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PDP8T012

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## PDP8T012 Program

There is a multitude of software available for the PDP-8. Ideally, all of it should be useable on the PDP-12 which contains a PDP-8 mode of operation. The one minor difficulty encountered when attempting to use such software, however, is that in most of it the linefeed character follows each carriage return. In the PDP-12 a linefeed is of special meaning, indicating a forthcoming monitor command. Thus, the PDP-8 material is seemingly useless.

The PDP8T012 program is a short utility program that searches a piece of PDP-8 software and hence makes it usable on a PDP-12. Instructions for use follow:

- 1) Load and start PDP8T012 program
- 2) Turn on paper tape punch
- 3) Load PDP-8 source tape into paper tape reader
- 4) Switch reader to "Start"

The paper tape produced will be acceptable to the PDP-12.

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01.00
Ø6:01
                        /PROGRAM TO CONVERT PDP-8 SOURCE
0002
                        /TAPES TO BE COMPATIBLE WITH PDP-12
0003
                        /DIAL
00104
00105
0006
                                PMODE
06 07
                                 *200
          0200
                 6032
Ø6 10
                                KCC
Ø6 11
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                 6046
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06:15
                 6031
                                KSF
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                 5202
                                 JMP .-1
0014
          0204
                 6036
                                KKP
0015
          0205
                 6046
                                 TLS
0016
          0206
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                                 TAD .+11
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                 7640
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0020
          0210
                 5202
                                 JMP .-6
0021
          0211
                 7040
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          0212
                 6041
                                 TSF
0023
          0213
                 5212
                                 JMP .-1
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                 7200
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                                JMP .-14
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0030
0031
                        /
0032
                        /TO USE PROGRAM:
0033
0034
                            LOAD PROGRAM
0035
                        /
                            LOAD PDP-8 SOURCE TAPE INTO READER
                            SET READER TO "START" AND PUNCH TO
0036
                        1
0037
                            "ON"
0040
                            START PROGRAM AT LOCATION 200
0041
                            PUNCHED TAPE IS ACCEPTABLE TO DIAL
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