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1.0 GENERAL PROGRAM INFORMATION

1.1 Abstract

The RX11 interface diagnostic consists of a series of selectable tests that may be run individually, sequence through all tests, or start at a selected test and run through remaining tests, in order, then go back to the selected test.

These tests check out the basic functions of the RX11 interface such as:

1. Done flag
2. Interrupt level / address
3. Program initialize
4. Read status registers
5. Fill / empty buffer transfer verification
6. Fill / empty buffer with data patterns

It is necessary to insure that these functions work before a data reliability test is run.

Any errors are reported by the program, and it is possible to loop on the error or a particular test for scope testing.

1.2 System Requirements

1.2.1 Hardware Requirements

The following equipment is required:

1. PDP-11 series computer with minimum of 8k memory
2. RX11 floppy disk system, including a single or dual drive RX01 and a PDP-11 Interface card [m7846].

NOTE

A diskette must be included with each drive tested.

3. Console teleprinter

1.2.2 Software Requirements

No prerequisite software

2.0 OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

2.0.1 Outline of Operating Procedure

The standard running procedure for the diagnostic (to run all tests on both drives with no operator intervention via the switch register) is as follows:

1. Load the program into memory

1. If it is being loaded from a diskette replace the "library" diskette with a "scratch" diskette.

NOTE

If this step is forgotten and the program was loaded via RXDP (floppy monitor) on unit 0 with unit 0 selected by user to undergo testing the program will fail-safe the operation and prompt the user as follows: "Caution - If you desire to test unit 0 replace load medium with a scratch diskette then press continue"

Caution again, however -----

NOTE

When running this program on a Small 11 (e.g. /04, LSI 11, etc.) Where there is no console switch register it is imperative to remember this setup.

