EDT Editor Reference Card

Order No. AV-J756A-TC

Keypad Editing for VT52 and VT100

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Keypad and Arrow Keys for the VT100

12 UP	13 DOWN	15 LEFT	14 RIGHT

GOLD	10 HELP	11 FNDNXT FIND	17 DEL L UND L
7 PAGE COMMAND	8 SECT FILL	9 APPEND REPLACE	18 DEL W UND W
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Keyboard Functions

BACKSPACE	Moves the cursor to the beginning of a line
DELETE	Erases the character to the left of the cursor
GOLD *integer*	Repeats any keypad function except SPECINS, DELETE, and CTRL/U
LINE FEED	Erases the word to the left of the cursor
CTRL/A	Computes tab level
CTRL/C	Ends the current operation and returns EDT to keypad editing
CTRL/D	Decreases tab level
CTRL/E	Increases tab level
CTRL/K	Defines key
CTRL/T	Adjusts tabs
CTRL/U	Deletes to start of line
CTRL/W	Refreshes screen
CTRL/Z	Returns to line editing prompt

Starting EDT

Depending on your system, you will use one of the following command lines:

DCL/PDS: ☞ EDIT/EDT file name⟨RET⟩

MCR/CCL: ☞ EDT file name⟨RET⟩

To begin keypad editing, enter the CHANGE command after the asterisk.

Ending the Editing Session

To end the session and save your edits to a file, press the GOLD and COMMAND function keys and enter the EXIT command. To end the session without saving your edits, enter QUIT instead of EXIT.

Getting Help

Pressing the HELP key in keypad editing provides a diagram of keypad functions, as well as explanations of some common keyboard functions. When you then press a keypad key, a description of the functions of that key appears on the screen.

Using the GOLD Function

GOLD   Specifies the lower function of the two functions named on a keypad key. Also repeats a function and allows special character insertion.

RESET   Cancels a GOLD function or a select range.

Entering Commands

COMMAND   Displays the COMMAND: prompt when you press the GOLD and COMMAND function keys, then lets you enter a command.

ENTER   Lets you complete the command.

Using Arrow Functions

→   Moves the cursor to the next character.

↓   Moves the cursor one character below.

←   Moves the cursor to the preceding character.

↑   Moves the cursor to the character above.

Changing Directional Mode

ADVANCE   Changes the direction of cursor movement to the right and downward.

BACKUP   Changes the direction of cursor movement to the left and upward.

Moving the Cursor by Standard Units of Text

BOTTOM	Moves the cursor directly to the end of the buffer.
TOP	Moves the cursor directly to the top of the buffer.
LINE	Moves the cursor to the beginning of a line.
CHAR	Moves the cursor to the next or preceding character.
EOL	Moves the cursor to a line terminator character.
WORD	Moves the cursor to the beginning of a word.
PAGE	Moves the cursor to the top of a page.
SECTION	Moves the cursor to the top of a section.

Searching for Strings in the File

FIND	Type a search string and then press the ADVANCE key or BACKUP key to specify the search direction.
FNDNXT	Searches for another occurrence of a word or phrase that matches the latest search string.

Repeating Functions

If the VT100 autorepeat feature is enabled, you can repeat a single key function and single character insertion by holding the key down. For the same effect on a VT52, hold down both a function key and the REPEAT key.

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Inserting Material into the Main Buffer

To insert any printing characters on the keyboard, type the characters. To insert nonprinting characters, use the SPECINS functions.

SPECINS — Inserts nonprinting characters. Press the GOLD key, type the ASCII decimal equivalent of the nonprinting character you want to insert, and then use the SPECINS function to insert the character.

OPEN LINE — Inserts a new line terminator at the cursor's right.

Selecting a Range of Text

SELECT — Marks the start of a select range. When you move the cursor, use the following functions and commands at the end of the select range:

Functions: APPEND, CHNGCASE, CUT, FILL, REPLACE

Commands: FILL, TABS, ADJUST

The RESET function cancels the select range.

Moving, Copying and Reformatting Text

APPEND — Deletes the select range and stores it at the end of the paste buffer.

CUT — Deletes the select range and stores it in the paste buffer.

FILL — Reformats the text lines in the select range.

PASTE — Inserts the string from the paste buffer.

Deleting and Restoring by Standard Units of Text

CTRL/U	Deletes to the preceding line terminator and stores the string in the line buffer.
DEL C	Deletes the cursor's current character and stores it in the character buffer.
DEL EOL	Deletes to the next line terminator and stores the string in the line buffer.
DELETE	Deletes the preceding character and stores it in the character buffer.
DEL L	Deletes through the next line terminator and stores the string in the line buffer.
DEL W	Deletes to the first character of the next word and stores the string in the word buffer.
LINE FEED	Deletes through the first character of the current or preceding word and stores the string in the word buffer.
UND C	Inserts the character from the character buffer.
UND L	Inserts the string from the line buffer.
UND W	Inserts the string from the word buffer.

Substituting

CHNGCASE   Changes the case of the characters in a selected range.

REPLACE   Replaces the characters in a select range with the characters in the paste buffer.

SUBSTITUTE   When the cursor is at a search string, completes the REPLACE function and then the FNDNXT function.