM Placement Error"
5070	B\$=B\$&"	361	XXXX ROM Placement Error"
5080	B\$=B\$&"	362	XXXX ROM Placement Error"
5090	B\$=B\$&"	363	XXXX ROM Placement Error"
5100		364	XXXX ROM Placement Error"
5110	B\$=B\$&"	365	XXXX ROM Placement Error"
5120		366	XXXX ROM Placement Error"
5130	B\$=B\$&"	367	
5140	B\$=B\$&"	368	
	B\$=B\$&"		XXXX ROM Placement Error"
5160	B\$=B\$&"	370	XXXX ROM Placement Error"
5170	B\$=B\$&"		XXXX ROM Placement Error"
	B\$=B\$&"	371	XXXX ROM Placement Error"
	B\$=B\$&"		XXXX ROM Placement Error"
			XXXX ROM Placement Error"
	B\$=B\$&"		XXXX ROM Placement Error"
	B\$=B\$&"		XXXX ROM Placement Error"
5220	B\$=B\$&"		XXXX ROM Checksum Error"
5230	B\$=B\$&"	All and a second se	XXXX ROM Checksum Error"
5240	B\$=B\$&"	382	XXXX ROM Checksum Error"

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5330 5340 5350 5360 5370 5380 5390 5400 5410 5420 5420 5430 5440	B\$=B\$&" 387 B\$=B\$&" 388 B\$=B\$&" 389 B\$=B\$&" 390 B\$=B\$&" 391 B\$=B\$&" 392 B\$=B\$&" 393 B\$=B\$&" 393 B\$=B\$&" 393 B\$=B\$&" 394 B\$=B\$&" 395 B\$=B\$&" 401 B\$=B\$&" 402 B\$=B\$&" 403 B\$=B\$&" 521 B\$=B\$&" 601 B\$=B\$&" 602	XXXX ROM Checksum Error" XXXX ROM Checksum Error" VXXX ROM Checksum Error" Operation Complete" User Request" Display During Signature Analysis" Overrange" Channel A Protect" Channel B Protect" No Prescaler"	
5460 5470	B\$=B\$&"_ 605 B\$=B\$&"	Time of Day Clock not initialized and WAIT UNTIL command was to be executed."	1
	B\$=B\$&" 703 B\$=B\$&" 711 B\$=B\$&" 712 B\$=B\$&" 721 B\$=B\$&" 722 B\$=B\$&" 723 B\$=B\$&" 723 B\$=B\$&" 723 B\$=B\$&" 724 B\$=B\$&" 725 B\$=B\$&" 725 B\$=B\$&" 726 B\$=B\$&" 727 B\$=B\$&" 727 B\$=B\$&" 729 B\$=B\$&" 731 B\$=B\$&" 732	Below Limits" Above Limits" Channel A Overflow" Channel B Overflow" Neg. Supply Change to Voltage Regulation" Neg. Supply Change to Current Regulation" Neg. Supply Change to Unregulated" Pos. Supply Change to Voltage Regulation" Pos. Supply Change to Current Regulation" Pos. Supply Change to Unregulated" Log. Supply Change to Voltage Regulation" Log. Supply Change to Current Regulation" Log. Supply Change to Current Regulation" Log. Supply Change to Unregulated" In Lock" Not Locked" Correct Access BIA with all ""O's"" (SI 5010)"	6
5640 5650 5660 5670 5680 5700 5710 5720 5720 5720 5720 5720 5720		Cannot Access PIA with all ""0`s"" (SI 5010)" 741 Power on Errors on Card in (MI 5010)" Power on Errors on Card in Slot 2" Power on Errors on Card in Slot 3" Power on Errors on Card in Slot 4" Power on Errors on Card in Slot 5" Cannot access PIA with all ""1`s"" (SI 5010)" 751 Power on Errors on Card in ' (MI 5010)" Power on Errors on Card in Slot 2" Power on Errors on Card in Slot 3" Power on Errors on Card in Slot 3" Power on Errors on Card in Slot 3" Power on Errors on Card in Slot 5"	

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5770 B\$=B\$&" 756 Power on Errors on Card in Slot 6" 5780 B\$=B\$&" 761 Power on Errors on Card in Slot 1" 5790 B\$=B\$&" 762 Power on Errors on Card in Slot 2" 5800 B\$=B\$&" 763 Power on Errors on Card in Slot 3" 5810 B\$=B\$&" 764 Power on Errors on Card in Slot 4" 5820 B\$=B\$&" 765 Power on Errors on Card in Slot 5" 5830 B\$=B\$&" 766 Power on Errors on Card in Slot 6" 5840 B\$=B\$&" 771 Hardware Errors on Card on Slot 1" 5850 B\$=B\$&" 772 Hardware Errors on Card on Slot 2" 5860 B\$=B\$&" 773 Hardware Errors on Card on Slot 3" 5870 B\$=B\$&" 774 Hardware Errors on Card on Slot 4" 5880 B\$=B\$&" 775 Hardware Errors on Card on Slot 5" 5890 B\$=B\$&" 776 Hardware Errors on Card on Slot 6" 5900 B\$=B\$&" 781 Hardware Errors on Card on Slot 1" 5910 B\$=B\$&" 782 Hardware Errors on Card on Slot 2" 5920 B\$=B\$&" 783 Hardware Errors on Card on Slot 3" 5930 B\$=B\$&" 784 Hardware Errors on Card on Slot 4" 5940 B\$=B\$&" 785 Hardware Errors on Card on Slot 5" 5950 B\$=B\$&" 786 Hardware Errors on Card on Slot 6" 5960 B\$=B\$&" 791 Armed SRQ (EXIT TRIG occured) (SI 5010)" 5970 B\$=B\$&" 791 Armed Event Warning on Card" 5980 B\$=B\$&" in Slot 1 (MI 5010)" 5990 B\$=B\$&" 792 Armed Event Warning on Card in Slot 2" 6000 B\$=B\$&" 793 Armed Event Warning on Card in Slot 3" 6010 B\$=B\$&" 794 Armed Event Warning on Card in Slot 4" 6020 B\$=B\$&" 795 Armed Event Warning on Card in Slot 5" 6030 B\$=B\$&" 796 Armed Event Warning on Card in Slot 6 " 6040 REM ***** SORTING THRU B\$ ***** 6050 DIM A\$(300) $6060 \ A = STR(E)$ 6070 A\$=A\$&" " 6080 E1=POS(B\$,A\$,1) 6090 E2=POS(B\$,"_",E1) 6100 A\$=SEG(B\$, E1, E2-E1+1) ***** REPORTING INSTRUMENT AND CODE ***** 6110 REM 6120 PRINT "J ";E\$;" -- ";A\$ 6130 RETURN

Lines 100 to 160 -- Initialize and get ready for power on.

Line 170 -- Define B\$ as a null string to set up test at line 4010.

Line 180 -- Wait for instruments to complete self-tests and assert SRQ to report power-up.

Line 190 -- Arm post power-up SRQ response.

Line 200 -- Make R\$ bigger than any expected instrument response. "SET?" returns longest string, about 150 to 200 characters, depending on instrument and what functions are selected.

Line 210 to 280 -- Operator prompts and message handling for talk/listen routine. Line 260 returns a null string from Tektronix instrument if M\$ was not an output command except for TM 5000 measurement instruments (counters and multimeters). In the latter case, they return a measurement.

Lines 3000 to 3050 -- Wait to be sure all instruments complete power-up tests and then configure array D with the factory-set addresses for one each of all TM 5000 instruments. Modify lines 3020 and 3030 to fit your system.

Lines 3060 to 3120 -- Poll for the status byte and query for the error code and ID. E contains the error number and E\$ contains the balance of the instrument response--the "ID?" response.

Lines 4000 to 4030 -- Check that B\$ is empty. If so, delete it, dimension it, and fill it with the full TM 5000 error list. If B\$ is already filled, skip to the error printing statements.

Lines 4040-6030 -- Build B\$ using control "_" (RUBOUT) as a delimiter, the full error message list. The last error code segment must have a Control "_" at the end to complete the segmenting process.

Lines 6040 to 6100 -- Build A\$ from the decimal string equivalent of the error code E, space " ", and the portion of B\$ containing the error message.

Lines 6110 to 6120 -- Print the instrument ID and error message.

Line 6130 -- Returns to main program.

APPENDIX

INSTRUMENT COMMANDS

COMMAND	HEADER	ARGUMENT	DESCRIPTION	INSTRUMENT
ACDC	ACDC		Selects the ACV+DCV function. Argument selects range. Argument <0 or omitted selects auto-range.	DM 5010
ACV	ACV	<num></num>	Selects the ACV function. Argument selects range. Argument <0 or omitted selects auto- range.	DM 5010
АМ	AM	ON or OFF	Enables or disables amplitude modulation. AM OFF is the power-up	FG 5010
	AM?		Returns "AM ON;" or. "AM OFF;".	FG 5010
AMPLITUDE	AMPL		Sets p-p open-circuit output voltage to value stated by argument. Power-up setting is 0.5 volt (500.0E-3). The range is 0.0 to 20.0.	FG 5010
0.56.04	AMPL?		Returns "AMPL <num>:".</num>	FG 5010

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COMMAND	HEADER	ARGUMENT	DESCRIPTION	INS	STRUMENT
AVERAGE	AVE/AVG	<num></num>	Sets number of measurements averaged (in decades only).		5009, 5010
		<num></num>	Sets the number of conversions used in CALC AVE program. Argument is truncated to integers.	DM	5010
	AVE?/AV	G?	Query returns AVE (NUM); (-1 for AUTO AVERAGES).		5009, 5010
	AVE?/AV	G?	Returns "AVE <number>;".</number>	DM	5010
CALCULATIONS	CALC	AVE or AVG	Calculates the average of the next "N" readings.	DM	5010
		RATIO	Subtracts offset and divides by scale factor set by RATIO command.	DM	5010
		DBM	Calculates power ratio, ref- erenced to 1 mV dissipated in 600 ohms. Disables CALC DBR.	DM	5010
		DBR	Calculates logarithmic ratio of measurement to value of DBR command. Disables CALC DBM.		5010
		CMPR or COMP	Compares input to limits set by LIMITS command.	DM	5010
			NOTE: See DATA and SEND under Input/Output Commands and MONITOR under Instrument Commands.		
			DATA returns reading (saves out-of-limits measurement if MON ON).		

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COMMAND	HEADER	ARGUMENT	DESCRIPTION	INSTRUMENT
	CALC	OFF	Disables all calculations	DM 5010
	CALC?		Returns "CALC OFF;" or list of enabled calculations.	DM 5010
DBR	DBR	<num></num>	Numeric sets value of reference used in CALC DBR command.	DM 5010
	DBR?		Returns "DBR <number>;".</number>	DM 5010
DCV	DCV	<num></num>	Selects the DCV function. Argument selects range. Argument <0 or omitted selects auto-range.	DM 5010
DIGITAL RESOLUTION	DIG	3.5	Selects FAST CONVERSION RATE (3.5 digit resolution).	DM 5010
		4.5	Selects normal CONVERSION RATE (4.5 digit resolution).	DM 5010
	DIG?		Returns "DIGIT 3.5;" or "DIGIT 4.5;".	DM 5010
DIODE TEST	DIODE		Selects DIODE TEST function. No argument.	DM 5010
DISPLAY	DISP	FREQ	Displays programmed frequency. This is the power-up setting.	FG 5010
		AMPL	Displays programmed p-p amplitude.	FG 5010
		OFFSET	Displays programmed offset voltage.	FG 5010
		NBURST	Displays programmed nburst value.	FG 5010

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COMMAND	HEADER	ARGUMENT	DESCRIPTION	INSTRUMENT
	DISP	PHASE	Displays programmed phase.	FG 5010
		SYM	Displays programmed symmetry.	FG 5010
EVENTS	EVE	ВА	Counts Channel B during Channel A pulse width.	DC 5009, DC 5010
FALL TIME	FALL	A	Measures the fall time of the signal on Channel A.	DC 5010
FM	FM	ON	Enables frequency modulation. Disables VCF function. Center frequency is defined by the frequency setting.	
		OFF	Frequency modulation is disabled; this is the power-up condition.	FG 5010
	FM?		Interrogates FM function. Response is "FM OFF;" or "FM ON;".	FG 5010
FREQUENCY	FREQ	A	Measures frequency of input signal on Channel A.	DC 5009, DC 5010
		<num></num>	Sets output frequency to argument value. Power-up setting is 1 kHz. Range is 2.0E-3 to 20.0E+6 (0.002 Hz to 20 MHz).	FG 5010
	FREQ?		Interrogates output frequency. Response is "FREQ <num>;".</num>	
FRONT PANEL TRIGGER	FPTR		Enables control of trigger levels by front-panel knobs.	DC 5009

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COMMAND	HEADER	ARGUMENT	DESCRIPTION	INSTRUMENT
FUNCTION	FUNC	SINE	Selects sinewave output. This is the power-up setting.	FG 5010
		SQU	Selects square-wave output.	FG 5010
		TRI	Selects triangle-wave output.	FG 5010
	FUNC?	ninin tana Palinip Bo-	Query returns current instru- ment function. Negative argu- ment indicates auto-range.	DC 5009, DC 5010, DM 5010
	FUNC?		Returns "FUNC SINE;", "FUNC SQUARE;", or "FUNC TRIANGLE;".	FG 5010
GATE	GATE	ON or OFF	Turns the gate on or off; FG5010 output occurs during gate time. Off is	FG 5010
			the power-up setting.	
0108-M0	GATE?		Returns "GATE OFF;" or "GATE ON;".	FG 5010
HOLD	HOLD	ON	Stops the output signal at the voltage level that occurs when HOLD is executed. The	FG 5010
			hold function is inoperative if the output frequency exceeds 200 Hz and in Phase Lock Mode.	
		OFF	Permits the FG 5010 to generate the output signal. This is the power-up setting.	FG 5010
	HOLD?		Returns "HOLD OFF;" or "HOLD ON;".	FG 5010
ILOGIC	ILOG	<num></num>	Sets the logic supply current limit.	PS5010
	ILOG?		Returns ILOG <num>.</num>	PS5010
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COMMAND	HEADER	ARGUMENT	DESCRIPTION	INSTRUMENT
INEGATIVE	INEG	<num></num>	Sets the negative floating supply current limit.	PS5010
	INEG?		Returns INEG <num>.</num>	PS5010
IPOSITIVE	IPOS	<num></num>	Sets the positive floating supply current limit.	PS5010
	IPOS?		Returns IPOS <num>.</num>	PS5010-
ITRACK	ITRA	<num></num>	Sets both the positive and negative floating supplies current limits.	PS5010
LIMITS	LIM	<num1>, <num2></num2></num1>	Sets limits used in CALC CMPR program.	DM 5010
	LIM?		Returns "LIMITS <num>,<num>".</num></num>	
LOW FREQ RESPONSE	LFR	ON or OFF	Enables or disables the LOW FREQ RESPONSE func- tion (instrument computes the average of four ACV or ACV+DCV measurements).	DM 5010
	LFR?		Returns "LFR OFF;" or "LFR ON;".	DM 5010
MANUAL TRIGGER	MTRIG		Causes the FG 5010 to produce one cycle in triggered mode or N cycles in burst mode.	
MODE	MODE	CONT	Sets the FG 5010 to generate a continuous output signal. Trigger events are ignored. "CONT" is the power-up set- ting.	FG 5010

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COMMAND	HEADER	ARGUMENT	DESCRIPTION	INSTRUMENT
	MODE	TRIG	Sets the FG 5010 to triggered mode. One cycle of the out- put signal occurs for each trigger event.	FG 5010
		GATE	Sets the FG 5010 to the gated mode. The output occurs only during one of the following:	FG 5010
			a. Manual Trigger button pressed.	
			b. "GATE ON" remote command is executed.	
			c. Trigger/gate input signal is true.	
			Sets the FG 5010 to the burst mode. When a trigger occurs, the FG 5010 produces a burst of the programmed output sig- nal; the number of cycles is determined by the "NBURST"	FG 5010
			setting.	
		LOCK	Sets the FG 5010 to the exter- nal phase lock mode, which locks the phase and frequency of the output signal to that of the trigger/gate input signal.	FG 5010
		PHLOCK	Alternate abbreviation for	FG 5010

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COMMAND	HEADER	ARGUMENT	DESCRIPTION	INSTRUMENT
	MODE	TRIG	Selects triggered mode: triggers a conversion only upon receipt of one of the following:	DM 5010
			- SEND command	
			- Group Execute Trigger <get> (only if device trigger (DT) is enabled).</get>	
			- My Talk Address (MTA) with the output unspecified.	
			- Rear Interface Trigger (EXTRIG). Requires in- ternal jumper installation. To cause a single trigger, this line must remain low between 0.5 and 10 micro-	
			seconds. Holding this line low longer causes continuous readings.	
	MODE?		Returns "MODE RUN;" or "MODE TRIG;".	DM 5010
	MODE?		Returns "MODE CONT;", "MODE TRIG;", "MODE GATE;", "MODE BURST;", or "MODE LOCK;".	FG 5010
MONITOR	MON	ON	Enables monitor SRQ. Saves a measurement outside the limits set by the LIMITS command (if CALC CMPR selected) and generat an SRQ. Returns this measuremen	
			in response to DATA. Subsequent out-of-limits measurements are not reported until the SRQ is serviced and measurement is rea via DATA command.	

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COMMAND	HEADER	ARGUMENT	DESCRIPTION	INS	TRUMENT
	MON	OFF	Disables the monitor SRQ.	DM	5010
	MON?		Returns "MONITOR ON;" or MONITOR OFF;".	DM	5010
NBURST	NB UR	<num></num>	Sets the number of cycles in a burst to that specified by the argument. Power-up setting is 10. Range is 1 to 9999.	FG	5010
	NBUR?		Returns "NBUR <num>;".</num>		5010
NULL	NULL	ON			5010
		OFF	Resets null value to 0.	DC	5010
	NULL	<num></num>	Subtracts argument from all readings (Ø disables).	DM	5010
	NULL?		Query returns NULL ON or NULL OFF.	DC	5010
			Returns "NULL <num>;".</num>	DM	5010
OFFSET	OFFS	<num></num>	Sets the output open circuit offset voltage to the stated argument value in volts.	FG	5010
			Returns "OFFS <num>;".</num>	FG	5010
OHMS	OHMS	<num></num>	Selects OHMS function. Argu- ment selects range. Argument <0 or omitted selects auto-range.		5010
PERIOD	PER	A	Measures period of Channel A signal.	DC	5009, 5010

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COMMAND	HEADER	ARGUMENT	DESCRIPTION	INSTRUMENT
PHASE	PHAS	<num></num>	Sets the FG 5010 output signal phase to the argument in de- grees (-90° to +90°), in rela- tion to the trigger/gate input signal. Power-up setting is 0° .	FG 5010
			Returns "PHASE <num>;".</num>	FG 5010
PROBE COMPENSATION	PROBE	A&B	Enables probe compensation.	DC 5009, DC 5010
RATIO	RAT	B/A	Measures ratio of B events to A events.	
			command. First argument is	DM 5010
	RAT?		Returns "RATIO <num>,<num>;".</num></num>	DM 5010
READY?	RDY?			DC 5009, DC 5010, DM 5010
RECALL	REC	<num></num>	Sets the FG 5010 to the set- tings stored in the location specified by the argument, except that DT, PLI, RQS, and USEREQ settings remain unchanged. Argument options are 0-9. If a location is recalled that has no set- tings stored, the instrument reverts to power-up settings.	FG 5010
RESET	RES		Resets counters, restarts current measurement.	DC 5009, DC 5010

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COMMAND	HEADER ARGUMENT	DESCRIPTION	INSTRUMENT
RISETIME		Measures the rise-time of the signal on Channel A.	DC 5010
SINE FUNCTION	SINE	Same result as "FUNC SINE".	FG 5010
SQUARE FUNCTION	SQUARE		FG 5010
START	START	Starts TMANual, STOPped, or TOTalize measurement.	DC 5009, DC 5010
STOP	STOP	Stops any measurement except TEST or PROBECOMP.	DC 5009, DC 5010
		The current settings of the FG 5010 (DT, PLI, RQS, and USEREQ) are saved in the location stated by the	FG 5010
		See the FG 5010 response to SEND to obtain another form of this command.	
SYMMETRY		Sets output signal symmetry to stated argument value. Range is 10-90%. Power-up setting is 50%.	
Treasure V	SYM?	Returns "SYM <num>;".</num>	FG 5010
TIME	TIME AB	Measures time from A event to B event.	DC 5009, DC 5010

COMMAND	HEADER	ARGUMENT	DESCRIPTION	INSTRUMENT
TMANUAL			Manual timing function (stop watch).	DC 5009, DC 5010
TOTALIZE	тот		Totalizes Channel A events.	
		A+B	Totalizes Channel A events. Totalizes Channel B events.	DC 5010
			Totalizes Channel A events. Totalizes Channel B events.	DC 5010
			Same result as "FUNC TRI".	FG 5010
TRIGGER	TRIG?	in standing (21, 20, 20, and sound (21, 20, 20, 20, 20, 20, 20, 20, 20, 20, 20	Interrogates trigger/gate input status. Response is one of the following: "TRIG 0;" trigger status	FG 5010
			ting with - SLOPE. This cor- responds to the "TRIG'D" LED off.	
0101 04			"TRIG 2;" input triggered at 3 Hz or faster. This cor- responds to the "TRIG'D" LED flashing.	

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COMMAND	HEADER	ARGUMENT	DESCRIPTION	INSTRUMEN
	TRIG?		"TRIG 3;" input potential is above level setting with + SLOPE, or below level setting with - SLOPE. In GATE mode, the	
			output is continuous; in TRIG and BURST modes, the last tran- sition of the trigger caused a cycle or burst (depending on mode), and the TRIG'D lamp is	
			lighted.	
VCF	VCF	ON	Enables the voltage-control-	FG 5010
			led frequency function and disables FM function. VCF	
			stop frequency is the top	
			of the range selected when the function is enabled. Range switching is not per-	
			mitted when this function is selected. Frequency may be changed when in VCF, as	
			long as the top of the range is not exceeded. In VCF only, the FREQUENCY parameters may be programmed to zero.	
		OFF	Disables voltage-controlled frequency function. This is the power-up setting.	FG 5010
	VCF?		Returns "VCF OFF;" or "VCF ON;".	FG 5010
VLOGIC	VLOG	<num></num>	Sets logic supply voltage limit.	PS5010

COMMAND	HEADER	ARGUMENT	DESCRIPTION	INSTRUMENT
VNEGATIVE	VNEG	<num></num>	Sets negative floating supply voltage limit.	PS5010
	VNEG?		Returns VNEG <num>;.</num>	PS5010
VPOSITIVE	VPOS	<num></num>	Sets positive floating supply voltage limit.	
	VPOS?	int sit is	Returns VPOS <num>;.</num>	PS5010
VTRACK	VTRA	<num></num>	Sets positive and negative floating supplies for the same voltage limit.	PS5010
	 WID		Measures pulse width of	DC 5009,
			Channel A signal.	DC 5010

INPUT/OUTPUT COMMANDS

COMMAND	HEADER	ARGUMENT	DESCRIPTION	INSTRUMENT
ATTENUATION			Selects 1X or 5X attenuation.	DC 5009, DC 5010
			Query returns ATT <num>; for designated channel.</num>	DC 5009, DC 5010
AUTOTRIG	AUTO	A&B	Sets trigger level to signal midpoint (both channels).	DC 5009, DC 5010
			Sets Channel A trigger level to signal midpoint.	DC 5009, DC 5010
depret depret		В	Sets Channel B trigger level to signal midpoint.	DC 5010
CHANNEL	CHA	A or B	Selects channel for succeeding input settings.	
	CHA?		Query returns CHA A or CHA B.	DC 5009, DC 5010
COMPLEMENT	COMP	ON or OFF	Enables or disables the complement function (output signal is inverted, but offset voltage remains the same).	FG 5010
	COMP?		Returns "COMP OFF;" or "COMP ON;".	FG 5010
COUPLING		AC or DC	Sets input coupling mode.	DC 5009,
	COU?		Query returns COU AC or COU DC.	DC 5009, DC 5010
DATA REQUEST	DATA		Returns reading (see also MON ON).	

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COMMAND	HEADER	ARGUMENT	DESCRIPTION	INSTRUMENT
FILTER	FIL	ON	Limits the Channel A and Channel B bandwidth to approximately 20 MHz.	DC 5010
		OFF	Turns off filter.	DC 5010
	FIL?		Query returns FIL ON or FIL OFF.	DC 5010
FLOATING SUPPLY OUTPUT	FSOUT	ON or OFF	Connects or disconnects floating supplies to output terminals.	PS5010
	FSOUT?		Returns FSOUT ON; or FSOUT OFF;.	PS5010
LEVEL	LEV	<num></num>	Sets selected channel trigger level. Num range = +3.200 to -3.175 (xl) or +16.00 to -15.876 (x5).	DC 5009,
		<num></num>	Sets selected channel trigger level. Num range = $+2$ to -2 (x1) or $+10$ to -10 (x5).	DC 5010
			Query returns trigger level setting of selected channel. LEV 9999 indicates front- panel control for DC 5009.	DC 5009, DC 5010
LOW LEVEL SETTINGS	LLSET	<bin blk:<="" td=""><td><pre>> Compact binary version of full instrument set-up; send only the exact response received for "LLSET?" or "SEND<n>".</n></pre></td><td>FG 5010, PS5010</td></bin>	<pre>> Compact binary version of full instrument set-up; send only the exact response received for "LLSET?" or "SEND<n>".</n></pre>	FG 5010, PS5010
	LLSET?		Returns binary version of current instrument set-up.	FG 5010, PS5010

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COMMAND	HEADER	ARGUMENT	DESCRIPTION	INSTRUMENT
LOGIC SUPPLY OUTPUT	LSOUT	ON or OFF	Connects or disconnects the logic supply to the output terminals.	PS5010
			Returns LSOUT ON; or LSOUT OFF;.	PS5010
MAXIMUM			Query returns last AUTOtrig maximum peak voltage.	DC 5009, DC 5010
MINIMUM?	MIN?		Query returns last AUTOtrig minimum peak voltage.	DC 5009, DC 5010
OUTPUT	OUT	ON	Connects the FG 5010 output signal to the front-panel connector. "OUT OFF" is	
			the power-up setting.	
		ON	Connects all supplies to their output terminals.	PS5010
			Disconnects the output from the front-panel connector.	FG 5010, PS5010
	OUT?		Returns "OUT ON;" or "OUT OFF:".	FG 5010,
			Returns "FSOUT ON;" or "FSOUT OFF;" and "LSOUT ON;" or "LSOUT OFF;".	PS5010
PRESCALE			Enables prescaler and internal scaling.	DC 5009, DC 5010
	put '.a		Disables prescaler and internal scaling.	DC 5009, DC 5010
	PRE?		Query returns PRE ON or PRE OFF.	DC 5009, DC 5010

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COMMAND	HEADER ARGUMENT	DESCRIPTION	INSTRUMENT
SEND	SEND	Obtains and formats new	DC 5009,
		measurement results.	DC 5010
	SEND	Moves latest measurement to the output buffer. If no measurement is available, the instrument triggers a	DM 5010
		conversion and puts measure-	
		SEND command returns:	
		"3.;" if input is above both	
		limits.	
		"2.;" if input is between or	
		equal to both limits.	
		"l.;" if input is below both limits.	
	SEND <num></num>	FG 5010 transmits the contents	FG 5010
		of the stored settings loca- tion stated by the argument. Multiple arguments are per-	
		mitted. Argument options are 0-9. Response is "STOR <num>:<binary block="">;".</binary></num>	
SLOPE	SLO POS	Triggors on positive slave	
OBOTH	510 105	Triggers on positive slope.	DC 5009, DC 5010
			20 3010
	POS	Sets the trigger/gate input	FG 5010
		to respond to a positive transition or state. Gate	
	*	is "ON" when the input is	
		at the high state. "SLO POS" is the power-up setting.	
		to the power up setting.	

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COMMAND	HEADER	ARGUMENT	DESCRIPTION	INS	STRUMENT
	SLO	NEG	Triggers on negative slope.		5009, 5010
		NEG	Sets the trigger/gate input to respond to a negative transition or state. Gate is "ON" when the input is at the low state.	FG	5010
	SLO?		Query returns SLO NEG or SLO POS.		5009, 5010 -
			Interrogates trigger slope status. Response is "SLOPE NEG;" or "SLOPE POS;".	FG	5010
SOURCE	SOU	REAR or INT	Selects rear interface as signal source.	DC	5009
		REAR	Measures rear interface connector inputs.	DM	5010
		FRONT or EXT	Selects front-panel connector as signal source.	DC	5009
			Measures front panel connector inputs.	DM	5010
1415 (C	SOU?		Query returns SOUR REAR or SOUR FRONT.	DM	5010
TERMINATION	TERM	LO	Sets channel input to 50 ohm termination.		
Lend of		HI	Sets channel input to 1 meg- ohm, 23 picofarad.	DC	5010
	TERM?		Query returns TER HI or TER LO.	DC	5010
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STATUS COMMANDS

COMMAND	HEADER	ARGUMENT	DESCRIPTION	INSTRUMENT
LOCK?	LOCK?		Returns external phase lock mode: 1, 0, or -1.	FG 5010
			These codes mean as follows:	
			1: FG 5010 locked to trigger/ gate input signal.	
			0: FG 5010 unlocked.	
			-1: PHASE LOCK not selected.	
LRI	LRI	ON or OFF	logic supply regulation interrupt.	PS 5010
	LRI?		Returns LRI ON; or LRI OFF;.	PS 5010
NRI	NRI	ON or OFF	negative floating supply regulation interrupt.	PS 5010
	NRI?		Returns NRI ON; or NRI OFF;	PS5010
OPC	OPC	ON	Enables assertion of SRQ on operation complete.	DC 5009, DC 5010
			Enables operation complete SRQ. DM 5010 asserts SRQ whenever a new measurement is available.	DM 5010
	a interest of the second se	OFF	Disables SRQ on oper- ation complete.	DC 5009, DC 5010, DM 5010

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COMMAND	HEADER	ARGUMENT	DESCRIPTION	INSTRUMENT
	OPC?		Query returns "OPC ON;" or "OPC OFF;".	DC 5009, DC 5010, DM 5010
OVERFLOW or OVERRANGE	OVER	ON	Enables asserting of SRQ on counter overflow.	DC 5009, DC 5010
UVERRANGE		ON	Enables overrange SRQ. If overranged when talked, returns "1.E+99;".	DM 5010
		OFF	Disables SRQ on counter overflow.	DC 5009, DC 5010
		OFF	Disables overrange SRQ. If overranged when talked, returns "1.E+99;".	DM 5010
	OVER?		Query returns OVER ON or OVER OFF.	DC 5009, DC 5010, DM 5010
PLI	PLI	ON or OFF	Enables or disables the phase-lock interrupt.	FG 5010
	PLI?		Returns "PLI OFF;" or "PLI ON;".	FG 5010
PRI	PRI	ON or OFF	Enables or disables the positive floating supply regulation interrupt.	PS5010
	PRI?		Returns "PRI ON;" or "PRI OFF;".	PS5010

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COMMAND	HEADER	ARGUMENT	DESCRIPTION	INSTRUMENT
REGULATION	REG?		Returns REG <num>, <num>,<num>. Sequence is neg,pos,logic. Numbers are l=voltage, 2=current,</num></num></num>	PS5010
			3=unregulated.	
RQS	RQS	ON	Enables instrument to generate service requests.	DC 5009, DC 5010, DM 5010,
			state.	FG 5010, PS5010
		OFF	Disables all service	DC 5009,
			requests except for power-on.	DC 5010, DM 5010, FG 5010,
				PS 5010, PS 5010
	RQS?		Query returns "RQS ON;" or "RQS OFF;".	DC 5009, DC 5010, DM 5010, FG 5010, PS 5010
USEREQ	USER	ON or OFF	Enables or disables asserting of SRQ when INST ID button is pressed.	DC 5009, DC 5010, DM 5010,
			Power-up setting is "USER OFF".	FG 5010, PS 5010
	USER?		Query returns USER ON or USER OFF.	DC 5009, DC 5010, DM 5010, FG 5010,
				PS 5010,

SYSTEM COMMANDS

COMMAND	HEADER	ARGUMENT	DESCRIPTION	IN	STRUMENT
DEVICE TRIGGER	DT	GATE	The GET interface message toggles the gate setting: on-to-off or off-to-on. Can be overridden by external signal.	FG	5010
1000 ad 1000 an		GATE	GET controls start and stop.		5009, 5010
		SET	Instrument waits for GET to update settings.		5010, 5010
		TRIG	GET triggers reading MODE TRIG.	DM	5010
ing and the second second		TRIG	GET performs RESET.		5009, 5010
		TRIG	GET triggers a cycle (TRIG mode) or burst (NBURST mode).	FG	5009
		OFF	Disables response to GET (power-on condition).	DC DM FG	5009, 5010, 5010, 5010, 5010
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COMMAND	HEADER	ARGUMENT	DESCRIPTION	INSTRUMENT
ERROR?	ERR?	RQS ON:	Returns error code for most recent status reported, or 0 if no SRQ.	DC 5009, DC 5010, DM 5010, FG 5010, PS 5010
			RQS OFF: Returns error code for event waiting to be reported.	DC 5009, DC 5010, DM 5010, FG 5010, PS 5010
IDENTIFY	ID?	•	Returns instrument model number, Codes and Formats version number, and firmware version number.	DC 5009, DC 5010, DM 5010, FG 5010, PS 5010
INITIALIZE	INIT		Initializes all program- mable settings to power-on state (and front-panel) settings in case of DC 5009).	DC 5009, DC 5010, DM 5010, FG 5010, PS 5010
SETTINGS QUERY	SET?		Returns all instrument settings that may be queried.	DC 5009 DC 5010, DM 5010, FG 5010, PS 5010
SELF-TEST	TEST		Performs self-test and returns 0 if OK or code if error detected.	DC 5009, DC 5010, FG 5010, PS 5010
			Returns "ERR 0;" if calibration checksum OK; "ERR 351;" if not.	

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STATUS AND ERROR REPORTING

STATUS TABLE

STATUS BYTE	ERROR CODE	DESCRIPTION
(DECIMAL)	(ERR?)	

Command Errors

97	101	Command header error
97	102	Header delimiter error
97	103	Command argument error
97	104	Argument delimiter error
97	105	Non-numeric argument (numeric expected)
97	106	Missing argument
97	107	Invalid message unit delimiter
97	108	Checksum error
97	109	Bytecount error

Execution Errors

98	201	Command not executable in local
98	202	Settings lost due to rtl
98	203	I/O buffers full, output dumped
98	204	Settings conflicts
98	205	Argument out of range
98	206	Group execute trigger ignored
98	220	Select error. No card in that slot.
98	231	Not in calibrate mode
98	232	Beyond calibration capability
98	251	Symmetry/frequency conflict
98	252	Amplitude/offset conflict
98	253	Amplitude/AM conflict
98	254	Hold/phase lock conflict
98	255	Hold/frequency conflict
98	256	Phase lock/FM conflict
98	257	Phase lock/VCF conflict
98	258	Gate/mode conflict

STATUS BYTE ERROR ((DECIMAL) (ERR?)

ERROR CODE DESCRIPTION

Internal Errors (displayed in front panel)

99	301	Interrupt fault
99	302	System error
99	303	Math pack error
99	311	Timeout (measurement not completed)
99	312	Measurement overflow
99	313	Serial I/O fault
99	314	Mag-latch relay strobe too long
99	315	Phase lock range error
99	316	Frequency correction range exceeded
99	317	Front panel time out
99	318	Bad calibration constant
99	320-339	Device-dependent (see instrument manual)
*	340	System RAM error
*	341	System RAM error (low nibble)
*	342	
	• 139 et es	Reserved for additional RAM errors
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*	350	CPU RAM error
*	351	Calibration RAM checksum error
*	360-375	XXXX ROM placement error
*	380-395	XXXX ROM checksum error
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66		Power on
67		Operation complete
07	403	User request

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Execution Warning

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STATUS BYTE ERROR CODE DESCRIPTION (DECIMAL) (ERR?)

Internal Warning

102	601	Overrange
102	602	Channel A protect
102	603	Channel B protect
102	604	No prescaler
102	605	Time of day clock not initialized and WAIT UNTIL command was to be executed

Device Status

193	701	Below limits
195	703	Above limits
193	711	Channel A overflow
194	712	Channel B overflow
197	721	Negative supply change to voltage regulated
198	722	Negative supply change to current regulated
199	723	Negative supply change to unregulated
201	724	Positive supply change to voltage retulated
202	725	Positive supply change to current regulated
203	726	Positive supply change to unregulated
205	727	Logic supply change to voltage regulated
206	728	Logic supply change to unregulated
207	729	Logic supply change to unregulated
204	731	In lock
200	732	Not locked

STATUS BYTE (DECIMAL)	ERROR CODE (ERR?)	DESCRIPTION
225	74x **	Power on errors on card in slot x (50M70) Cannot clear PIA data direction registers (50M30) Cannot write "1's" to PIA (50M40)
225	741	Cannot access PIA with all "0's" (SI5010)
225	75x **	Power on errors on card in slot x (50M70)
		Cannot properly operate PIA control
		register (50M30)
		Cannot write "O's" to PIA (50M40)
225	751	Cannot access PIA with all "1's" (SI5010)
225	76x **	Power on errors on card in slot x
226	77x **	Hardware errors on card in slot x
226	78x **	Hardware errors on card in slot x
192+x	79x **	Armed event warning on card in slot x Armed SRQ
193	791	Armed SRQ (EXIT TRIG occurred) (SI5010)
128	0	Not in phase lock trigger status, note available mode
128	0	Active, no errors to report
129	0	Trigger input low
130	0	Trigger input toggling
131	0	Trigger input high
132	0	Reading available
136	0	Waiting for trigger
137	0	Phase lock mode, out of lock, trigger low
138	0	Phase lock mode, out of lock, trigger toggling
139	0	Phase lock mode, out of lock, trigger high
142	0	Phase lock mode, in lock, trigger toggling
202	0	Generator went out of phase lock
206	0	Generator went into phase lock

* Not reported over GPIB so no entry in Status Table Required. (Error Code displayed on front panel)

**The value of "x" in the ERROR QUERY response column depends on which slot the MI5010 cards are located. The range of "x" is 1 through 6.

NOTE: The status byte numbers assume SRQ has been asserted and the BUSY bit is not set; add 16 for busy status.

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STATUS BYTE (response to serial poll)

B 8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	Condition
(128)	(64)	(32)	(16)	(8)	(4)	(2)	(1)	LSB
0	1	0	х	0	0	0	1	Power-on (65-81)
	-					-	-	
0	X	0	Х	X	X	X	X	System event (64-79,80-95)
0	0	0	Х	0	0	0	0	Ordinary operation (0)
0	Х	1	Х	0	0	0	1	Command error (97,113)
0	Х	1	Х	0	0	1	0	Execution error (98,114)
0	Х	1	Х	0	0	1	1	Internal error (99,115)
0	x	1	х	0	1	1	0	Internal error warning (102,118)
1	х	1	X	X	X	Х	X	Device status (192-207, 208-223)
1	1	1	1	615	1	1	1	
The Part	11	1010				10 00	18 25	
	1900			-				Four-bit status code
								Microprocessor busy condition
						1.00		("1" if busy)
								(I II busy)
		L						Abnormal/normal condition
			1000	Post	Scatt			("1" if abnormal)
								Stephenson and Higher and the second
	L							SRQ ("1" if requesting service)
								and the second second
								If 0, STB indicates event class
-								If 1, STB indicates device class

TM 5000 IEEE 488 INTERFACE FUNCTIONS

FUNCTION SUBSET	DESCRIPTION
SH1	Source Handshake. Complete capability.
AH1	Acceptor Handshake. Complete capability.
Τ6	Basic Talker. Responds to Serial Poll, Untalk if My Listen Address (MLA) is received.*
L4	Basic Listener. Unlisten if My Tlak Address (MTA) is received.
SR1	Service Request. Complete capability.
RL1	Remote-Local Function. Complete capability. Most front-panel buttons issue an RTl message when pressed.
PPØ	Parallel Poll. Does not respond to Parallel Poll.
DC1	Device Clear. Complete capability.
DT1	Device Trigger. Complete capability.
CØ	No Controller function.

* DM 5010 is T6--includes Talk Only capability.

TM 5000 RESPONSE TO IEEE 488 INTERFACE MESSAGES

INTERFACE MESSAGE	INSTRUMENT RESPONSE
DCL	Device Clear. This message terminates device depen- dent message processing, resets the input and output buffers, clears any buffered settings and clears the instrument status, except for the power on status.
GET	Group Execute Trigger. The instrument responds as defined by the DT command.
GTL	Go To Local. This causes the instrument to go to a local state.
LLO	Local Lockout. This causes the instrument to go to the Local With Lockout State (LWLS) or the Remote With Lockout State (RWLS).
SDC	Selected Device Clear. Same as DCL message, except instrument must be addressed.
SPE, SPD	Serial Poll Enable and Serial Poll Disable. Con- figures instrument for serial poll capability.
IFC	Interface Clear. This uniline message takes the instrument to an unaddressed state. No other action is taken.



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