

TI 59 to UDP Interface Software

In order to understand the software, it is first necessary to understand how the data is formatted on the output of the 59 and how the data is translated by the Interface hardware. A brief description is given below.

The Interface Hardware is connected to the data and control lines of the 59 serial interface. It is set up to detect when a load printer command is sent by the 59. This load printer command is sent on the transfer of each 2 digit pair in response to an OP 05 in the software. The two digit pairs are sent in 2 and $\frac{1}{2}$ digit octal (ie 7 bits of data are sent; 1 leading digit plus two 3 bit octal digits) see examples below.

Digit Pair

37
51
15
29*

7BIT Binary Transfer

	0	1	2	3	4	5	6
37	0	0	1	1	1	1	1
51	0	1	0	1	0	0	1
15	0	0	0	1	1	0	1
29*	0	0	1	1	0	0	1

*The 59 will send Digits ≥ 8 (ie an invalid octal digit) by "carrying out" to the next digit position. We were not sure exactly what would happen for all cases so we always generate valid octal digits in the software (assuming valid inputs).

The Interface hardware Ignores Data bit 0 sent by the 59. The other six bits of data are treated as below

Bit 1 - Is used to generate a one shot write Chip select to transfer the Data to the UDP if one

Bit 2 - Is goes to the Mode pin.

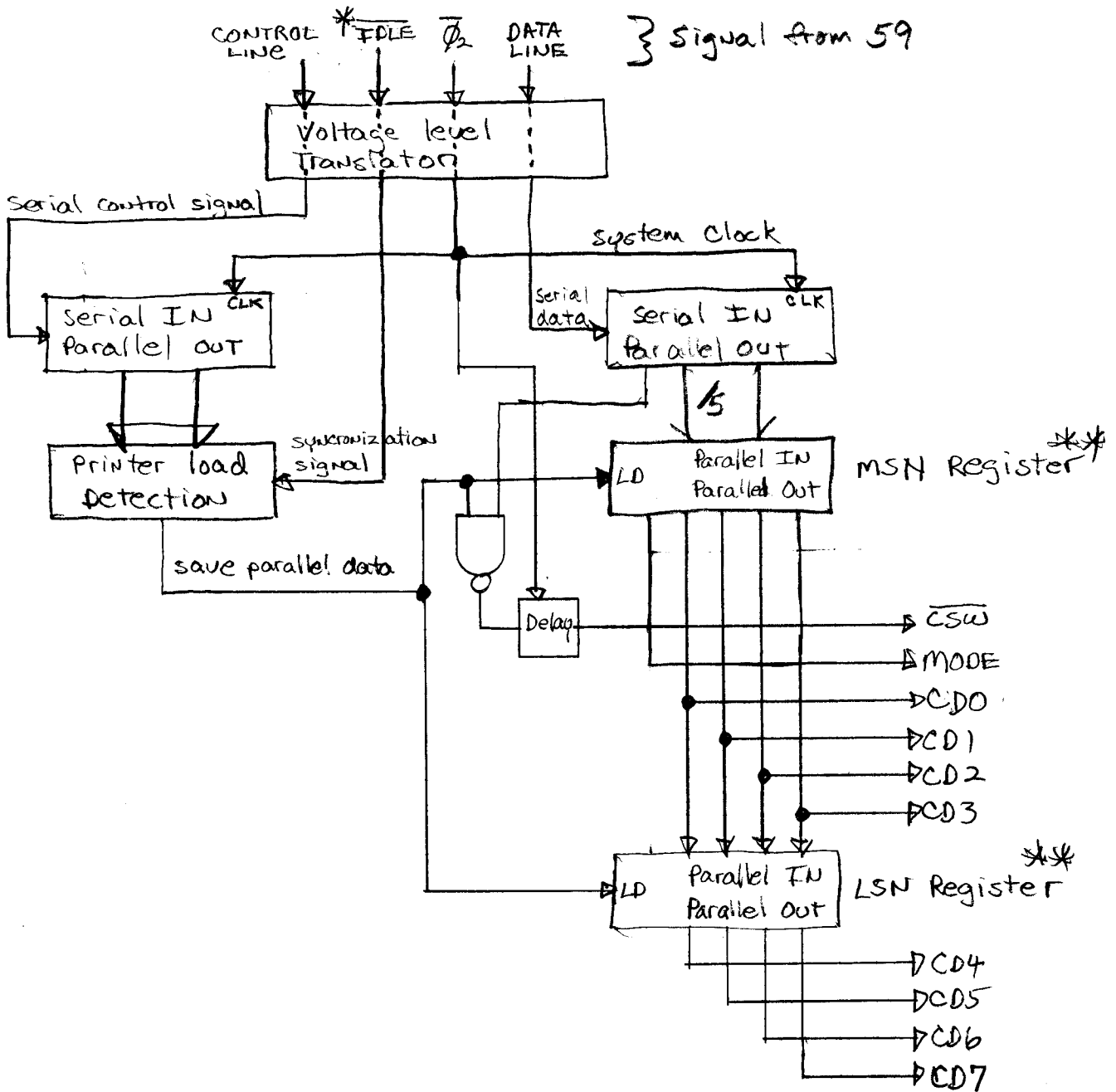
Bits 3 to 6 - are used to send 4 bits of data on each transfer.

Two transfers are required to send a byte of data to the UDP. On the first transfer Bit 1 must be zero, Bit 2 is a "don't care", and Bits 3 to 6 are used to transfer the least significant four bits of data (Least significant nibble). On the second transfer Bit 1 must be set to one, Bit 2 is set to the mode desired, and Bits 3 to 6 are used to transfer the most significant 4 bits of data (MSN = Most significant nibble). How this works to form the control and byte of data sent to the UDP may be best understood by studying the TI-59 to UDP system on the following page.

The 59 follows a least significant sent first, to most significant sent last convention, both at the digit and bit level (for example if the number "4615" is sent a one would be sent first corresponding to the least significant bit of the digit "5"). The 59 sends the data loaded by OP 04 first followed by OP 03, OP 02, and OP 01 last when a OP 05 causes a "PRINT". This ordering is very important to keep in mind since the transfer before the transfer containing a CSW forms the data 16 bits and due to the auto-incrementing address register on the UDP that is used to transfer blocks of data.

Examples of how data can be transferred to the UDP are given below

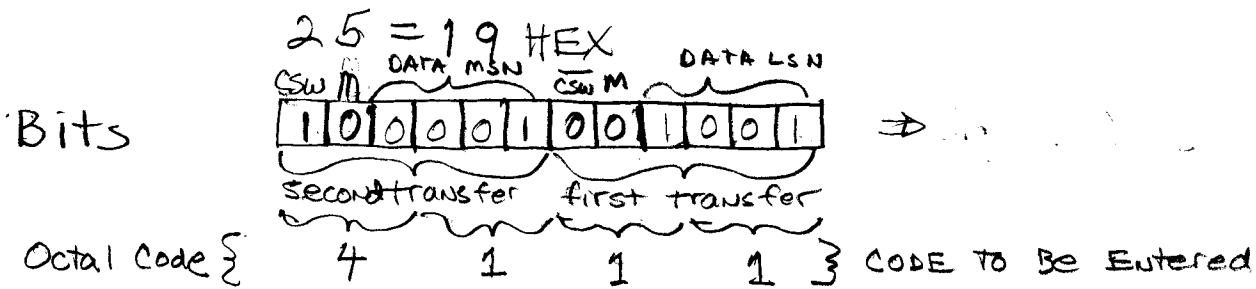
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* Note \overline{IDLE} is used as a serial data synchronization control signal

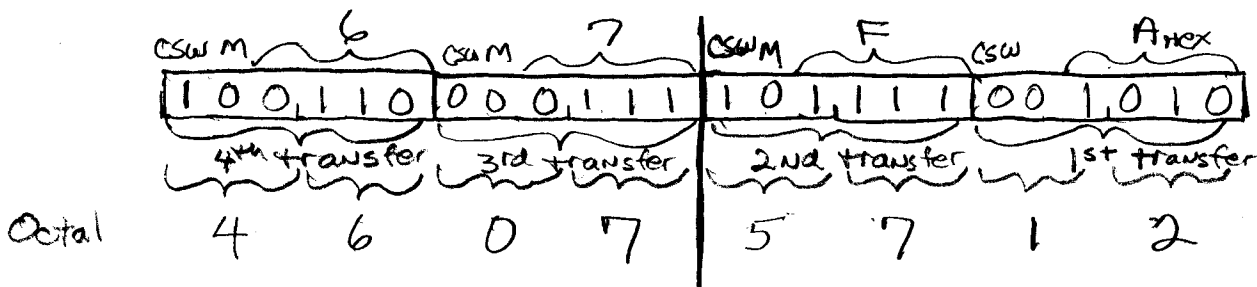
** The MSN - LSN Regs are set up such that after 2 transfers of data they contain the 8 bit data. On the first transfer the MSN contains the least significant bits. On the second transfer the least significant bits are transferred to LSN Reg and the most significant bits are loaded into MSN Reg.

Example 1 : Write 25 to DRAM at the address Already in the UDP address Register



Example 2 : Write 250 to DRAM at the address Specified in the UDP address Register followed by writing 103 to the NEXT location in DRAM

250 = FA Hex 103 = 67 Hex



Example 3 : Same Data to DRAM as example 2 but demonstrating how leading or trailing zero's are ignored

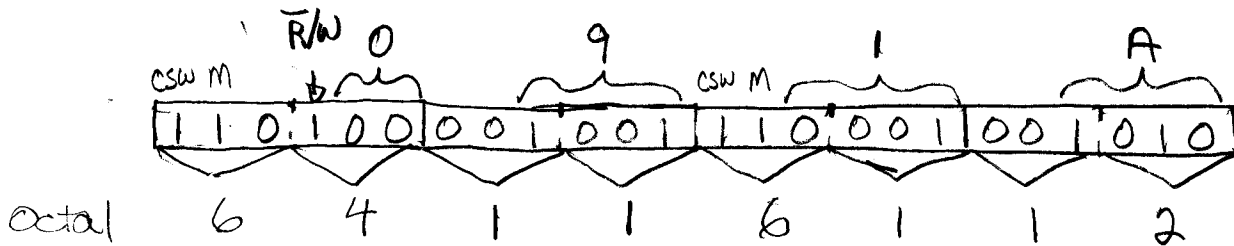
Octal Result. 4 6 0 7 0 0 5 7 1 2

ignored

- * Note the two zero's are ignored since the next transfer "07" does NOT have a CSW signal. Thus data WRITES to the UDP and DRAM Really consist of 4 digit groups.
- ** Note also that the print registers each hold 10 decimal digits. Thus 2 Bytes of data (requiring 8 digits) can fit in each register

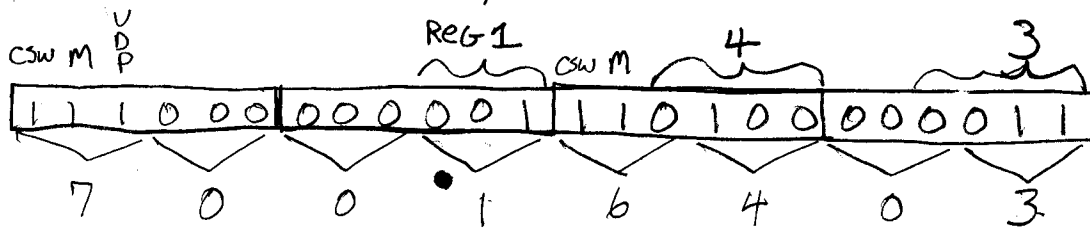
EXAMPLE 4 - Load the UDP address register with 2329 and set the READ/WRITE flag to 1 inside UDP

3330 = 091A Hex



EXAMPLE 5 - LOAD UDP register 1 with the number 67

67 = 43 Hex



EXAMPLE 6 - Load UDP Register 1 with 67 then write 250, 103, and 25 to locations 3330, 3331 and 3332 respectively.

ENTER 70016403 OP 04 .. Save Number of Example 5 in print Register 4

ENTER 64116112 OP 03 .. Save Number of Example 4 in print Register 3

ENTER 46075712 OP 02 .. Save Number of Example 2

ENTER 4111 OP 01 .. SAVE Number of Example 1

ENTER OP 05 .. "Print" to UDP

Converting a number from decimal to the 59-to UDP code is fairly simple. The first step is to convert the number to Hex* and then to Octal and then add on the control bits. Note that the UDP has an 8 bit port and thus the valid number range is 0 to 255, or two hex digits. The basic steps are:

- 1) The ms Hex "digit"* is simply the integer part of the result of dividing the number by 16.
- 2) The Hex "digit" is converted to OCTAL by adding 2 to the Hex "digit" if and only if the digit is ≥ 8 , otherwise the number is already OK.
- 3) The control can be added at this point. 40 would set the CSW control. 60 would set the CSW control and cause the data to transfer to the Address Register.
- 4) Shift the Result to the Left by 2 digit by multiplying by 100. This puts the ms Digit plus control in its proper place.
- 5) The L.S. Hex "digit" is the remainder of the original Divide By 16. The remainder is obtained by multiplying the non integer part of the Division result by 16.
- 6) The Hex "digit" is converted to Octal as in step 2.

* Note the calculator does not have hex numbers for A, B, C, D, E, and F so they are represented by the decimal numbers 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 and 15 respectively. By "Hex digit" here, it is meant a number which represents its 4 binary bits.

Step 7) The LS octal result is added to the result of step 4 to give the final converted result.

Example 7: Convert: 250

- Step 1: $250 \div 16 = 15.625 \Rightarrow$ MS Hex "Digit" = $\boxed{15}$
Step 2: $15 \geq 8$ so $15 + 2 \Rightarrow \boxed{17}$
Step 3: Add on control to make the Number Write to DRAM $\Rightarrow 17 + 40 \Rightarrow \boxed{57}$
Step 4: Shift left by 2 $100 \times 57 \Rightarrow \boxed{5700}$
Step 5: $.625 \times 16 = 10 \Rightarrow$ LS Hex "Digit" = $\boxed{10}$
Step 6: $10 \geq 8$ so $10 + 2 \Rightarrow \boxed{12}$
Step 7: $5700 + 12 = \boxed{5712}$ Result.

Note this is the same result as Example 2

Program A' directly implements the algorithm given above.

INPUT: Decimal Number on display

OUTPUT: Converted Number with control to write to memory, Result on Display

Program B' is used to generate converted data to write to a UDP register.

INPUT: (Value).(Register Number). The Value must be between 0 and 255 and the Register Number must be ONE digit on the Right of the decimal place

Output: Converted Number with control code for writing to an internal register. The result is "Printed" (or sent) to the UDP and is left on the display.

Example: $67.1 \Rightarrow B' \Rightarrow 70016403$

Program D is used to transfer data that has already been "translated" to the VDP. It transfers the contents of Registers 28 to 59 to the "Printer". The Typical Application is that information is translated and STORED in Registers 30 to 59 (Memory Partition #3). The translated data can be Data for DRAM, Addresses, or Internal Register WRITES in ANY order providing it has the correct control signals in the data. (Registers 28 and 29 are transferred but usually will contain ϕ . They are only transferred to give an Even multiple of 4 transfers). The Data in Registers 30 to 59 can then be stored on Mag. cards. The mag. cards containing the translated data are transferred back to Reg 30 to 59 at some later time to write to the VDP

INPUT: Mag Card with pre translated data.
Mag card reads into Partition 3.

Output: ON pressing D the contents of Register 28 to 59 are transferred to VDP.

Program D' is used to generate a translated address and load it into the VDP Address register. Note 2 Bytes are transferred to form a 14 bit Address

INPUT: Address between 0 and 16 K on the display

output: ON pressing D' the address is translated, displayed and shipped to VDP

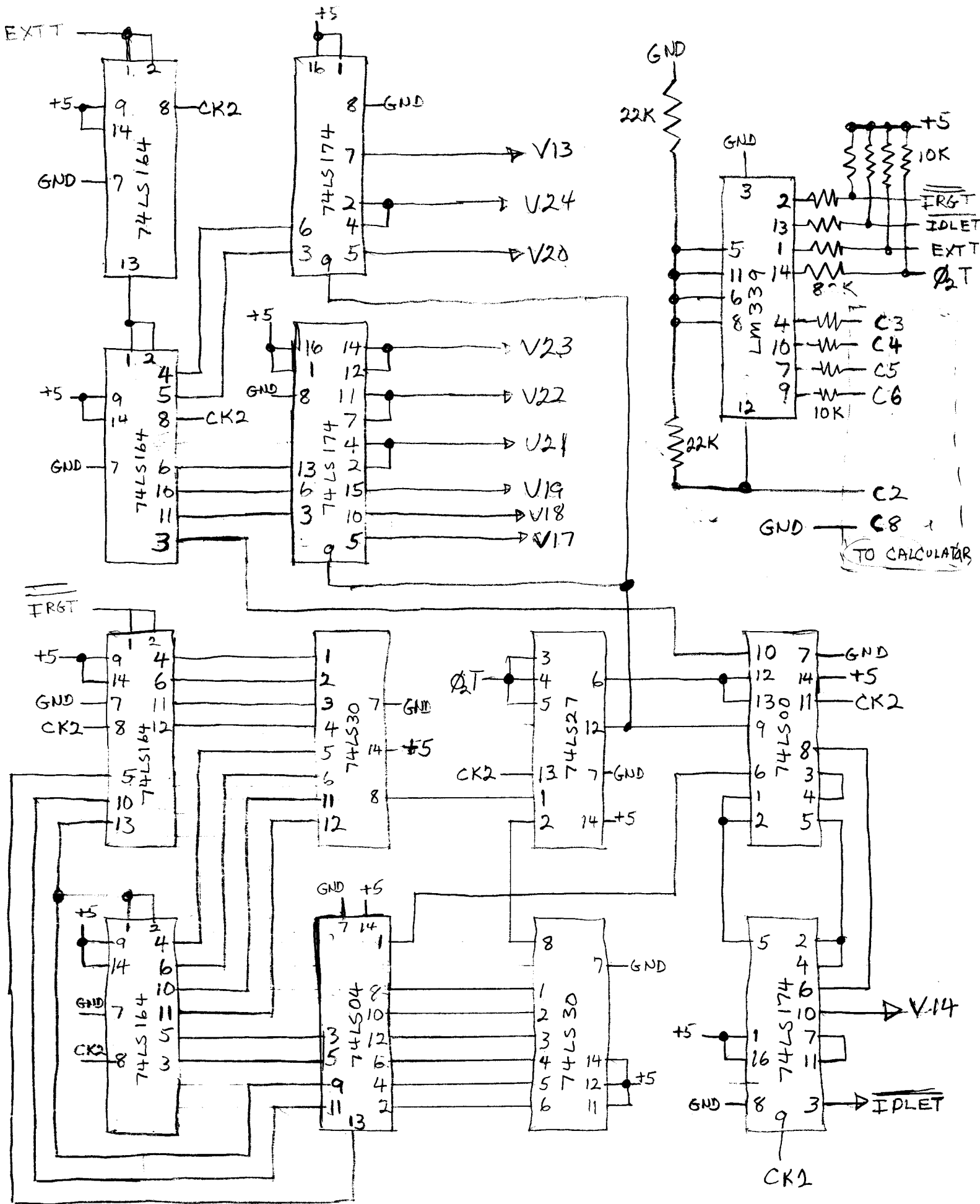
Program E' is used to load the registers 1-59. Registers in order. It is a simple program used to store translated data. Later this translated data can be used by Program D.

Program C' is use to clear Blocks of Memory in the DRAM.

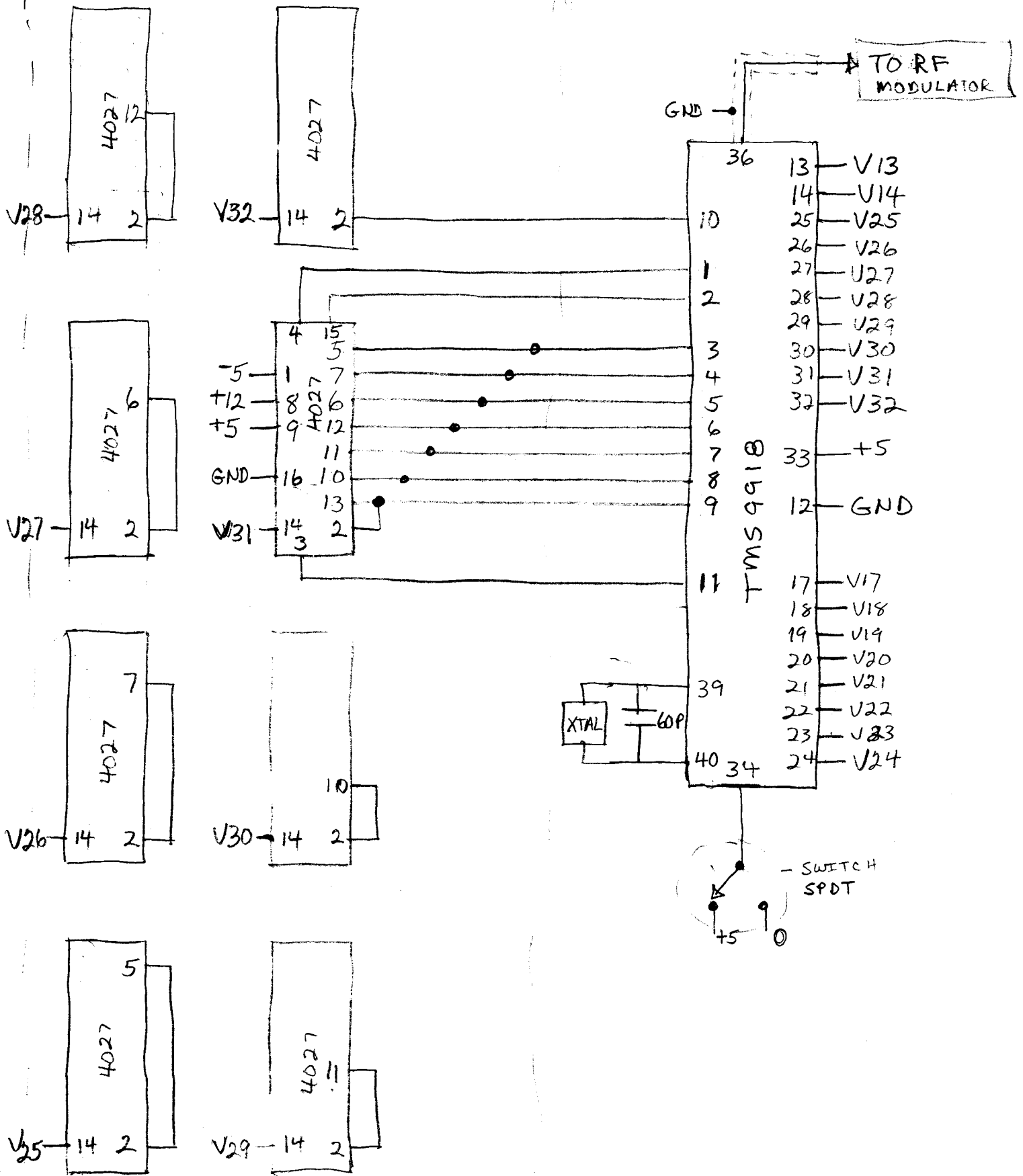
Inputs: Number of Groups of 16 memory locations to be cleared on Display

Outputs: Clear Memory locations starting at current content of Address Counter,

Note: this program is usually preceded by program D' that sets the starting address. The code 4040404000 is used to clear four Bytes of memory; It is a condensed form that takes advantage of how the hardware works. Note that the first 4000 clears the MSN and LSN Register in the hardware. Since the next 40 codes keep entering zeros in the data field and cause a csuw, a series of zeros are written to memory.

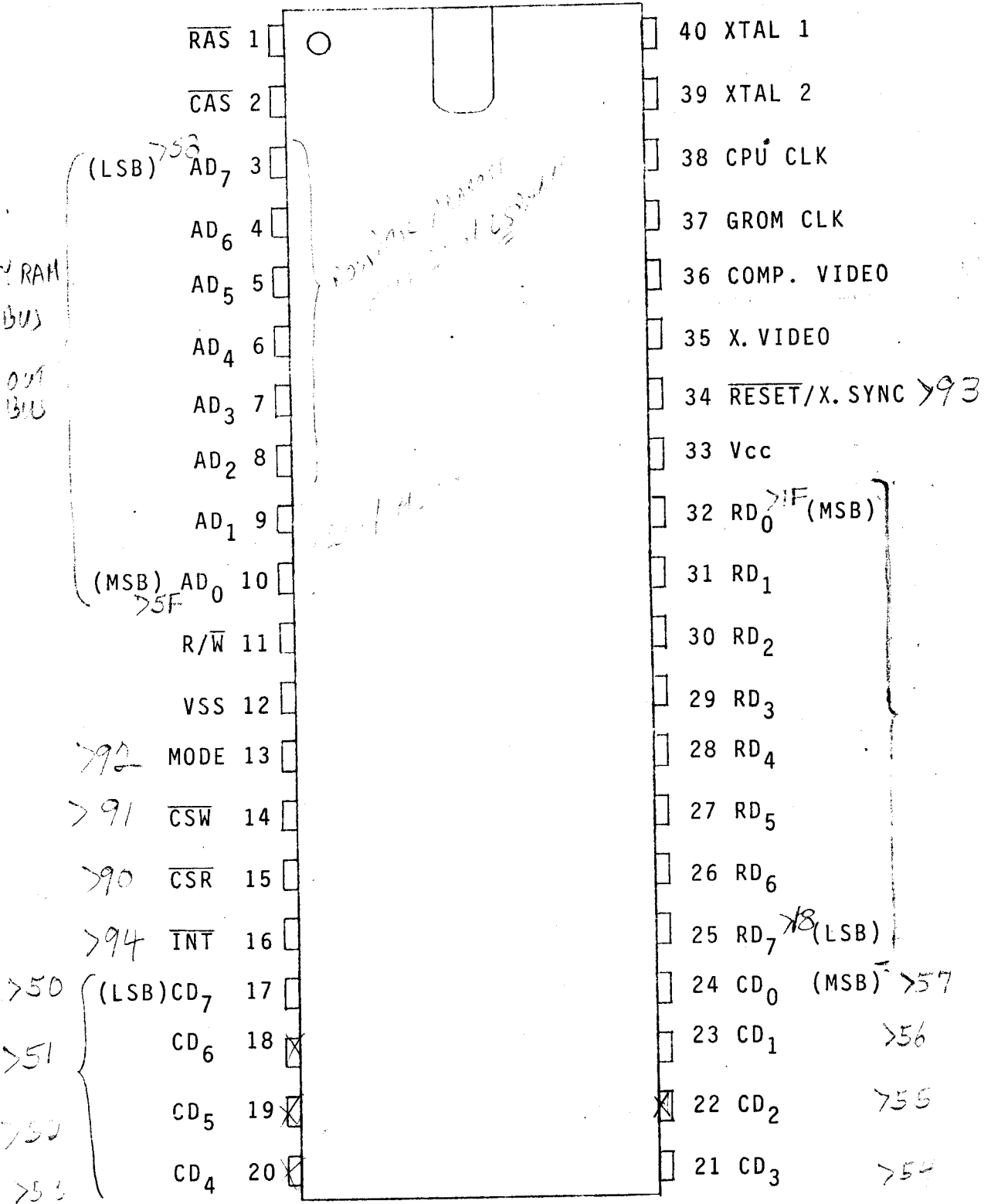


ALL MEMORIES WIRED TOGETHER
EXCEPT FOR PINS 2 and 14



TMS 9918 - VDP
PIN ASSIGNMENT

DISPLAY RAM
ADDR BUS
&
DATA OUT
BUS
0



70016401
 70026000
 70036016
 70046001
 70056006
 70066001
 70076015

INIT. BASE REG

20
 80 - 100 GROUP of 16
 70 S = GROUPS of 4

6

6

64037000
 40174117
 41174117
 41174117
 41174117

WRITE OUT color TABLE ADDRES

50

INITIALIZE SPRITE TABLE

4004008 } SP0

40064001 } SP1

46004008 } SP1

40064004 } SP1

45004008 } BP2

40064001 } SP1

4004210 } SP3

40054001 } SP3

46004210 } SP4

40054001 } SP4

45004210 } SP5

40054001 } SP5

54104110 } SP6

40034001 } SP7

53104110 } SP7

40034001 } SP8

5500 } SP8

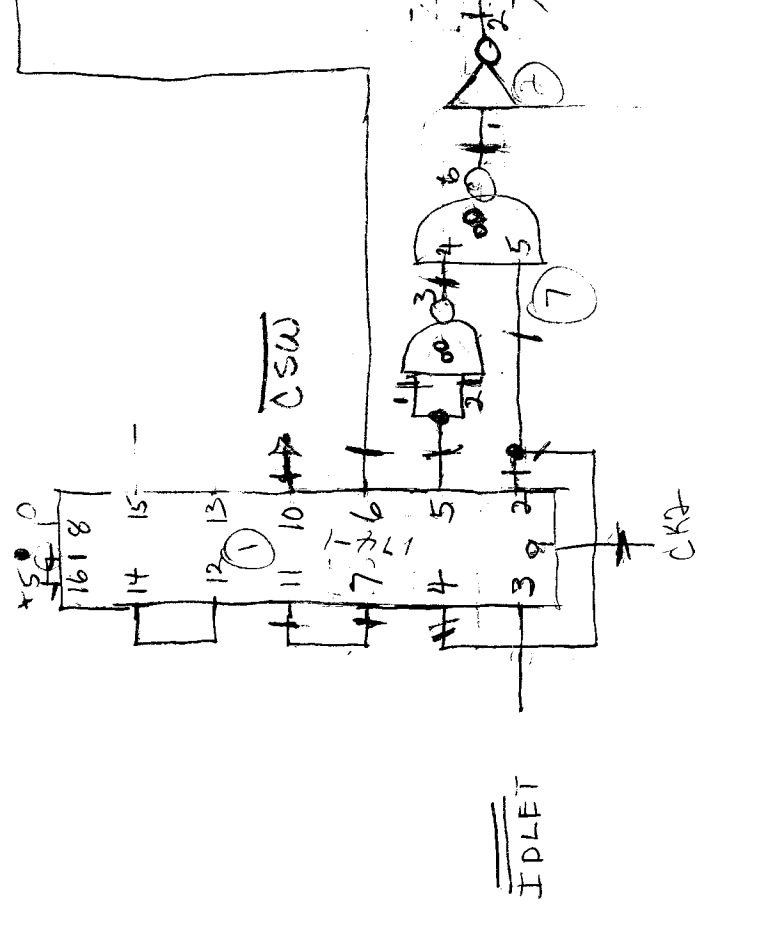
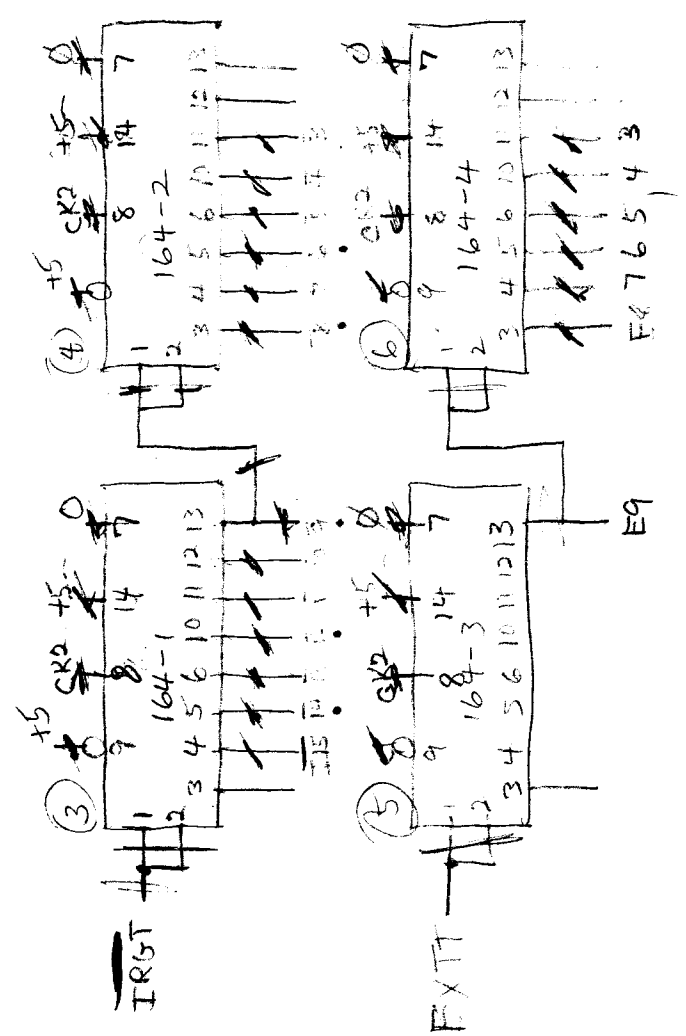
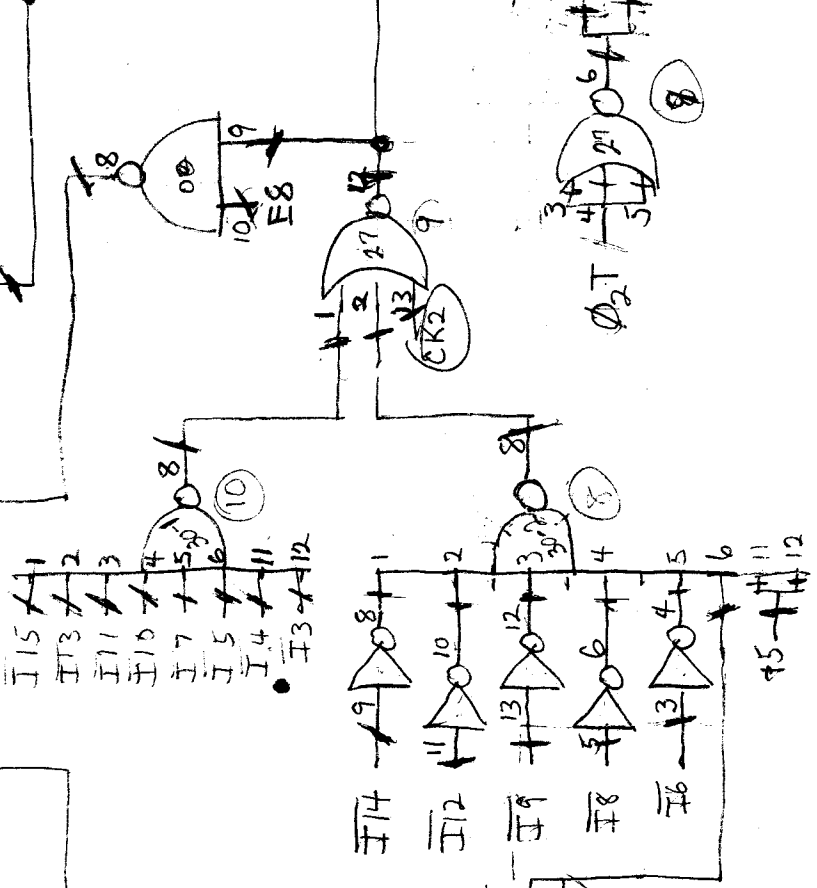
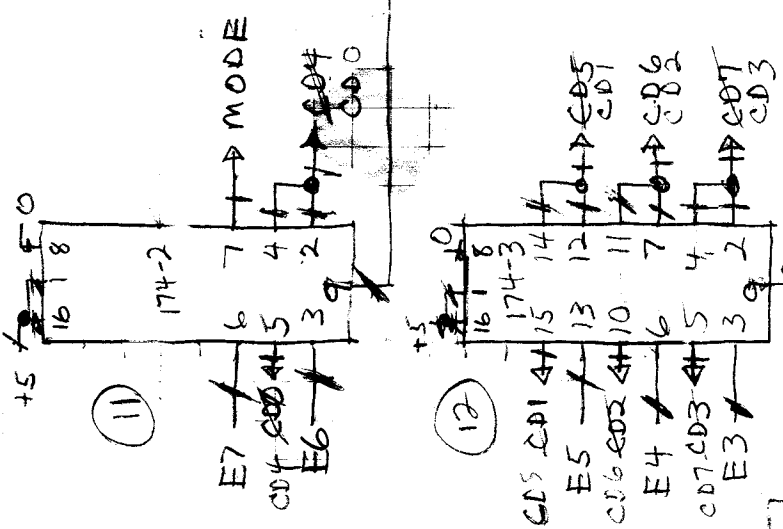
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0		LBL		5				9 0			
1		A'		6				1			
2		:	Divide By	7				2			
3		1	16 To Get	8				3		LBL	
4		6	Pseudo-Hex	9				4		D	
5		=	MS Digit	0				5		2	START TRANSFER
6		STO	to left of	1				6		8	with Reg 28
7		03	decimal	5 2		LBL	DATA. REG	7		STO	REG 6 Points
8		8	Put 8 in	3		B'		8		06	at Transfer Data
9		XST	T for Comparison	4		STO		9		8	Go through
1 0		RCL	STRIP OFF	5		04		10 0		STO	LOOP 8 Times
1		03	Hex MS Digit	6		A'	TRANSLATE DATA	1		05	R5=COUNT
2		INT		7		+	ADD MODE	2		LBL	
3		INV		8		2	TO 1 MASK	3		Y*	
4		GE	IF 28 then	9		0	SO that will	4		RC*	Fetch Next
5		-	add 2 to	6 0		0	write to VDP	5		6	DATA TO TRANSFER
6		+	convert to	1		0	Address Reg.	6		0P	Put DATA
7		2	PSEUDO-OCTAL	2		=		7		4	IN PRINT Reg.
8		LBL		3		STO	SAVE Intermediate	8		0P	INC Reg 6
9		-		4		05	Result	9		26	
2 0		+	ADD ON	5		RCL		11 0		RC*	Fetch Next
1		4	CONTROL	6		04	STRIP OFF	1		06	DATA
2		0	Field, 40 gives	7		INV	Reg Number	2		0P	Put DATA
3		=	write to Address	8		INT	and mode	3		03	IN Print Reg
4		X	Register	9		X	to Integer	4		0P	INC
5		1	Shift MS	7 0		1	Place	5		26	R 6
6		0	Digit Plus Control	1		0		6		RC*	
7		0	Right 2 Places	2		=		7		06	
8		=		3		NOP		8		0P	Put DATA
9		STO	Save Temp.	4		+	ADD 7000 TO	9		02	IN Print Reg.
3 0		02	Partial Result	5		7	Set WRITE=1	12 0		0P	
1		RCL	Fetch and	6		0	MODE=1	1		26	
2		03	Strip off MS	7		0	and to set	2		RC*	
3		INV	Hex Digit	8		0	VDP Reg. Bit	3		06	
4		INT	Then Mult	9		=	inside Address	4		0P	
5		X	By 16 to	8 0		X	Register	5		01	
6		1	Get LS	1		4	X1000	6		0P	INC Reg
7		6	Hex digit	2		INV	TO MOVE	7		26	6
8		=		3		LOG	Reg # of Control	8		0P	"PRINT" OUT
9		INV	IF ≥ 8	4		+	to left of	9		05	4 Bytes to VDP
4 0		GE	then Add	5		RCL	DATA & Control	13 0		PSZ	Loop Till
1		:	2 to convert	6		05	Then ADD	1		05	R5=0
2		+	to Pseudo-	7		=	The TWO	2		Y*	
3		2	Octal.	8		0P	Put Result	3		0P	Clear Print
4		=		9		04	IN PRINT Register	4		00	Registers
5		LBL		9 0		0P	"PRINT" to	5		RTN	
6		:		1		05	VDP.	6			
7		+	Add LS	2		RTN		7			
8		RCL	digit to	3				8			
9		02	Right Shifted	4							
5 0		Σ	MS Digit	5							
5 1		RTN	And Control	6							
2			to get result	7							
3				8							
4				9							

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62	Reg	Ind	72	STO	Ind	83	GTO	Ind
63	Inc	Ind	73	RCL	Ind	84	0P	Ind
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0				5				0			
1				6				1			
2				7				2			
3				8				3			
4				9				4			
5				0				5			
13 6		LBL		1				6			
7		D'	Get MS	2				7			
8		÷	BYTE of	1803		LBL	SAVE TRANS	8			
9		2	Address to	4		E'	Data AT	9			
14 0		5	left of	5		STX	R 3	0			
1		6	Decimal Point	6		OP		1			
2		=		7		03		2			
3		STO	Save to Right	8		23		3			
4		01	of Dec. Point	9		RTN		4			
5		JNT	TRAN LATE	0				5			
6		A'	MS BYTE	1				6			
7		X	Move to	2				7			
8		4	Left 4	3				8			
9		INV	Decimal Digits	4				9			
15 0		ZOG	and SAVE	5				0			
1		=	Partial Result	6				1			
2		STO	IN REG 7	7				2			
3		07		8				3			
4		RCL	Recall	9				4			
5		01	Rest of #	19 0		LBC		5			
6		INV	AND STRIP OFF	1		C'		6			
7		JNT	MS BYTE	2		STO		7			
8		X	Move MS	3		05		8			
9		2	BYTE to	4		4	Note that	9			
16 0		5	Right of	5		0	"40" Represen	0			
1		6	Decimal	6		4	a WRITE	1			
2		=	POINT	7		0	DATA = 0 if	2			
3		A'	TRANSLATE	8		4	the S9 to VDP	3			
4		+	LS BYTE	9		0	transfer latches	4			
5		2	ADD ON	20 0		4	Start out	5			
6		4	Control	1		0	Cleared due	6			
7		0	signals	2		0	to the starting	7			
8		0		3		0	4000 Code	8			
9		2		4		OP	STORE	9			
17 0		0		5		01	"CLEAR four"	0			
1		0		6		OP	in Four 1	1			
2		0		7		02	Print Register	2			
3		=		8		OP	so that get	3			
4		+	ADD TO	9		03	16 memory	4			
5		RCL	TRANSLATED	0		OP	Locations clear	5			
6		07	MS BYTE	1		04	for LOAD	6			
7		=		2		LBL		7			
8		OP	PUT IN	3		EE		8			
9		04	PRINT REG.	4		OP	Print # Clear				
18 0		OP	"PRINT"	5		05	of 16.				
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