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**1.0 Chapter Overview** Read this chapter before you begin using this manual. This chapter tells you how the manual is organized and provides you with PAL background information.

**1.1 The Purpose of This Manual** This manual will show you how to produce a PAL program in ladder diagram form and load the program into an Allen-Bradley Series 8400 control. It will also show you how to edit a PAL program on the Kaypro computer.

**1.2 Audience** We assume that you have PAL programming experience but that you are not familiar with the Allen-Bradley Series 8400 numerical control. We've directed this manual towards the machine tool or robot builder that is integrating a Series 8400 control with a machine tool or robot.

**1.3 Manual Contents** This manual contains five chapters.

- Chapter 1 - This Manual
- Chapter 2 - 8400 PAL Overview
- Chapter 3 - Programming Guidelines and Examples
- chapter 4 - Using PAL.COM
- Chapter 5 - 8400 PAL Instructions

If this is your first experience with 8400 PAL, we recommend that you pay special attention to chapters 2 through 4. Before you can program 8400 PAL effectively, you'll have to be familiar with the background information contained in these chapters.

Chapter 5 Contains definitions of instructions. You will need them to develop your 8400 PAL programs.

We've tried to be as specific as possible in giving you this information. There are always variations in applying the theory. It's a good idea to practice, safely, with the information offered in this manual, and develop your own way of writing PAL. Always verify the correct and safe operation of your PAL program and the equipment it controls.

If you find any errors or inadequacies in this manual, please notify the CNC Technical Writing Department of Commercial Services, Industrial Computer Group, Allen-Bradley Company, Highland Heights, Ohio.

1.4 You can find information relating to specific questions  
 Related on PAL programming and applications in these publications.  
 Publications

Publication Title	Publication Number	Part Number
8400 GLC PAL Flags	8400-4.2.1	929295-01
8400 Robot PAL Flags	8400-4.2.4	929236-01
8400 GP PAL Flags	8400-4.2.5	929245-01
Series A 8400 Technical Information Manual	8400-4.3	929161-03
8400 GLC Operation and Job Entry Manual	8400-5.1.1	929158-02
8400 AMP Users Manual (Revision D Firmware)	8400-5.1.3	929206-02
8400 Robot Users Manual	8400-5.1.4	929169-02
8400 GP Operators Manual	8400-5.1.5	929169-02
8400 GLC Programming Manual (6.0)	8400-5.2.2	929170-02
8400 GP Programming Manual	8400-5.2.4	929171-02
8400 GLC AMP Users	8400-6.1.1	929174-01
8400 R Robot AMP Programmers Manual	8400 6.1.4	929208-01
8400 GP AMP Programmers Manual	8400-6.1.6	929207-02
Series B 8400B MP Installation Manual	8420-4.1.3	929286-01
Series B 8400 MP D	8420-5.1.3	929284-01

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Bandit III CNC Installation Manual	BDT3-4.3	929155-01
Bandit III Users Manual	BDT3-5.1.3	929200-02
Bandit IV Installation Manual	BDT4-4.1	929285-01
Series B 8400 MP Bandit IV Standard PAL Data Sheet	BDT4-4.2.10	929293-01
Series B 8400 MP Bandit IV PAL Flags	BDT4-4.2.3	929297-01
Bandit IV D Users Manual	BDT4-5.1.3	929283-01

1.5      The following list of terms and conventions makes the manual  
Terms And      easier for you to read and understand.  
Conventions

We refer to the:

- Adjustable Machine Parameters as "AMP"
- Kaypro 2 and Kaypro 2X as "the computer"
- 2716 Eraseable Programmable Read Only Memory chip as "EPROM"
- the program that actually commands the machine to move the spindle and the axes creating a part is the "task program"
- Bay Technical Associates Model #953B EPROM Programmer as "the EPROM programmer"
- Allen-Bradley 8400 Custom Numerical Control as "the control"
- floppy diskette drive as "the drive"
- floppy diskette as "the disk"

Throughout the text of this manual you may see paragraphs beginning with the following words. These paragraphs have specific meanings:

- **Important:** Points out something important to the reader.
- **Caution:** Points out a situation with potential hazard to equipment.
- **Warning:** Points out a situation with potential hazard to equipment and/or personnel.

Pay close attention to these paragraphs.

Keys on the computer keyboard are shown in brackets in this text. For example, the return key is shown as [RETURN], and the 1 key is shown as [1].

**1.6**  
**Using This**  
**Manual**

This manual shows you how to use the PAL program to create, modify and implement PAL.

Each chapter in this manual corresponds to a particular procedure in the development of your PAL ladder. This manual leads you through that procedure, step by step. You should familiarize yourself with this manual before you use the PAL ladder development program.

**1.7**  
**Chapter**  
**Summary**

This chapter introduced you to to this manual and provided information you should be aware of before you begin. In the next chapter we introduce the PAL ladder diagram and how it communicates with the control and the machine.



2.0 PAL Communications The PAL ladder diagram performs three activities when it controls machine functions:

- sequence machine functions
- operate machine functions
- monitor machine functions

PAL Communicates with the CNC executive software and discrete I/O to coordinate machine functions. See the block diagram in figure 2-1 on page 2-2.

The CNC executive sends commands to the PAL ladder diagram through H flags and G variables. The PAL ladder diagram sends information back to the CNC through N flags and L variables. The PAL ladder diagram also turns on preloaded messages stored in PAL through M flags.

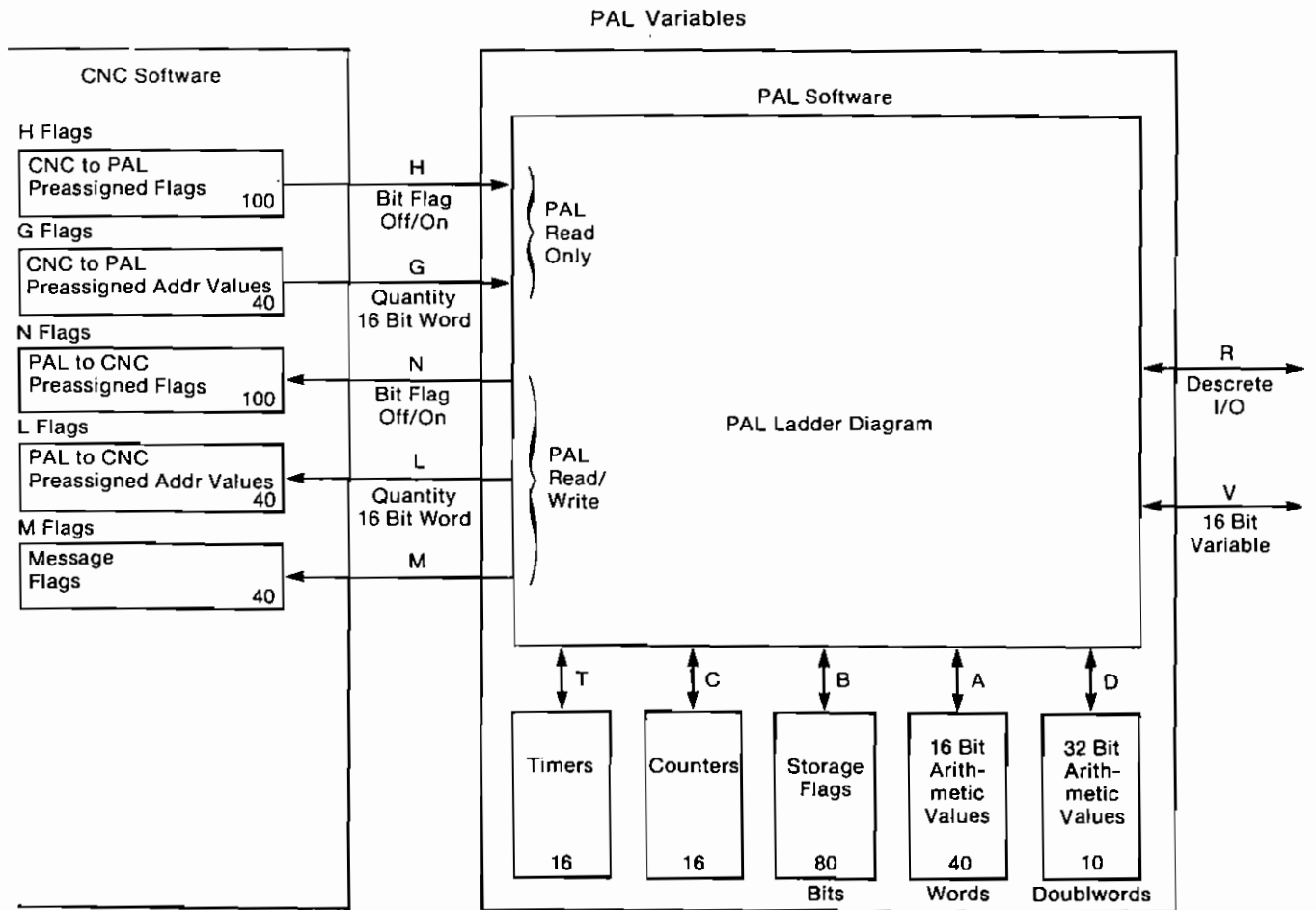
The PAL ladder diagram communicates with the discrete I/O through R flags and V variables.

2.1 Flags and Variables Flags are single bits of information. Variables are groups of bits that form a word (a 16 bit word or a 32 bit double word). Flags and variables may act on activities in PAL, in the CNC executive or in the machine.

The CNC executive and PAL ladder use flags and variables to:

- request that an activity take place
- monitor an activity that is happening or has happened
- cause a condition in an activity, such as inhibiting axis motion until the spindle is up to speed.

Figure 2-1  
Communication  
Block Diagram



**H FLAGS**    An H flag is a bit (on or off) that is sent from the CNC executive to PAL. In PAL an H flag is Read only. PAL cannot write (reply) back to the CNC using an H flag. PAL uses an N flag to send bit information to the CNC executive. H flags and N flags form a loop from the CNC to the PAL ladder and back.

The following list gives examples of the information that H flags carry to PAL and describe the mode of CNC operation.

**Important:** This is not a comprehensive list of H flags. It is only an example of the types of flags used in the 8400 PAL. Check your PAL Flags and Variables manual to find the H flags for your application.

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H FLAGS - READ ONLY

ADDRESS	NAME	MNEMONIC	MEMORY PAGE
H001	Power up	PORUP	103
H002	Axis 1 In Position	AX1IP	104
H003	Axis 2 In Position	AX2IP	105
H004	Axis 3 In Position	AX3IP	106
H005	Axis 4 In Position	AX4IP	107
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H016	Axis 7 Move Request	AX7MV	118
H017	Axis 8 Move Request	AX8MV	119
H018	Axis 1 At Home Position	AX1HM	120
H019	Axis 2 At Home Position	AX2HM	121
H020	Axis 3 At Home Position	AX3HM	122
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H026	K1 Relay Enable	RELEN	128
H027	Dry Run Mode	DRYRN	129
H028	Test Run Mode	TSTRN	130
H029	Check Run Mode	CHKRN	131
H030	Feedhold	FHLD1	132
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H031	Cycle In Progress	CYVIP	133
H032	Postlude (Post Move)	PSTMV	134
H033	M Strobe	MSTR	135
H034	S Strobe 1	SSTR1	136
H035	NOT USED	-----	137

G Variable 001-040 G variables carry values (16 bit word) from the CNC executive to PAL. In PAL G variables are Read only. The PAL ladder cannot write (reply) to the CNC using a G variable.

The following list is an example of the information that the G variable carries to PAL.

**Important:** This is not a comprehensive list of G variables, it is only an example of the types used in the 8400 PAL. Check your PAL flags and variables manual to find the G variables for your application flags and variables.

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G FLAGS - READ ONLY

ADDRESS	NAME	MNEMONIC	MEMORY PAGE
G001	Programmed M Value	MFUNC	180
G002	Programmed S Word Value 1	SPSP1	181
G003	NOT USED	-----	182
G004	Programmed T Offset Value 1	TLND1	183
G005	Programmed T Word Value 2	TLND2	184
G006	Current CNC Mode	MODE	185
G007	Current Spindle Speed	S1RPM	186
G008 THROUGH G040	NOT ALLOCATED		

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N Variable      The N flag is a bit flag (on or off) to the CNC  
001-100          executive that is Write/Read. The PAL can look at, set  
and clear this flag; the CNC executive can only look at  
it. The Pal ladder can look at this flag and it can  
write (reply) to the CNC using this flag. The N flag  
may be used with the H flag.

The N flag's main objective is to request the CNC to  
perform an activity for the PAL or to advise the CNC of  
certain conditions.

The following list is an example of the information  
that the N flag carries to the CNC executive describing  
a specific PAL condition.

**Important:** This is not a comprehensive list of N flags.  
It is only an example of the types of flags used in the  
8400 PAL. Check your PAL flags and variables manual to  
find the N flags for your application.

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N FLAGS - READ/WRITE

ADDRESS	NAME	MNEMONIC	MEMORY PAGE
N041	NOT USED	-----	042
N042	T Reply 1	TRPY1	043
N043	T Reply 2	TRPY2	044
N044	Axis 1 Permit Motion	AX1CO	045
N045	Axis 2 Permit Motion	AX2CO	046
N046	Axis 3 Permit Motion	AX3CO	047
N047	Axis 4 Permit Motion	AX4CO	048
N048	Axis 5 Permit Motion	AX5CO	049
N049	Axis 6 Permit Motion	AX6CO	050
N050	Axis 7 Permit Motion	AX7CO	051
N051	Axis 8 Permit Motion	AX8CO	052
N052	Inhibit Constant Surface Speed	IHSS	053
N053	Spindle Clockwise Request (M03)	S1FWD	054
N054	Spindle Counterclockwise Request (M04)	S1RVS	055
N055	NOT USED	-----	056
N056	NOT USED	-----	057
N057	Analog Spindle Control	ASC	058
N058	Cycle Start Inhibit	CAUTION	059
N059	Keyboard Lockout Request	KBDLK	060
N060	No Axis Wait For M Reply	FLY-M	061

L Variable 001-040 The L variable is a value flag (16 bit word, not an on/off bit) sent to the CNC executive from PAL. The PAL ladder can look at, set and clear this flag; the CNC executive can only look at it. L is a Write/Read variable PAL ladder can look at and write to the CNC with. The L flag may be used with the G flag.

The L variables main objective is to provide numerical information for certain CNC functions.

The following list is an example of the information that the L variable carries to the PAL ladder describing the mode of operation.

**Important:** This is not a comprehensive list of L variables. It is only an example of the types of variables used in the 8400 PAL. Check your PAL flags and variables manual to find the L flags for your application.

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L WORDS - READ/WRITE

ADDRESS	NAME	MNEMONIC	MEMORY PAGE
L001	Feedrate Override Value	FEERO	089
L002	Spindle Speed Demand Value	S1REQ	090
L003	Spindle Scaling Value (RPM/10V)	S1GRT	091
L004	Spindle Speed Override Value	SPOVR	092
L005 THROUGH L036	ARE NOT ALLOCATED	-----	093
L037	Arithmetic Value for Message M037	L037	099
L038	Arithmetic Value for Message M038	L038	100
L039	Arithmetic Value for Message M039	L039	101
L040	Arithmetic Value for Message M040	L040	102

M Flags      The M flag is a bit flag to the CNC executive that is  
001-040      Write/Read. The PAL ladder can request this flag and  
              it can write to the CNC using this flag. The M flag  
              turns on stored messages in PAL that will display on  
              the CNC control CRT screen.

There are three types of error messages:

- emergency
- Status
- variable

A catastrophic fault such as a motor overspeed causes PAL to display emergency messages on the CNC. The fault causes a message to be displayed and the machine to go into E-Stop.

Conditions causing a feedhold condition such as axis over travel causes PAL to display status messages on the CNC. The fault causes a message to be displayed and the machine to go into feedhold.

These messages are not generated by M flags, hardware overtravels, etc., though detected by PAL and sent to the control. N flags use messages buried in the exec. The only PAL flag that causes an E-Stop is the E-Stop N flag. In PAL there are "ALARM" (see page 4-11), STATUS, and VARIABLE messages. Read section 4.4 of this manual.

PAL displays variable messages when requested by the task program or PAL. The request causes the message to be displayed anytime. These messages are to prompt the machine operator to perform specific functions or to inform him of a condition.

Timers  
T001-T0016

Timer instructions are used in PAL to delay the start time of an activity or series of activities. Timer instructions:

- are always part of an output group in a rung
- are edge triggered by the false to true change in preconditioning a rung
- delay an activity until a required condition has been achieved
- are only used with examine on or examine off instructions

There are 16 timers that you can use in PAL. The timer instructions address these timers.

Timers are turned on or off according to the preconditions of the rung they are in. The preconditions must go from false to true for a timer instruction to have an effect. You must control the preconditions of a rung that controls a timer to make the timer do what you want.

Counters  
C001-C016

Counter instructions are used in PAL to repeat an activity or group of activities a specific number of times. Counter instructions:

- are always part of an output group in a rung
- are edge triggered by the false to true change when preconditioning a rung
- address the counters

There are 16 counters that you can use in PAL. Each counter can count up to 65335.

Counters count up or down according to the preconditions of the rung they are in. The preconditions must go from false to true for a counter instruction to have any effect. You must control the preconditions of a rung that controls a counter to make the counters do what you want.

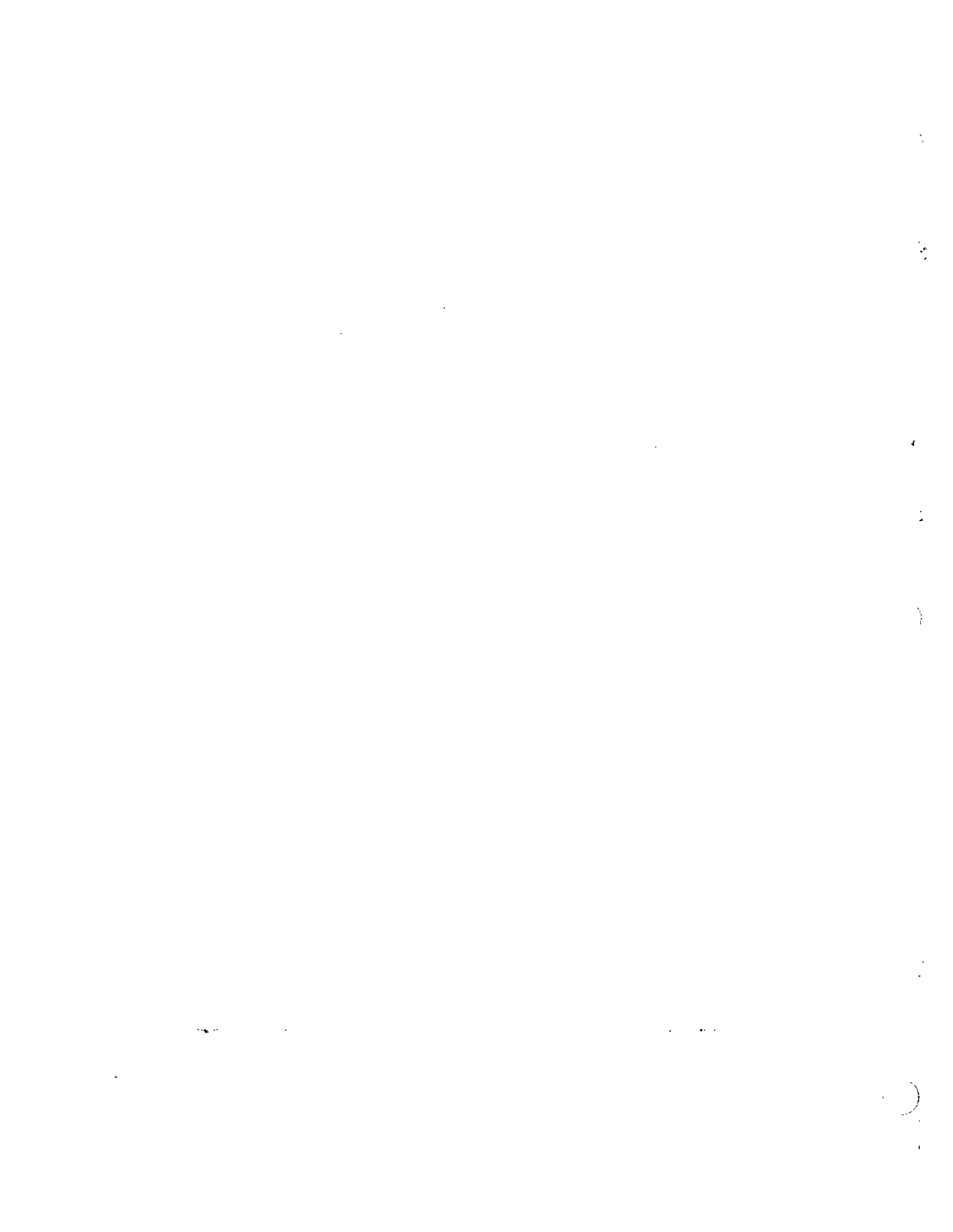


Inside PAL when more than simple bit logic is needed, the software uses timers, counters, storage areas, and arithmetic functions during the execution of the PAL ladder diagram.

Figure 2-1 shows how the CNC executive, the PAL software, the PAL ladder diagram and the discrete I/O work together using the flags addresses, timers and counters.

## 2.2 Chapter Summary

This chapter introduced you to the PAL ladder diagram and how the PAL communicates with the system. Flags and Variables used in PAL were defined and illustrated using examples. The difference between Flags and Variables and Timers and Counters will help you when writing the PAL ladder examples in the next chapters.



3.0  
Programming  
Guidelines  
and Examples

This section offers a few suggestions for making your 8400 PAL development easier. If you understand what is given here, and adapt it to your own way of developing 8400 PAL, you should be a more effective PAL programmer.

To use this section, you should:

- Know what 8400 PAL is (see section 1).
- Be familiar with the equipment for 8400 PAL development (see section 2).
- Be familiar with how to operate the Kaypro with CP/M (this last requirement you'll have to learn outside this manual).

Writing a PAL program is not difficult if you properly prepare your data beforehand. Clearly defined machining objectives, a working knowledge of your Series 8400 control, and the instructions in this manual will prepare you for writing PAL programs.

This section is organized according to the steps you take in developing 8400 PAL. If this is your first time through the process, here is the order we recommend:

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- 3.2 Allocating Inputs and Outputs.....3-4
- 3.3 Preprogramming.....3-11  
(flowcharting and sketching the ladder program)
- 3.4 Using the Development Program.....3-48  
(an introduction to the next section, Using PAL.COM)

We recommend that you understand this section before moving on to actual programming.

3.1  
Organizing the  
Development  
System

The first recommendation we can make is to organize your development system.

You want to be efficient when you program 8400 PAL. Establish a way of doing things that lets you go through the process (and correct any errors) quickly.

To get organized and be efficient, you must know how to operate the Kaypro. You must be able to maintain, move, and manipulate files and programs using the CP/M disk operating system. Take the time to learn as much as possible about the computer (it will save you time later on). It is a useful tool for more than just 8400 PAL programming.

**Organize Your  
Development  
Disks**

The standard PAL development software (cat. no. 8400-PAL) comes on a 5 1/4 inch floppy disk. This disk contains:

- The PAL program (revision Y28) for writing PAL programs and converting the ladder source code - what you write on the Kaypro, to object code - and what the CNC executes. It also allows you to download object code to the 8400 for testing, transfer object code to the prom programmer for EPROM burning, and print out your ladder diagram.
- The XREFLAD.BAS program. This program is given on the disk in source code. You must compile this program using S-Basic to get a XREFLAD.COM program. This program will allow you to generate and print out a cross reference of flags, variables, rungs and instructions in the ladder program.

Make a backup copy of this disk.

If you are going to be writing a lot of PAL programs, we suggest you make and use a two disk system. The two disk system consists of:

- a Main Disk that contains the CP/M operating system, STAT.COM, XREFLAD.COM, and the PAL.COM program
- a Data Disk that contains PAL source code files

Make backup copies of these disks.

The Main Disk can be write protected, but not the other disk (except for backup copies, of course) since it is necessary to write to the Data Disk during PAL development.

During development, the Main Disk always goes in drive A, and the Data Disk always goes in drive B. This procedure is recommended because it's compatible with the steps that we give you later on in this manual.

Organize Your  
Development  
Hardware

This step is simply a matter of obtaining the hardware you need for the process, and making sure it works properly. In general, you need to have:

- an 8400 CNC that has a CRT and keyboard, connected to the system power supply
- input and output headers for the sockets on the boards in the Control Module (I/O DIPS 8400-Z1 and 8400-Z0) This is needed for the Series A Hardware only, not for the Series B Hardware.
- cables from the Control Module to the input/output boards (8400-CX5, or 8400CX10)
- input/output boards for the application (8400-XS1 or 8400-XQD)
- isolated input and output modules for the application (8400-XSA1, XSA0, XSD1, XSD0, XQA1, XQA0, XQD1, XQD0)
- the Kaypro and your development disks (8400-XK and 8400-PALE or 8400-XPG)
- the download cable from the Kaypro to the 8400 (8400-XPC3 or the 8400-XPC5 which is used with the peripheral panel)
- the cable from the Kaypro to the prom programmer (8400-XPC2)
- the prom programmer (8400-XPB)
- a supply of EPROMS (2716's for 8400 R, GP, MP, Bandit III & BANDIT IV; 2764's for 8400 GLC and Rev B hardware for BIV). (8000-X16)

We also recommend that you make, and use, a test fixture to test your PAL programs before they are used on an active machine. The design of this test fixture is completely up to you, but it should have the isolated inputs and outputs, switches and indicator lights necessary to test your application of 8400 PAL.

### 3.2 Allocating Inputs and Outputs

The first step in developing 8400 PAL is to study your application and do some thorough planning. You should know:

- the functional definitions and requirements for the external devices to be controlled (spindle, turret, coolant, etc.). This should include timing diagrams, if required
- the requirements and restrictions for M, S, and T codes as indicated by functional definitions
- the requirements for feedrate and spindle speed override, Emergency Stop, axis homing and overtravel, and miscellaneous operator switches and buttons

With your application understood, you can proceed with assigning inputs and outputs in the system. Here are two steps and things you should know about to plan system inputs and outputs:

#### 1. Make a list of all inputs and outputs.

Make a list of all inputs and outputs to be used by PAL. Decide which type of input/output board you are going to use (the example that follows assumes that you will use an 8000-XQBD or 8400-XS1). Decide which PAL ports will be inputs and which will be outputs.

On the Series A 8400, there are 5 connectors in the Control Module that can be used by PAL. In the revision A hardware Control Module, there are 3 connectors on the CRT module, and 2 on the CPU Module that are allocated for PAL. In the revision B hardware Control Module, there are 5 connectors on the CRT Module only, and no connectors on the CPU Module that are allocated for PAL.

You should use the connectors on the CRT module first when allocating inputs and outputs.

Each connector has 24 I/O points (50 pins). There are 3 PAL ports for each connector, so each PAL port is made up of 8 I/O points. Each I/O point has a corresponding R flag assigned in PAL. There are 120 R flags.

When you allocate I/O for PAL, you decide which PAL ports are inputs and which are outputs. You decide, in effect, which groups of 8 R flags are inputs, and which groups of 8 are outputs.

Decide which PAL ports are inputs and which are outputs, then, only if you have revision A hardware, install headers in IC locations for each PAL port that you will use. There are two locations for IC headers for each PAL port.

If the port is an input port, you must install input IC's (BLC902's -- 4 inputs, resistor networks, catalog number 8400-Z1).

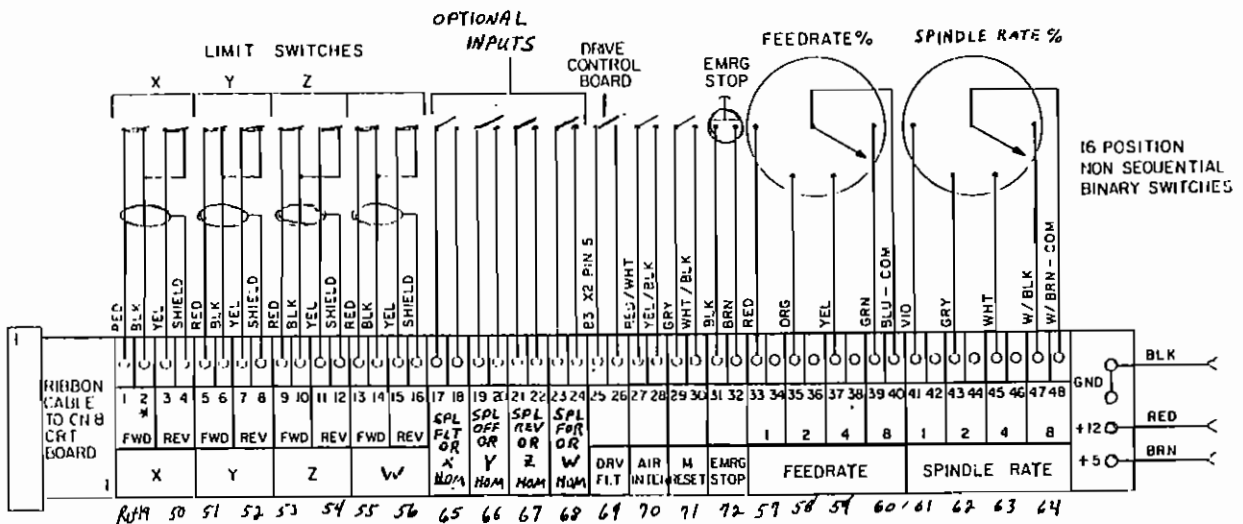
If the port is an output, you must install output IC's (7409's -- 4 outputs, quad AND gates catalog number 8400-Z0).

See the tables in step 2 to organize your I/O allocations.

**Important:** For series A Hardware, PAL ports 01 through 06 are located on the CPU Module. This gives a total of 120 I/O points.

2. Make a diagram of your application and I/O assignments.

Make a diagram of the I/O boards showing each station, function, input/output module, and external connection. For example, see figure 3-1.



\* ALL EVEN NUMBERED TERMINALS ARE GROUNDED.

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Figure 3-1: I/O Board Diagram

You should now have a very good idea of how your I/O allocations will go. Use the following tables on pages 3-7 through 3-11 for B Hardware and pages 3-12 through 3-16 for A Hardware to summarize your I/O allocations.

One thing that we haven't mentioned yet about I/O allocations is that any two PAL ports can be used in a V variable. This puts 16 R flags into each V variable. When you assign V variables for PAL, you specify which port will make up the most significant byte of the V variable, and which will be the least significant byte. Even though you assign 16 R flags to each V variable, they can still be used as individual R flags. You don't have to use all 16 bits of the V variable.



Series B Hardware 8400  
I/O Assignments

PAL Ports 01, 02, and 03 - CRT-P3

CRT Board, Connector P3

PAL Port Numbers (Input or Output)	PAL R Flags	CPU Pin Out	Opto 22 I/O Cable Pins	Opto 22 I/O Board Indicators	Opto 22 Module Terminals	Description of I/O Device or Connection
02	R016	PB7	47	0 ( )	1 ( )	
	R015	PB6	45	1 ( )	3 ( )	
	R014	PB5	43	2 ( )	5 ( )	
	R013	PB4	41	3 ( )	7 ( )	
( )	R012	PB3	39	4 ( )	9 ( )	
	R011	PB2	37	5 ( )	11 ( )	
	R010	PB1	35	6 ( )	13 ( )	
	R009	PB0	33	7 ( )	15 ( )	
03	R024	PC7	31	8 ( )	17 ( )	
	R023	PC6	29	9 ( )	19 ( )	
	R022	PC5	27	10 ( )	21 ( )	
	R021	PC4	25	11 ( )	23 ( )	
( )	R020	PC3	23	12 ( )	25 ( )	
	R019	PC2	21	13 ( )	27 ( )	
	R018	PC1	19	14 ( )	29 ( )	
	R017	PC0	17	15 ( )	31 ( )	
01	R008	PA7	15	16 ( )	33 ( )	
	R007	PA6	13	17 ( )	35 ( )	
	R006	PA5	11	18 ( )	37 ( )	
	R005	PA4	9	19 ( )	39 ( )	
( )	R004	PA3	7	20 ( )	41 ( )	
	R003	PA2	5	21 ( )	43 ( )	
	R002	PA1	3	22 ( )	45 ( )	
	R001	PA0	1	23 ( )	47 ( )	

Solid State Relay types:

IDC5 = 24V DC Input  
 ODC5 = 24V DC Output  
 IAC5 = 120V AC Input  
 OAC5 = 120V AC Output

Quad Packs

8000-XQD1  
 8000-XQD0  
 8000-XQA1  
 8000-XQA0

Single

8400-XSD1  
 8400-XSD0  
 8400-XSA1  
 8400-XSA0

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Series B Hardware 8400  
I/O Assignments

PAL Ports 04, 05, and 06 - CRT-P4

CRT Board, Connector P4

PAL Port Numbers (Input or Output)	PAL R Flags	CPU Pin Out	Opto 22 I/O Cable Pins	Opto 22 I/O Board Indicators	Opto 22 Module Terminals	Description of I/O Device or Connection
05	R040	PB7	47	0 ( )	1 ( )	
	R039	PB6	45	1 ( )	3 ( )	
	R038	PB5	43	2 ( )	5 ( )	
	R037	PB4	41	3 ( )	7 ( )	
( )	R036	PB3	39	4 ( )	9 ( )	
	R035	PB2	37	5 ( )	11 ( )	
	R034	PB1	35	6 ( )	13 ( )	
	R033	PB0	33	7 ( )	15 ( )	
06	R048	PC7	31	8 ( )	17 ( )	
	R047	PC6	29	9 ( )	19 ( )	
	R046	PC5	27	10 ( )	21 ( )	
	R045	PC4	25	11 ( )	23 ( )	
( )	R044	PC3	23	12 ( )	25 ( )	
	R043	PC2	21	13 ( )	27 ( )	
	R042	PC1	19	14 ( )	29 ( )	
	R041	PC0	17	15 ( )	31 ( )	
04	R032	PA7	15	16 ( )	33 ( )	
	R031	PA6	13	17 ( )	35 ( )	
	R030	PA5	11	18 ( )	37 ( )	
	R029	PA4	9	19 ( )	39 ( )	
( )	R028	PA3	7	20 ( )	41 ( )	
	R027	PA2	5	21 ( )	43 ( )	
	R026	PA1	3	22 ( )	45 ( )	
	R025	PA0	1	23 ( )	47 ( )	

Solid State Relay types:

IDC5 = 24V DC Input  
 ODC5 = 24V DC Output  
 IAC5 = 120V AC Input  
 OAC5 = 120V AC Output

Quad Packs

8000-XQD1  
 8000-XQD0  
 8000-XQA1  
 8000-XQA0

Single

8400-XSD1  
 8400-XSD0  
 8400-XSA1  
 8400-XSA0

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Series B Hardware 8400  
I/O Assignments

PAL Ports 07, 08, and 09 - CRT-P7

CRT Board, Connector P7

PAL Port Numbers (Input or Output)	PAL R Flags	CPU Pin Out Out	Opto 22 I/O Cable Pins	Opto 22 I/O Board Indicators	Opto 22 Module Terminals	Description of I/O Device or Connection
08	R064	PB7	47	0 ( )	1 ( )	
	R063	PB6	45	1 ( )	3 ( )	
	R062	PB5	43	2 ( )	5 ( )	
	R061	PB4	41	3 ( )	7 ( )	
( )	R060	PB3	39	4 ( )	9 ( )	
	R059	PB2	37	5 ( )	11 ( )	
	R058	PB1	35	6 ( )	13 ( )	
	R057	PB0	33	7 ( )	15 ( )	
09	R072	PC7	31	8 ( )	17 ( )	
	R071	PC6	29	9 ( )	19 ( )	
	R070	PC5	27	10 ( )	21 ( )	
	R069	PC4	25	11 ( )	23 ( )	
( )	R068	PC3	23	12 ( )	25 ( )	
	R067	PC2	21	13 ( )	27 ( )	
	R066	PC1	19	14 ( )	29 ( )	
	R065	PC0	17	15 ( )	31 ( )	
07	R056	PA7	15	16 ( )	33 ( )	
	R055	PA6	13	17 ( )	35 ( )	
	R054	PA5	11	18 ( )	37 ( )	
	R053	PA4	9	19 ( )	39 ( )	
( )	R052	PA3	7	20 ( )	41 ( )	
	R051	PA2	5	21 ( )	43 ( )	
	R050	PA1	3	22 ( )	45 ( )	
	R049	PA0	1	23 ( )	47 ( )	

Solid State Relay types:

Quad Packs      Single

IDC5 = 24V DC Input

8000-XQD1

8400-XSD1

ODC5 = 24V DC Output

8000-XQD0

8400-XSD0

IAC5 = 120V AC Input

8000-XQA1

8400-XSA1

OAC5 = 120V AC Output

8000-XQA0

8400-XSA0

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Series B Hardware 8400  
I/O Assignments

PAL Ports 10, 11, and 12 - CRT-P6

CRT Board, Connector P6

PAL Port Numbers (Input or Output)	PAL R Flags	CPU Pin Out	Opto 22 I/O Cable Pins	Opto 22 I/O Board Indicators	Opto 22 Module Terminals	Description of I/O Device or Connection	
11 ( )	R088	PB7	47	0 ( )	1 ( )		
	R087	PB6	45	1 ( )	3 ( )		
	R086	PB5	43	2 ( )	5 ( )		
	R085	PB4	41	3 ( )	7 ( )		
	R084	PB3	39	4 ( )	9 ( )		
	R083	PB2	37	5 ( )	11 ( )		
	R082	PB1	35	6 ( )	13 ( )		
	R081	PB0	33	7 ( )	15 ( )		
	12 ( )	R096	PC7	31	8 ( )	17 ( )	
		R095	PC6	29	9 ( )	19 ( )	
		R094	PC5	27	10 ( )	21 ( )	
R093		PC4	25	11 ( )	23 ( )		
R092		PC3	23	12 ( )	25 ( )		
R091		PC2	21	13 ( )	27 ( )		
R090		PC1	19	14 ( )	29 ( )		
R089		PC0	17	15 ( )	31 ( )		
10 ( )		R080	PA7	15	16 ( )	33 ( )	
	R079	PA6	13	17 ( )	35 ( )		
	R078	PA5	11	18 ( )	37 ( )		
	R077	PA4	9	19 ( )	39 ( )		
	R076	PA3	7	20 ( )	41 ( )		
	R075	PA2	5	21 ( )	43 ( )		
	R074	PA1	3	22 ( )	45 ( )		
	R073	PA0	1	23 ( )	47 ( )		

Solid State Relay types:

IDC5 = 24V DC Input  
ODC5 = 24V DC Output  
IAC5 = 120V AC Input  
OAC5 = 120V AC Output

Quad Packs

8000-XQD1  
8000-XQD0  
8000-XQA1  
8000-XQA0

Single

8400-XSD1  
8400-XSD0  
8400-XSA1  
8400-XSA0

You may use one or two ICs for each port. A port can only have four or eight inputs, or four or eight outputs. It cannot have four inputs and four outputs. If you have two ICs in a port, they must be identical.

Series B Hardware 8400  
I/O Assignments

PAL Ports 13, 14, and 15 - CRT-P5

CRT Board, Connector P5

PAL Port Numbers (Input or Output)	PAL R Flags	CPU Pin Out	Opto 22 I/O Cable Pins	Opto 22 I/O Board Indicators	Opto 22 Module Terminals	Description of I/O Device or Connection
14	R112	PB7	47	0 ( )	1 ( )	
	R111	PB6	45	1 ( )	3 ( )	
	R110	PB5	43	2 ( )	5 ( )	
	R109	PB4	41	3 ( )	7 ( )	
( )	R108	PB3	39	4 ( )	9 ( )	
	R107	PB2	37	5 ( )	11 ( )	
	R106	PB1	35	6 ( )	13 ( )	
	R105	PB0	33	7 ( )	15 ( )	
15	R120	PC7	31	8 ( )	17 ( )	
	R119	PC6	29	9 ( )	19 ( )	
	R118	PC7	27	10 ( )	21 ( )	
	R117	PC4	25	11 ( )	23 ( )	
( )	R116	PC3	23	12 ( )	25 ( )	
	R115	PC2	21	13 ( )	27 ( )	
	R114	PC1	19	14 ( )	29 ( )	
	R113	PC0	17	15 ( )	31 ( )	
13	R104	PA7	15	16 ( )	33 ( )	
	R103	PA6	13	17 ( )	35 ( )	
	R102	PA5	11	18 ( )	37 ( )	
	R101	PA4	9	19 ( )	39 ( )	
( )	R100	PA3	7	20 ( )	41 ( )	
	R099	PA2	5	21 ( )	43 ( )	
	R098	PA1	3	22 ( )	45 ( )	
	R097	PA0	1	23 ( )	47 ( )	

Solid State Relay types:

IDC5 = 24V DC Input  
 ODC5 = 24V DC Output  
 IAC5 = 120V AC Input  
 OAC5 = 120V AC Output

Quad Packs

8000-XQD1  
 8000-XQD0  
 8000-XQA1  
 8000-XQA0

Single

8400-XSD1  
 8400-XSD0  
 8400-XSA1  
 8400-XSA0

You may use one or two ICs for each port. A port can only have four or eight inputs, or four or eight outputs. It cannot have four inputs and four outputs. If you have two ICs in a port, they must be identical.

**Series A Hardware 8400 I/O Assignments - PAL Ports 07, 08, and 09 - CRT-CN8**

**CRT Board, Connector CN8**

PAL Port Numbers (Input or Output)	IC Numbers (IC Type)	PAL R-Flags	Opto 22 Board I/O Indicators I/O Terminals (Opto 22 Module)				(Description of I/O Connection or Device)
08  ( )	IC 159 ( )	R064	47	0	( )	1	( )
		R063	45	1	( )	3	( )
		R062	43	2	( )	5	( )
		R061	41	3	( )	7	( )
09  ( )	IC 161 ( )	R060	39	4	( )	9	( )
		R059	37	5	( )	11	( )
		R058	35	6	( )	13	( )
		R057	33	7	( )	15	( )
09  ( )	IC 125 ( )	R072	31	8	( )	17	( )
		R071	29	9	( )	19	( )
		R070	27	10	( )	21	( )
		R069	25	11	( )	23	( )
07  ( )	IC 122 ( )	R068	23	12	( )	25	( )
		R067	21	13	( )	27	( )
		R066	19	14	( )	29	( )
		R065	17	15	( )	31	( )
07  ( )	IC 124 ( )	R056	15	16	( )	33	( )
		R055	13	17	( )	35	( )
		R054	11	18	( )	37	( )
		R053	9	19	( )	39	( )
07  ( )	IC 120 ( )	R052	7	20	( )	41	( )
		R051	5	21	( )	43	( )
		R050	3	22	( )	45	( )
		R049	1	23	( )	47	( )

I/O Cable Pins |

Solid State Relay types:	Quad Packs Cat. No.	Single Cat. No.	IC Types: Cat. No.
IDC5 = 24V DC Input	8000-XQD1	8400-XSD1	4 Inputs 8400-Z1
ODC5 = 24V DC Output	8000-XQD0	8400-XSD0	4 Outputs 8400-Z0
IAC5 = 120V AC Input	8000-XQA1	8400-XSA1	
OAC5 = 120V AC Output	8000-XQA0	8400-XSA0	

You may use one or two ICs for each port. A port can only have four or eight inputs, or four or eight outputs. It cannot have four inputs and four outputs. If you have two ICs in a port, they must be identical.

**Series A Hardware 8400I/O Assignments - PAL Ports 13, 14, and 15 - CRT-CN5**

CRT Board, Connector CN5

PAL Port Numbers (Input or Output)	IC Numbers (IC Type)	PAL R-Flags	Opto 22 Board		I/O Terminals (Opto 22 Module)	I/O Indicators	(Description of I/O Connection or Device)
14  ( )	IC 87 ( )	R112	47	0	( )	1	( )
		R111	45	1	( )	3	( )
		R110	43	2	( )	5	( )
		R109	41	3	( )	7	( )
14  ( )	IC 90 ( )	R108	39	4	( )	9	( )
		R107	37	5	( )	11	( )
		R106	35	6	( )	13	( )
		R105	33	7	( )	15	( )
15  ( )	IC 89 ( )	R120	31	8	( )	17	( )
		R119	29	9	( )	19	( )
		R118	27	10	( )	21	( )
		R117	25	11	( )	23	( )
15  ( )	IC 86 ( )	R116	23	12	( )	25	( )
		R115	21	13	( )	27	( )
		R114	19	14	( )	29	( )
		R113	17	15	( )	31	( )
13  ( )	IC 88 ( )	R104	15	16	( )	33	( )
		R103	13	17	( )	35	( )
		R102	11	18	( )	37	( )
		R101	9	19	( )	39	( )
13  ( )	IC 52 ( )	R100	7	20	( )	41	( )
		R099	5	21	( )	43	( )
		R098	3	22	( )	45	( )
		R097	1	23	( )	47	( )

I/O Cable Pins |

Solid State Relay types:	Quad Packs Cat. No.	Single Cat. No.	IC Types: Cat. No.
IDC5 = 24V DC Input	8000-XQD1	8400-XSD1	4 Inputs 8400-Z1
ODC5 = 24V DC Output	8000-XQD0	8400-XSD0	4 Outputs 8400-Z0
IAC5 = 120V AC Input	8000-XQA1	8400-XSA1	
OAC5 = 120V AC Output	8000-XQA0	8400-XSA0	

You may use one or two ICs for each port. A port can only have four or eight inputs, or four or eight outputs. It cannot have four inputs and four outputs. Therefore, if you have two ICs in a port, they must be identical.

**Series A Hardware 8400 I/O Assignments - PAL Ports 11, 12, 10 - CRT-CN10**

**CRT Board, Connector CN10**

PAL Port Numbers (Input or Output)	IC Numbers (IC Type)	PAL R-Flags	Opto 22 Board I/O Indicators				(Description of I/O Connection or Device)
			I/O Terminals (Opto 22 Module)				
11  ( )	IC 201 ( )	R088	47	0	( )	1	( )
		R087	45	1	( )	3	( )
		R086	43	2	( )	5	( )
		R085	41	3	( )	7	( )
	IC 205 ( )	R084	39	4	( )	9	( )
		R083	37	5	( )	11	( )
		R082	35	6	( )	13	( )
		R081	33	7	( )	15	( )
	IC 204 ( )	R096	31	8	( )	17	( )
		R095	29	9	( )	19	( )
		R094	27	10	( )	21	( )
		R093	25	11	( )	23	( )
IC 200 ( )	R092	23	12	( )	25	( )	
	R091	21	13	( )	27	( )	
	R090	19	14	( )	29	( )	
	R089	17	15	( )	31	( )	
IC 203 ( )	R080	15	16	( )	33	( )	
	R079	13	17	( )	35	( )	
	R078	11	18	( )	37	( )	
	R077	9	19	( )	39	( )	
IC 160 ( )	R076	7	20	( )	41	( )	
	R075	5	21	( )	43	( )	
	R074	3	22	( )	45	( )	
	R073	1	23	( )	47	( )	

I/O Cable Pins |

Solid State Relay types:	Quad Packs Cat. No.	Single Cat. No.	IC Types: Cat. No.
IDC5 = 24V DC Input	8000-XQD1	8400-XSD1	4 Inputs 8400-Z1
ODC5 = 24V DC Output	8000-XQD0	8400-XSD0	4 Outputs 8400-Z0
IAC5 = 120V AC Input	8000-XQA1	8400-XSA1	
OAC5 = 120V AC Output	8000-XQA0	8400-XSA0	

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**Series A Hardware 8400 I/O Assignments - PAL Ports 01, 02, 03 - CPU-CN15**

CPU Board, Connector CN15			Opto 22 Board			
PAL Port Numbers (Input or Output)	IC Numbers (IC Type)	PAL R-Flags	I/O Indicators		I/O Terminals (Opto 22 Module)	Description of I/O Connection or Device
02  ( )	IC 157 ( )	R016	47	0	( ) 1	( )
		R015	45	1	( ) 3	( )
		R014	43	2	( ) 5	( )
		R013	41	3	( ) 7	( )
( )	IC 156 ( )	R012	39	4	( ) 9	( )
		R011	37	5	( ) 11	( )
		R010	35	6	( ) 13	( )
		R009	33	7	( ) 15	( )
03  ( )	IC 160 IC 155 IC 160 IC 155	R024	31	8	( ) 17	( )
		R023	29	9	( ) 19	( )
		R022	27	10	( ) 21	( )
		R021	25	11	( ) 23	( )
( )	IC 155 ( ) IC 160 ( )	R020	23	12	( ) 25	( )
		R019	21	13	( ) 27	( )
		R018	19	14	( ) 29	( )
		R017	17	15	( ) 31	( )
01  ( )	IC 159 ( )	R008	15	16	( ) 33	( )
		R007	13	17	( ) 35	( )
		R006	11	18	( ) 37	( )
		R005	9	19	( ) 39	( )
( )	IC 158 ( )	R004	7	20	( ) 41	( )
		R003	5	21	( ) 43	( )
		R002	3	22	( ) 45	( )
		R001	1	23	( ) 47	( )

I/O Cable Pins |

Solid State Relay types:	Quad Packs Cat. No.	Single Cat. No.	IC Types: Cat. No.
IDC5 = 24V DC Input	8000-XQD1	8400-XSD1	4 Inputs 8400-Z1
ODC5 = 24V DC Output	8000-XQD0	8400-XSD0	4 Outputs 8400-Z0
IAC5 = 120V AC Input	8000-XQA1	8400-XSA1	
OAC5 = 120V AC Output	8000-XQA0	8400-XSA0	

You may use one or two ICs for each port. A port can only have four or eight inputs, or four or eight outputs. It cannot have four inputs and four outputs. Therefore, if you have two ICs in a port, they must be identical.

**Series A Hardware 8400I/O Assignments - PAL Ports 04, 05, 06 - CPU-CN16**

CPU Board, Connector CN16

PAL Port Numbers (Input or Output)	IC Numbers (IC Type)	PAL R-Flags	Opto 22 Board		I/O Terminals (Opto 22 Module)	(Description of I/O Connection or Device)
			I/O Indicators			
05  ( )	IC 166 ( )	R040	47	0	( ) 1	( )
		R039	45	1	( ) 3	( )
		R038	43	2	( ) 5	( )
		R037	41	3	( ) 7	( )
	IC 165 ( )	R036	39	4	( ) 9	( )
		R035	37	5	( ) 11	( )
		R034	35	6	( ) 13	( )
		R033	33	7	( ) 15	( )
06  ( )	IC 169 IC 164 IC 169 IC 164	R048	31	8	( ) 17	( )
		R047	29	9	( ) 19	( )
		R046	27	10	( ) 21	( )
		R045	25	11	( ) 23	( )
	IC 164 ( ) IC 169 ( )	R044	23	12	( ) 25	( )
		R043	21	13	( ) 27	( )
		R042	19	14	( ) 29	( )
		R041	17	15	( ) 31	( )
04  ( )	IC 168 ( )	R032	15	16	( ) 33	( )
		R031	13	17	( ) 35	( )
		R030	11	18	( ) 37	( )
		R029	9	19	( ) 39	( )
	IC 167 ( )	R028	7	20	( ) 41	( )
		R027	5	21	( ) 43	( )
		R026	3	22	( ) 45	( )
		R025	1	23	( ) 47	( )

I/O Cable Pins |

Solid State Relay types:	Quad Packs	Single	IC Types:	
	Cat. No.	Cat. No.	Cat. No.	
IDC5 = 24V DC Input	8000-XQD1	8400-XSD1	4 Inputs	8400-Z1
ODC5 = 24V DC Output	8000-XQD0	8400-XSD0	4 Outputs	8400-Z0
IAC5 = 120V AC Input	8000-XQA1	8400-XSA1		
OAC5 = 120V AC Output	8000-XQA0	8400-XSA0		

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3.3  
Preprogramming  
Flowcharting

Once you have planned and allocated the inputs and outputs for PAL, you can proceed with planning your PAL program. This is what we call "preprogramming." There are two aspects to preprogramming: flowcharting and sketching the ladder.

The first thing you should do in preprogramming is to make a flowchart of your PAL program. It gives you a base for a systematic approach to PAL programming, it gives structure to your PAL programs and allows you to add steps easily when they are required.

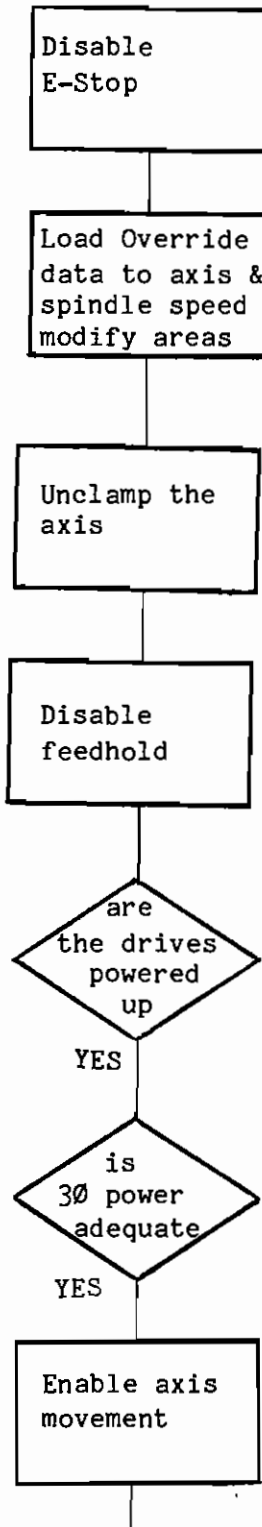
The following flowchart is an example of a start up ladder for the B series 8400 GP control. This is part of a ladder available for the 8400 Control. Appendix D is a more comprehensive example of PAL ladder logic. It contains several conditions not found in a simple start up ladder.

Study these flowcharts to get an idea of how 8400 PAL programs are structured.

One thing that affects 8400 PAL structure is the time spent executing PAL and the flow of execution. Remember that 8400 PAL takes 2 to 6 ms. to execute, and the ladder is executed every 40 ms. You can't have a program that takes a lot of time.

**Important:** You cannot jump "backward" in PAL, and each execution of the ladder must flow through from beginning to end. Your program must copy the state of inputs, make required tests, do required actions, and be ready for the next pass. If an action is not complete on one pass through PAL (PAL may be waiting for a switch closure, a certain count, or a timed out timer), you must set flags to tell PAL where to begin again on the next pass.

Flowchart for Series B 8400 GP Control start up PAL



This example ends here

Sketching  
the Ladder

After you have a good flowchart for your ladder, you should sketch the ladder program.

Sketch the ladder the way you will enter it using the Kaypro.

Outline your use of R, B, N, and H flags, and assign mnemonics to each one. Also specify your use of V, L, and G variables and assign mnemonics to these as well. If you use counters or timers, assign mnemonics to these. Use the mnemonics in the sketch.

Write out your assignment of messages, M flags, their text and associated L variables (used with variable messages).

The following list contains several standard functions you will probably use in any 8400 PAL program.

- Fault Clear to PAL from the CNC
- Emergency Stop switch monitoring
- Feedrate Override switch monitoring
- Drives On
- Drives OK
- Axis Move Enable (clamps off)
- Home switch monitoring
- Overtravel switch monitoring
- M-functions (pre- and post-move)

M2 - End of Program  
M3 - Spindle On Forward  
M4 - Spindle On Reverse  
M5 - Spindle Off  
M8 - Coolant On  
M9 - Coolant Off  
M12 - Delay M-function  
M21 - Wait for Reset M-function  
    - Spindle on/off control  
(no speed control in this example)

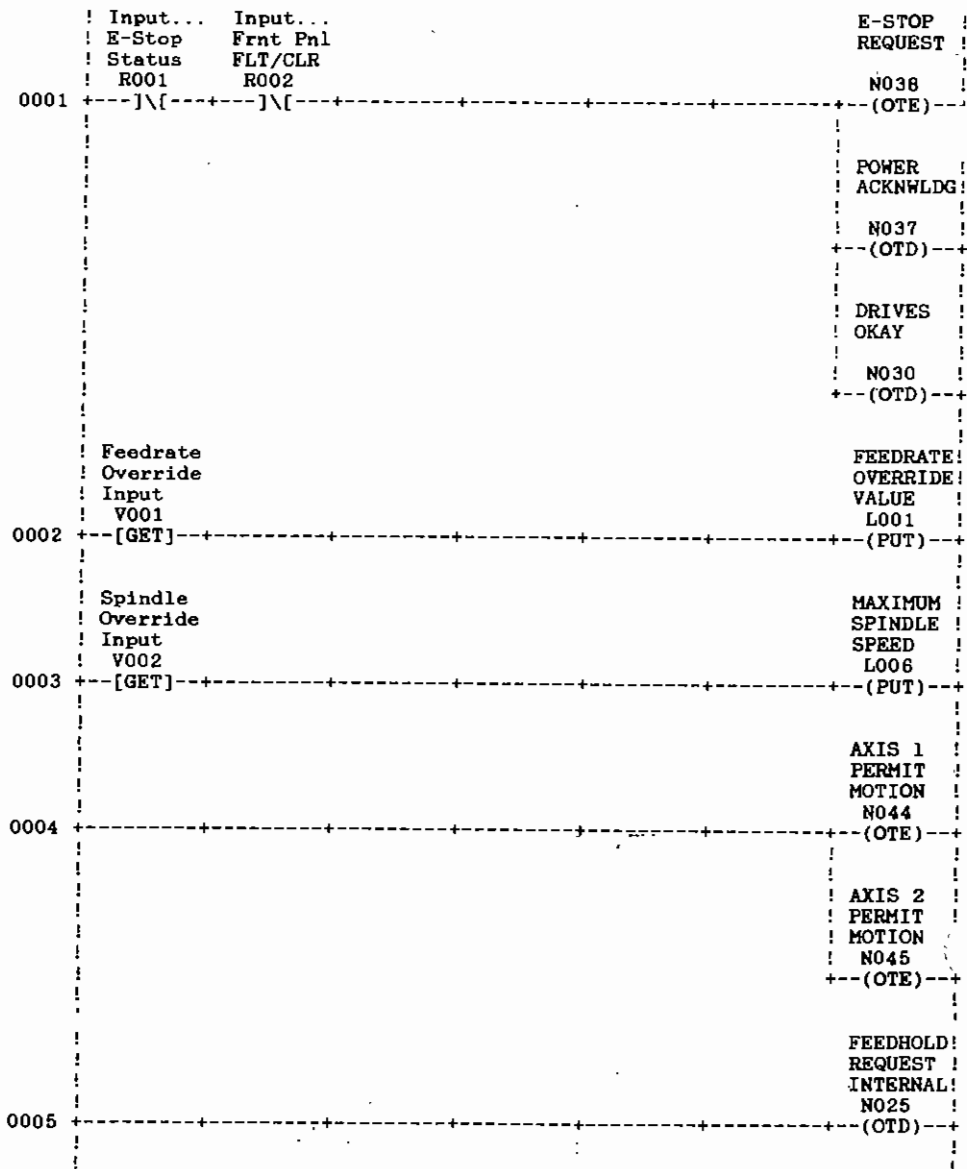
Tool functions are not implemented in this example.

The following two examples are the minimum start up ladders for the 8400 Series CLC and GP controls. These programs are intended for your information only. In no way does this represent a fully functional ladder.

We recommend that you use these ladders and the ladder in Appendix F to practice using the Kaypro, and to study the concepts involved in PAL development.

The list provided with the example in Appendix F was generated using a development system that is more sophisticated than the one provided with the Kaypro. This is why you may notice differences between what is given, and what you write on the Kaypro.

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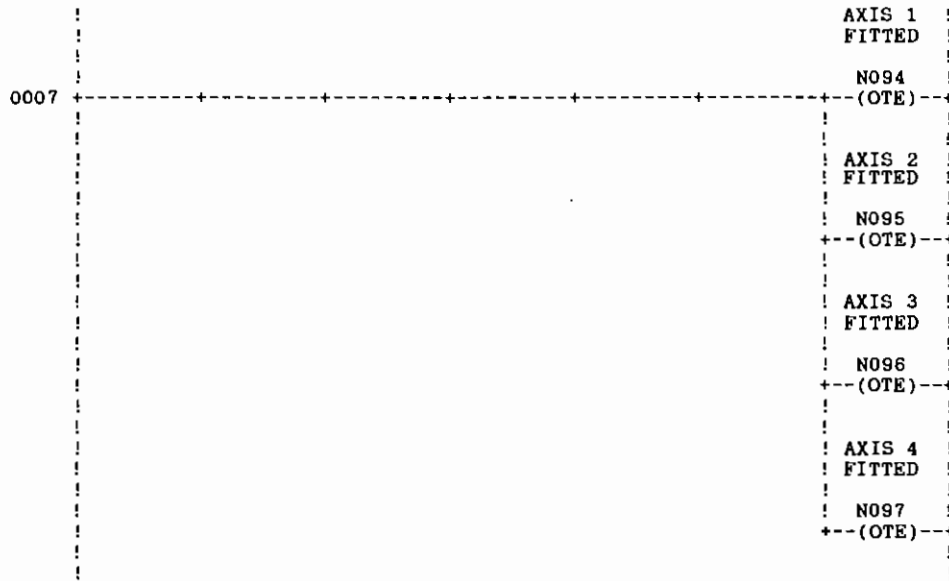


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0001	! Input...    Input... ! E-Stop    E-Stop ! Status    Reset !    R001    R002 ! ]\[- +---+ ]\[- +---+	E-STOP REQUEST N038 (OTE) POWER ACKNWLDG N037 (OTD) DRIVES OKAY N030 (OTD)
0002	! Input... ! E-Stop ! Reset !    R002 ! ] [- +---+	FAULT CLEAR REQUEST N007 (OTE)
0003	+---+ +---+ +---+ +---+	FEEDHOLD REQUEST INTERNAL N025 (OTD)
0004	! Feedrate ! Override ! Input !    V001 ! +---+ [GET] +---+	FEEDRATE OVERRIDE VALUE L001 (PUT)
0005	! Spindle ! Override ! Input !    V002 ! +---+ [GET] +---+	SPINDLE SPEED OVERR VAL L004 (PUT)
0006	+---+ +---+ +---+ +---+	AXIS 1 PERMIT MOTION N044 (OTE)
		AXIS 2 PERMIT MCTION N045 (OTE)
		AXIS 3 PERMIT MOTION N046 (OTE)
		AXIS 4 PERMIT MOTION N047 (OTE)

Ladder for Series 8400 Control (continued)

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The Minimum Ladder example for the Series 8400 Robot Control is found on page F-36 of Appendix F, immediately following the advanced ladder example.



3.4  
Using the  
Development  
Program with  
the Kaypro

This section gives you a series of brief steps for using the development program, PAL.COM and XREFLAD.COM, to generate PAL programs.

The detailed explanation of how to use PAL.COM is given in chapter 5. This outline of the steps is a preview of that chapter.

It is good practice, if this is your first time through 8400 PAL, to use the example program in chapter 4 for your first attempt. It will give you experience with the Kaypro, and help you learn the structure and function of PAL programs.

Development  
Steps

1. Power up the Kaypro and insert the Main Disk in drive A and the Data Disk in drive B (see chapter 4, Organize Your Development Disks). Type in "PAL" and press [Return]. Press the CAPS LOCK key. PAL.COM only recognizes capital letters.
2. Type "I" to select I/O assignments. You will use parallel, non-inverted I/O and use 7408 buffers for outputs. Set reader or punch enable, if desired. Define each port as input, output, or unused. Define port pairs for V variables, if desired. Type Return to get back to the Main Menu.
3. Type "E" to enter edit mode. Write in the PAL program from chapter 4. Make a list of all messages used by M flags. Reserve status message M028 for the PAL program part number.
4. Once you've input the ladder, assign messages with the message display.
5. Save the PAL source code (PAL source code can be saved at any time and should be saved frequently in case of power loss).

6. Compile the PAL source code and correct any compilation errors. Save the source code again if changes are made. You will have to recompile after saving the changed source code.
7. Download the PAL object code to the 8400 for testing. We strongly recommend that initial testing be done on a test fixture with switches and lights only. Extreme caution is advised when testing on a "live" machine.
8. When the PAL program works properly, save the corrected PAL source code again, and then recompile.
9. Prepare to burn the object code into the EPROMs by the following sequence:
  - If you are burning 2764s for GLC, PAL and for Revision B hardware, type [S] then select 2764. If you are not burning 2764s continue in the sequence in this step.
  - Enter "Hex I/O" mode. Set the baud rate at 1200.
  - Enter terminal mode and initialize the prom programmer.
  - Exit terminal mode and select object code output.
10. Burn object code EPROMs for permanent PAL program installation in the 8400.
11. Make a print out of the PAL program using "PRINT", and make a cross reference of the program using XREFLAD.COM.

4.0  
USING PAL.COM  
and XREFLAD.COM

The first 11 topics in this chapter tell you how to use the PAL.COM program to generate 8400 PAL. The last topic tells you how to use the XREFLAD.COM program to make a cross reference of your PAL program.

Before you use this chapter you should:

- Be familiar with how to operate the Kaypro and CP/M (this is not covered in this manual)
- Know what 8400 PAL is (see chapter 1)
- Be familiar with the equipment for 8400 PAL development (see chapter 2)
- Know the programming guidelines and examples we give you (see chapter 3)
- Have your development system organized (see chapter 4.1), especially your development disks.
- Know the various types of PAL instructions (see chapter 5)

In this chapter, when we tell you to press a key on the Kaypro keyboard, we represent the key with its letter, or function, in brackets. For example, if you should press the E key, we show you this with [E].

4.1  
Preview of  
PAL.COM and  
XREFLAD.COM

PAL.COM and XREFLAD.COM gives you the following functions:

- 4.2 Getting Started.....4-3  
This chapter tells you how to load the PAL.COM program in to the Kaypro and gives guidelines for PAL development.
- 4.3 I/O Assignments Display and Modify.....4-5  
This function defines the assignment of 8400 I/O points.
- 4.4 Messages Display and Modify.....4-11  
This function defines machine dependent messages, M flags, and their associated text. Messages might include, "LOW LUBE", "GAS ON", etc.

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- 4.5 Edit Ladder.....4-15
- 4.5.1 Insert.....4-16
- 4.5.2 Delete.....4-19
- 4.5.3 Search.....4-21
- 4.5.4 Faults During Edit Ladder.....4-22
- 4.5.5 Exit Editor.....4-22
- Edit Ladder (the Editor) allows the entry of the 8400 interface program in ladder diagram form.
- 4.6 Compile.....4-22
- This function changes the ladder diagram source code that you write on the Kaypro, to object code that can be used on the 8400.
- 4.7 Download Ladder to 8400.....4-23
- This function loads the ladder diagram object code into the 8400. You use this function to test the ladder before burning it into EPROM.
- 4.8 Save to a Disk File.....4-26
- This function saves the ladder information on a disk. You can use this function at any time while you are using PAL.COM. It should be used to prevent the loss of information before returning to CP/M from the PAL.COM program. It is good practice to save your program frequently. If not saved, you will lose your program if there is a power loss.
- 4.9 Load from a Disk File.....4-28
- This function loads ladder information from a disk file.
- 4.10 Hex Transfer In & Out.....4-30
- 4.10.1 Output Hex.....4-33
- 4.10.2 Input Hex.....4-39
- 4.10.3 Terminal.....4-43
- This function transfers ladder diagram object code to a prom programmer. It can also be used for any general purpose transfer of ladder information to and from the Kaypro serial port.
- 4.11 Print.....4-43
- The print function gives a print out of the PAL program, I/O assignments and messages.
- 4.12 Using XREFLAD.COM.....4-44
- XREFLAD lets you generate a cross reference of the flags, variables, and rungs in your PAL program.

4.2      Switch on the Kaypro. After a warm up period, you'll  
Getting Started      see this message on the CRT screen.

\* KAYPRO \*

Please insert your diskette into Drive A

Insert a diskette with the CP/M operating system, PAL.COM, and XREFLAD.COM (your Main Disk) into disk drive A and close the disk door. Disk drive A will activate and the CP/M operating system will begin to load into the Kaypro.

After a few seconds you'll see this on the CRT screen.

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A>

The default disk drive is now drive A.

Insert your Data Disk into drive B. When you save data to a disk file, you must use the conventions of the CP/M operating system. Refer to the Kaypro manuals for more information on the default disk drive, and file name conventions.

Starting the      Type [P] [A] [L] [RETURN]. After PAL.COM loads, you'll  
PAL.COM      see the PAL.COM Main Menu on the CRT screen:  
Program

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MAIN MENU

I = I/O ASSIGNMENTS DISPLAY & MODIFY

E = EDIT LADDER

C = COMPILE

D = DOWNLOAD LADDER TO 8400

L = LOAD FROM A DISK FILE

S = SAVE TO A DISK FILE

H = HEX TRANSFER IN & OUT

M = MESSAGES DISPLAY & MODIFY

P = PRINT

HOLD "CTRL" AND TOUCH "C" TO RETURN TO CPM SYSTEM

The PAL.COM program implements a menu addressed method of operation. For easy interaction with the program, major functions are divided into "menus" shown on the CRT. Each menu displays information and allows you to interact with a specific function.

Most of the menu functions are activated with one key-stroke. This makes your use of a function as easy as possible.

To select any of the PAL.COM functions, type the letter of the function you want.

**Important:** The [CAPS LOCK] key must be activated before any command will be recognized.

If you return to the CP/M operating system by holding [CTRL] and typing [C], first make sure that you save the PAL program you are working on. See chapter 5.8. If you return to CP/M before you save the PAL program, any PAL program information in PAL.COM will be lost.

You must first initialize (format) the Data Disk in drive B before any data is stored there. The very first save to a disk file on your blank Data Disk in drive B, will not work if the disk has not been initialized.

**Steps for  
Generating a  
New Ladder**

To create a new ladder, the sequence of operations is:

1. Define the 8400 I/O assignments.
2. Define the messages and their text for the PAL program.
3. Use the Edit Ladder functions to create the ladder diagram source code.
4. Save the I/O assignments, ladder diagram, and messages to a disk file.
5. Compile the ladder diagram source code to create the ladder diagram object code.
6. Download the ladder diagram object code to the 8400 for a trial run.

CAUTION: We strongly recommend you test initial PAL programs on a test fixture that simulates the action of inputs and outputs for a real machine. Extreme caution should be used when testing PAL programs on a "live" machine. Unexpected action of machine tool peripheral devices, such as the spindle and tool changer, could result and pose a potential hazard to personnel and equipment. When downloading PAL programs to the 8400 connected to a "live" machine, first establish an Emergency Stop condition, that disables the axis drives.

Repeat steps 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6 until machine operation is satisfactory.

7. Transfer the ladder diagram object code to a prom programmer. Burn an EPROM with the proven program.
8. Insert the EPROM into the 8400 for permanent operation.
9. Print out the I/O assignments, ladder diagram, and messages to a printer.

#### 4.3 I/O Assignments Display and Modify

Press [I] on the Main Menu page to use I/O Assignments Display and Modify.

The I/O assignment process lets you:

- Define the type of interface that is fitted to the 8400 control.
- Choose normal or inverted I/O.
- Define the assignments of PAL ports in the 8400 system as input, output, or unused.
- Dedicate PAL ports to parallel peripheral devices.
- Assign V variables to PAL port two at a time for binary word I/O.

Each PAL program that you develop should have I/O assignments included with it. With some earlier versions of PAL.COM, if you develop a program without I/O assignments, then save this program to a disk file, an error will result when you try to load this program back from the disk file. To recover the saved program, use the Append Source Code option in the Load From a Disk File Menu.

The Type  
of Interface

All your PAL programs will use the parallel interface. The multiplexed interface requires special hardware for operation that is not offered by Allen-Bradley.

Parallel interface uses the standard 8400 8-bit I/O ports. The operation of the program will use the parallel interface.

When the interface is active the following menu is given on the CRT screen:

I/O POLARITY IS NORMAL				R001 THRU R008 PORT 01 ALLOCATED
				R009 THRU R016 PORT 02 ALLOCATED
PARALLEL READER IS NOT ACTIVE				R017 THRU R024 PORT 03 ALLOCATED
PUNCH IS NOT ACTIVE				R025 THRU R032 PORT 04 ALLOCATED
CASSETTE IS NOT ACTIVE				R033 THRU R040 PORT 05 ALLOCATED
				R041 THRU R048 PORT 06 ALLOCATED
	VAR#	HI	LO	R049 THRU R056 PORT 07 ALLOCATED
	V001 = PORTS			R057 THRU R064 PORT 08 ALLOCATED
	2			R065 THRU R072 PORT 09 ALLOCATED
	3			R073 THRU R080 PORT 10 ALLOCATED
	4			R081 THRU R088 PORT 11 ALLOCATED
	5			R089 THRU R096 PORT 12 ALLOCATED
	6			R097 THRU R104 PORT 13 ALLOCATED
	7			R105 THRU R112 PORT 14 ALLOCATED
	8			R113 THRU R120 PORT 15 ALLOCATED

I/O MENU

P = PERIPHERALS ACTIVE SELECT

V = VARIABLE I/O PORT GROUPINGS SELECT

D = DEFINE PORTS "INPUT" "OUTPUT" "UNUSED"

R = INVERTED/NON-INVERTED I/O TOGGLE ON/OFF

"RETURN" = RETURN TO MAIN MENU

Choose the  
Type of I/O

Select inverted or normal I/O next. Choosing inverted or normal I/O changes how the ladder instructions handle real inputs and outputs (flags R001 to R120 and their associated V variables).

The default of the program is inverted I/O.

**Important:** we recommend you use non-inverted (normal) I/O. If you change from inverted to non-inverted I/O, you should do so before using any of the remaining functions in the I/O Menu.

To change from inverted to normal I/O press [R]. All current I/O assignments will be cancelled by this action.



Now press [Y] to change from inverted to normal I/O, or press [N] to leave inverted I/O in place. The I/O Menu will display the I/O type you have selected.

Choosing inverted or normal I/O does not change how the parallel peripheral devices (i.e. Reader Cassette, Punch) work in any way.

Choose the Type of Peripherals      The next step is to select which peripherals the 8400 will use. To do this, press [P] when you see the I/O Menu. You'll see the following in the lower portion of the CRT screen:

PERIPHERAL MENU  
 R = READER TOGGLE ON/OFF  
 P = PUNCH TOGGLE ON/OFF  
 C = CASSETTE TOGGLE ON/OFF

"RETURN" = RETURN TO I/O MENU

Choosing a peripheral active will cause certain PAL ports to be dedicated to a peripheral. When you choose a peripheral to be ON, certain parallel ports cannot be used by PAL for discrete I/O.

This is a list of PAL ports that are dedicated when the peripherals are active:

<u>Connector</u>	<u>Device</u>	<u>Dedicated R Flags and Ports</u>
CRT-CN5	Punch	= R097 through R104, port 13 DEDICATED R105 through R112, port 14 DEDICATED R113 through R120, port 15 DEDICATED
CPU-CN16	Reader	= R025 through R032, port 04 DEDICATED R033 through R040, port 05 DEDICATED R041 through R048, port 06 DEDICATED
CPU-CN15 & CPU-CN16	Cassette	= R001 through R008, port 01 DEDICATED R009 through R016, port 02 DEDICATED R017 through R024, port 03 DEDICATED R025 through R032, port 04 DEDICATED R033 through R040, port 05 DEDICATED R041 through R048, port 06 DEDICATED

Choose a Reader, Punch, or Cassette by typing [R], [P], or [C]. These functions "toggle." The first time you press [R] the reader will be ON and the second time you press [R] it will be OFF.

After pressing [R], [P], or [C] you'll see the I/O Menu again. The default condition of any peripheral is OFF.

Choose PAL  
Ports as Input,  
Output or  
Unused

The third step is to define which ports are input, output, or unused. A port is always unused if it is not defined as input or output.

Press [D] on the I/O Menu to start this step. You'll see the following in the lower portion of the CRT screen:

ENTER TWO DIGIT PORT NUMBER FROM "01 TO 15"

"RETURN" = RETURN TO I/O MENU

Now select which port you want to define by typing a two digit port number.

The following menu will appear in the lower portion of the CRT screen:

DEFINE I/O MENU

I = INPUT SELECT  
O = OUTPUT SELECT  
U = UNUSED SELECT

"RETURN" = RETURN TO I/O MENU

Press [I] for input, [O] for output, or [U] for unused. After pressing [I], [O], or [U] you'll see the I/O Menu again. Repeat these steps to assign each PAL port. The default of any port is unused.

Choose V      The final step defines which PAL ports make up  
Variables      V variables.

You'll see the following in the middle left side of the  
CRT screen:

```
PARALLEL I/O POLARITY IS NORMAL
          READER IS NOT ACTIVE
          PUNCH IS NOT ACTIVE
          CASSETTE IS NOT ACTIVE
```

```
          VAR#           HI    LO
          V001 = PORTS
           2
           3
           4
           5
           6
           7
           8
```

I/O MENU

P = PERIPHERALS ACTIVE SELECT  
V = VARIABLE I/O PORT GROUPINGS SELECT  
D = DEFINE PORTS "INPUT" "OUTPUT" "UNUSED"  
R = INVERTED/NON-INVERTED I/O TOGGLE ON/OFF

"RETURN" = RETURN TO MAIN MENU

Since each PAL port is 8-bits wide when the parallel interface is active, two PAL ports need to be entered to define a 16-bit V variable. You enter one port number to make up the upper 8 bits (shown as HI - most significant byte), and one port number to make up the lower 8 bits (shown as LO - least significant byte).

The HI bit of a byte is the bit with the highest R-Flag number and the LO bit of a byte is the bit with the lowest R-Flag number. When you compare two bytes together, one byte will contain the bit with the highest R-Flag number of the two bytes. The byte with the highest R-Flag number is the HI byte.

A look at the I/O assignment sheets in the beginning of chapter 3 will help to illustrate this point.

Assigning V variables to ports does not affect the action of any associated R flags. The R flags can still be used as individual inputs or outputs in the PAL program according to their I/O assignments.

Press [V] while you see the I/O Menu to assign PAL ports to V variables. The lower portion of the CRT screen will display:

ENTER VARIABLE NUMBER "1 TO 8" OR TOUCH "RETURN" TO RETURN TO I/O MENU

V00\_

After you assign the port as an input or output, define it as a variable port.

Enter a one digit number between 1 and 8 to select the V variable you want. Not all V variables need to be defined.

When a V number is given, the display will request the port numbers to assign. When the parallel interface is active, you'll see this in the lower portion of the CRT screen:

ENTER PORT NUMBER FROM "001 TO 015" OR TOUCH "RETURN" TO RETURN TO I/O MENU

**Important:** If you only want to use 8 bits of the V variable, you can assign both the MSB (HI) and the LSB (LO) with the same port number. For example, if you know that only the LSB of V1 will be used, you might assign HI = 08 (port 8), and LO = 08 (port 8 again) to V1. Duplicating the port assigned to MSB and LSB has no effect on the operation of your PAL program.

#### Finishing I/O Assignments

Once you've chosen the interface, assigned inputs and outputs, and V variables, this finishes the task of I/O assignment. Touch [RETURN] to return to the Main Menu.

4.4 Messages Display and Modify This function allows you to examine and edit machine-dependent-messages (such as "Door Open", "Coolant On," etc.). To perform this function, press [M] while on the Main Menu. You'll see the following on the CRT screen:

M#	ALARM MESSAGES	M#	STATUS MESSAGES	M#	STATUS MESSAGE
001	M001 ALARM MESSAGE	014	M014 STATUS	029	M029 STATUS
002	M002 ALARM MESSAGE	015	M015 STATUS	030	M030 STATUS
003	M003 ALARM MESSAGE	016	M016 STATUS	031	M031 STATUS
004	M004 ALARM MESSAGE	017	M017 STATUS	032	M032 STATUS
005	M005 ALARM MESSAGE	018	M018 STATUS	033	M033 STATUS
006	M006 ALARM MESSAGE	019	M019 STATUS	034	M034 STATUS
007	M007 ALARM MESSAGE	020	M020 STATUS	035	M035 STATUS
008	M008 ALARM MESSAGE	021	M021 STATUS	036	M036 STATUS
009	M009 ALARM MESSAGE	022	M022 STATUS		
		023	M023 STATUS		
M#	STATUS MESSAGES	024	M024 STATUS	M#	VARIABLE MESSAGES
010	M010 STATUS	025	M025 STATUS	037	M037 VARBL
011	M011 STATUS	026	M026 STATUS	038	M038 VARBL
012	M012 STATUS	027	M027 STATUS	039	M039 VARBL
013	M013 STATUS	028	M028 STATUS	040	M040 VARBL

WHAT MESSAGE DO YOU WISH TO ENTER OR MODIFY?

ENTER 2 DIGIT NUMBER BETWEEN 001 AND 040 OR "RETURN" TO RETURN TO MAIN MENU

MESSAGE M\_

There are a total of 40 messages. The first 9 are alarm messages. The next 27 are status messages and the last 4 are variable messages.

**Alarm Messages**

The alarm message flags, M001 to M009, when set by an instruction in the ladder show their associated messages on the 8400 CRT. The text of an alarm message can be up to 20 characters in length.

**Important:** The 8400 will be forced into a FEEDHOLD condition when an alarm message flag is set.

Only one alarm message is displayed at a time on the 8400. If the ladder enables more than one, the alarm message with the lowest "M" number (the highest priority) will be displayed.

**Status Messages**

The status message flags, M010 to M036, when set by an instruction in the ladder, display their assigned messages on the 8400 CRT. The text of a status message can be up to 18 characters in length.

The 8400 will NOT be forced into a feedhold condition when a status message flag is set.

Up to eight status messages can be displayed at one time on the 8400 status page. If the ladder sets more than eight, the status messages with the lowest "M" numbers (the highest priorities) will be displayed.

**Variable Messages**

The variable message flags, M037 to M040, when set by an instruction in the ladder, will display their assigned messages on the 8400 CRT. The text of a variable message can be up to 11 characters in length.

The 8400 will NOT be forced into a FEEDHOLD condition when a variable message is set. The current value in the L variable associated with the flag will be shown on the 8400 CRT along with the text of the message. The assignments of L variables for each variable message flag are as follows:

Variable Message Number	Arithmetic Variable Number
M037.....	L037
M038.....	L038
M039.....	L039
M040.....	L040

Up to two variable messages can be displayed at one time on the 8400 status page. If the ladder sets more than two variable message flags, the variable messages with the lowest "M" numbers (the highest priorities) will be displayed.

**Editing a Message**

To edit a message, type the 2 digit number of the flag whose message is to be modified (or enter one or two digits and hit [RETURN]). For example, if [1] [7] [RETURN] is typed, the following will appear in the lower portion of the CRT screen:

```
MESSAGE M017
TYPE "Y" FOR YES, "N" FOR NO, OR TOUCH "RETURN" IF NO CHANGE IS WANTED
INVERSE VIDEO ?
```

Select if the message should be shown with inverse video by pressing [Y] for yes, [N] for no, or [RETURN] to leave it unchanged. Assuming [Y] is pressed, you'll see the following:

```
MESSAGE M017
INVERSE VIDEO Y
BLINK ?
```

TYPE "Y" FOR YES, "N" FOR NO, OR TOUCH "RETURN" IF NO CHANGE IS WANTED

Select if the message is to blink by pressing [Y] for yes, [N] for no, or [RETURN] to leave to leave it unchanged. If blink is selected, the message will flash on and off at about a 2 Hz. rate when it is shown on the 8400 CRT. Assuming [Y] is pressed, you'll see the following on the CRT screen:

```
MESSAGE M017
STATUS MESSAGE MAXIMUM LENGTH IS 18 CHARACTERS
ENTER MESSAGE AND "RETURN" OR TOUCH "RETURN" IF NO CHANGES REQUIRED
[                ]
```

Type the text of the message or press [RETURN] before any text is entered if no change in the message is required. The maximum number of characters allowed is indicated on the display for each type of message. Press [RETURN] when the message is complete. If you type more than the maximum number of characters for a message, only the maximum number of characters will be used.

If an error is made while entering the text, pressing [BACKSPACE] will allow backing the cursor up.

Assuming the text "LOW LUBE LEVEL" is entered, the message M017 will appear as follows on the CRT screen:

M#	ALARM MESSAGES	M#	STATUS MESSAGES	M#	STATUS MESSAGE
001	M001 ALARM MESSAGE	014	M014 STATUS	029	M029 STATUS
002	M002 ALARM MESSAGE	015	M015 STATUS	030	M030 STATUS
003	M003 ALARM MESSAGE	016	M016 STATUS	031	M031 STATUS
004	M004 ALARM MESSAGE	017IB	LOW LUBE LEVEL	032	M032 STATUS
005	M005 ALARM MESSAGE	018	M018 STATUS	033	M033 STATUS
006	M006 ALARM MESSAGE	019	M019 STATUS	034	M034 STATUS
007	M007 ALARM MESSAGE	020	M020 STATUS	035	M035 STATUS
008	M008 ALARM MESSAGE	021	M021 STATUS	036	M036 STATUS
009	M009 ALARM MESSAGE	022	M022 STATUS		
		023	M023 STATUS		
M#	STATUS MESSAGES	024	M024 STATUS	M#	VARIABLE MESSAGES
010	M010 STATUS	025	M025 STATUS	037	M037 VARBL
011	M011 STATUS	026	M026 STATUS	038	M038 VARBL
012	M012 STATUS	027	M027 STATUS	039	M039 VARBL
013	M013 STATUS	028	M028 STATUS	040	M040 VARBL

WHAT MESSAGE DO YOU WISH TO ENTER OR MODIFY?

ENTER 3 DIGIT NUMBER BETWEEN 001 AND 040 OR "RETURN" TO RETURN TO MAIN MENU  
MESSAGE MO\_

The inverse video and blink options are indicated by an "I" and "B" beside the message number, if selected. Use the above procedure to edit each message you want to enter.

When you finish editing messages, touch [RETURN] to return to the Main Menu.



4.5 Press [E] on the Main Menu to select this function.  
Edit Ladder

Edit Ladder allows you to enter, examine and modify PAL programs. When you select Edit Ladder for the first time, you'll see the following on the CRT screen:

-E-N-D-+

EDIT MENU  
I = INSERT  
D = DELETE  
N = NEXT  
L = LAST  
S = SEARCH  
A = SEARCH AGAIN  
"RETURN" =  
MAIN MENU

INPUTS			OUTPUTS		
01--] [--	02--]/[--	80-(LBL)-	40-(GET)-	10-(OTE)-	11-(OTD)-
50-(GTI)-	60-(DGT)-	41-(ADD)-	51-(ADI)-	12-(OTL)-	13-(OTU)-
42-(SUB)-	52-(SBI)-	43-(MUL)-	53-(MLI)-	89-(GTO)-	20-(TON)-
44-(DIV)-	54-(DVI)-	45-(EQL)-	55-(EQI)-	21-(TOF)-	22-(RTO)-
46-(LES)-	56-(LSI)-	70-(SLL)-	71-(SLR)-	23-(RTR)-	30-(CTU)-
78-(DTB)-	79-(BTD)-	00-----		31-(CTD)-	32-(CTR)-
90-BRANCH BEGIN		99-BRANCH END		49-(PUT)-	69-(DPT)-

**Important:** Allow the screen to update completely before typing any keys on the Kaypro. The Kaypro does not have a "type-ahead" buffer so keystrokes made while the Kaypro is busy are lost.

The -E-N-D-+ sequence is displayed in the upper left corner of the CRT screen. At this point, this indicates that there are no rungs in the PAL program.

At the bottom of the screen, all the ladder instruction codes are given for reference. The upper right portion of the screen displays the Edit Menu options.



Once you enter an output instruction, press [RETURN] to complete the rung. You will automatically return to the Edit Menu.

- To start a new rung at the end of the program, press [I] while you see the -E-N-D-+ sequence and the Edit Menu.
- To insert a new rung among existing rungs, move up or down the ladder using the [N] (next) and [L] (last) keys until you see the rung you want to follow the new rung. Press [I] for insert and continue as above.

Rungs are automatically numbered in the left-hand column. Inserting or deleting rungs cause the rungs that follow to be renumbered.

You can leave the the insert function of the Editor by pressing the [ESC] key when the Editor is prompting for an instruction code. This will exit the insert function, and still leave you in the Editor. The rung that was being inserted when the [ESC] key is pressed will not be entered into the ladder source code.

**Important:** If you have to change one instruction in a rung, you must delete the entire rung and then insert the rung with the corrected instruction. It is easier to change a rung by entering the new rung before you delete the old one. Here are some points to remember when you edit PAL.

- Instructions must be in proper sequence and order.
- Variables must be of the proper type.
- I/O (R-word) must be assigned before it can be used.
- Edits are inserted before the rung.

When the rung structure requires the use of Branch Start and Branch End functions (codes 90 and 99), the Editor requires the entry of instructions according to the structure. Each rung is limited to (7) seven instructions across (i.e. six input instructions and one output instruction) and (5) five instructions down.

You have to enter a Branch End when you complete a series of parallel sub-rungs (an input group) even though the Branch End is already displayed. This tells the Editor to move back up to the top of the rung.

This is a practice for entering parallel rungs; enter the following commands:

```
! B021                                     ! B032 !
0001+--] [---+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
!      !                                     !     !
! B033 !                                     !     !
+--] [---+                                     !     !
!      !                                     !     !
! B029 !                                     !     !
+--] [---+                                     !     !
!      !                                     !     !
```

- Step 1. Type [9] [0] [RETURN]..... = Branch Begin
- Step 2. Type [0] [1] [RETURN]..... = +--] [---+
- Step 3. Type [B] [0] [2] [1] [RETURN]..... = flag B021
- Step 4. Type [9] [9] [RETURN]..... = Branch End
- Step 5. Type [9] [0] [RETURN]..... = Branch Begin
- Step 6. Type [0] [1] [RETURN]..... = +--] [---+
- Step 7. Type [B] [0] [3] [3] [RETURN]..... = flag B033
- Step 8. Type [9] [9] [RETURN]..... = Branch End
- Step 9. Type [0] [1] [RETURN]..... = +--] [---+
- Step 10. Type [B] [0] [2] [9] [RETURN]..... = flag B029
- Step 11. Type [9] [9] [RETURN]..... = Branch End  
(return to top rung)
- Step 12. Type [1] [3] [RETURN]..... = +-(OTU)--
- Step 13. Type [B] [0] [3] [2] [RETURN]..... = flag B032
- Step 14. Press [RETURN]..... = Exit Insert Mode  
and return to Edit Menu

Press [RETURN] once more to exit to the Main Menu.



To Delete All  
Rungs in a  
Ladder

To delete all the rungs in a ladder, move down the ladder until -E-N-D-+ is displayed. Press [D] and you'll see the following on the CRT screen:

-E-N-D-+

DELETE MODE

PRESS ANY KEY  
TO RETURN TO  
EDIT MENU

PRESS "ESC" TO DELETE LADDER

INPUTS		OUTPUTS			
01--] [--	02--]/[--	80-(LBL)-	40-(GET)-	10-(OTE)-	11-(OTD)-
50-(GTI)-	60-(DGT)-	41-(ADD)-	51-(ADI)-	12-(OTL)-	13-(OTU)-
42-(SUB)-	52-(SBI)-	43-(MUL)-	53-(MLI)-	89-(GTO)-	20-(TON)-
44-(DIV)-	54-(DVI)-	45-(EQL)-	55-(EQI)-	21-(TOF)-	22-(RTO)-
46-(LES)-	56-(LSI)-	70-(SLL)-	71-(SLR)-	23-(RTR)-	30-(CTU)-
78-(DTB)-	79-(BTD)-	00-----		31-(CTD)-	32-(CTR)-
90-BRANCH BEGIN		99-BRANCH END		49-(PUT)-	69-(DRT)-

Press [ESC] to delete all the rungs in the ladder. Press any other key to leave the ladder in place. If you don't delete the ladder, you'll see the Edit Menu again on the CRT screen. Deleting all the rungs in a ladder does not change the I/O assignments or the ladder messages.



lists the error codes that you may encounter, and the possible reasons for an error.

**4.5.5  
Exit Editor**

To exit the Edit Ladder function, press [RETURN] while the Edit Menu is displayed. This brings the Main Menu back to the CRT screen. The Editor cannot be exited while you are inserting rungs or searching for flags and variables.

**4.6  
Compile**

Press [C] on the Main Menu page to begin compiling.

The purpose of compile is to change the ladder diagram source code into object code. Any time I/O assignments ladder rungs, or messages are changed, or the program is saved, loaded, or printed, the compile function must be used to get new object code. Changes made to the I/O assignments ladder rungs, or messages will not be included in the object code until the compile function is used. When you compile you'll see the following on the CRT screen:

```
COMPILING . . . .
```

and after a few seconds,

```
COMPILING COMPLETE  00 ERRORS  
PRESS [RETURN] TO RETURN TO MAIN MENU
```

You can stop the compile function at any time by pressing the [ESC] key.

**Possible Errors**

If any errors occur during compiling, there are errors in the ladder structure (see table 5-1 at the end of this section). You'll see error message numbers and the number of the faulty rung(s). You should use Edit Ladder to correct the ladder and compile the ladder again.

Examples of compilation errors are:

```
COMPILING . . . ERROR 02  SEQ 0000  
COMPILATION ABORTED.  01 ERRORS  
PRESS RETURN TO RETURN TO MAIN MENU
```

Error 02 states that no ladder rungs exist.



```
COMPILING . . . ERROR 15 SEQ 0004
                  ERROR 15 SEQ 0004
                  ERROR 15 SEQ 0005
                  ERROR 15 SEQ 0006
                  ERROR 15 SEQ 0006
                  ERROR 15 SEQ 0006
```

```
COMPILATION ABORTED. 06 ERRORS
PRESS RETURN TO RETURN TO MAIN MENU
```

Error 15 states that an R flag in the rungs listed has not been assigned for use by the ladder.

4.7  
Download Ladder  
to 8400

After a ladder has been entered and compiled, you can download it to the 8400 CNC for temporary evaluation and testing.

**CAUTION:** We strongly recommend you test initial PAL programs on a Test fixture that simulates the action of inputs and outputs for a real machine. Extreme caution should be used when testing PAL programs on a "live" machine. Unexpected action of machine tool peripheral devices, such as the spindle and tool changer, could result and pose a potential hazard to personnel and equipment. When downloading PAL programs to the 8400 connected to a "live" machine, first establish an Emergency Stop condition, that disables the axis drives.

The serial interface cable (8400-XPC3) should be connected between the Kaypro's connector J4 and the 8400 CPU connector CN14 on the CPU board.

On the Robot control, (8400R) the serial interface cable (8400-XPC3) is connected to the Teach Pendant connector and switch 3-4 must be toggled. Then the processor must be reset.

If the 8400 Peripheral Interface Module is used, the cable should be connected to the Communication Port Connector instead of the 8400 CPU Connector CN14.

In either case, the serial port on the 8400 CPU module must be configured for RS-232 operation. JP14 and JP16 on the 8400 CPU Module must be installed for RS-232 operation.

The compiled ladder object code is loaded into the 8400 part program storage RAM. It is good practice to delete programs from program storage to make room for PAL before downloading. The maximum length that any PAL program can have is 12K bytes. After the download is complete, it is good practice to examine the part program storage page to determine how much room is still available.

**To Begin  
Downloading**

The 8400 must be in the Jog mode with Feedhold active to download to it. Press [D] when on the Main Menu page to begin the download function.

If a response is received from the 8400 after you press [D], you'll see the following on the Kaypro CRT screen:

DOWNLOADING...XX

where XX counts up in decimal to indicate a download is in progress.

During downloading, the 8400 CRT will have PAL DISABLED displayed on a reverse video field located just below the Jog and Feedhold messages. The K-1 relay will drop out and the axis will be disabled.

**Possible Errors**

If the ladder source code has not been compiled, the following message is displayed on the CRT screen:

INVALID OBJECT

COMPILATION REQUIRED

TOUCH "RETURN" TO RETURN TO MAIN MENU

If the serial interface cable is missing or connections incomplete, the following message will appear on the CRT screen:

DOWNLOADING  
RESPONSE WAS NOT RECEIVED FROM SYSTEM

TOUCH "RETURN" TO RETURN TO MAIN MENU

If transmission stops during the download (for example, the cable connection is broken) the following message will be displayed on the 8400 CRT screen:

MICRO PORT FAILURE PART PROGRAM STORAGE RAM OVERFLOW  
PAL DISABLED

TOUCH "RETURN" TO RETURN TO MAIN MENU

If the ladder object code is too large for the 8400 part program RAM, the following message will appear on the CRT screen:

MICRO PORT FAILURE PART PROGRAM STORAGE RAM OVERFLOW  
PAL DISABLED

8400 LADDER RAM OVERFLOW

**Important:** When the 8400 has micro-port failure it must be reset to continue.

Successful  
Transfer and  
Start  
Execution

A successful transfer is indicated by the following message on the Kaypro CRT screen:

DOWNLOADING XX

TRANSFER COMPLETED AND EXECUTING

TOUCH "RETURN" TO RETURN TO MAIN MENU

The DISABLED PAL message goes away from the 8400 CRT upon successful completion of a download.

**Important:** Touching [RETURN] does not abort PAL execution in the 8400. It simply returns you to the Main Menu. Pressing [RETURN] has no effect on the 8400 nor on RAM based PAL execution. RAM PAL will execute until 8400 power is cycled or until the reset button on the 8400 Control Package is pressed.

**Important:** Do not leave PAL in RAM. When testing is complete you must burn PAL into EPROM. Leaving PAL in RAM does not provide secure storage for the PAL program. When power to the 8400 is turned off, then on, the PAL program will be lost.

4.8  
Save to a Disk  
File

After the ladder source code has been entered with Edit Ladder, it can be saved to a disk file. It is good practice to save the source code on two disks. Use one for back-up if the first fails. It is also good practice to perform a save function often during lengthy edits. This prevents a power failure from destroying an edit session.

**Important:** If you exit PAL.COM and go to the CP/M operating system, any active PAL program (one that is in the PAL.COM program) is lost. So, you should save any active program to a disk file before exiting PAL.COM. Press [S] when on the Main Menu page to save to a disk file. The following message will appear on the CRT screen:

SAVE TO A DISK FILE

MENU

S = SOURCE CODE AND MESSAGES SAVE  
M = MESSAGES ONLY SAVE

"RETURN" = RETURN TO MAIN MENU

Source Code and  
Messages Save

Press [S] when on the Save to a Disk File Menu to select this function.

You'll see that the program requests the file name. Enter a name for your ladder. All the rules that apply to CP/M disk file name conventions apply here, including the drive name extension (SRC = source code and OBJ = object code). For example,

FILE NAME B:CUSTOMER.SRC

If the transfer is completed successfully, you'll see the following message on the CRT screen:

FILE NAME B:CUSTOMER.SRC  
FILE TRANSFER COMPLETED

TOUCH 'RETURN' TO RETURN TO THE MAIN MENU

**Important:** A second save to the same file name erases the earlier file and saves the active file. No back-up file will be made unless you save to two different files, i.e., CUSTOMER.SRC and CUSTOMER.BAK. We recommend making back-up files. Changes to your programs may not always result in progress! Being able to recover a tested original program is desirable.

**Important:** The Data disk in drive B must be initialized (formatted) or the very first save to a disk file, on your blank Data Disk in drive B, may not work. You'll have to return to CP/M, and information will then be lost.

**Possible Errors**

If there isn't any room on the disk, you'll see the following message on the CRT screen:

```
FILE NAME    B:CUSTOMER.SCR
DISK FILE FULL, COMMAND ABORTED

TOUCH 'RETURN' TO RETURN TO THE MAIN MENU
```

If the directory is full on the disk, you'll see the following message on the CRT screen:

```
FILE NAME    B:CUSTOMER.SRC
NO DIRECTORY SPACE, COMMAND ABORTED

TOUCH 'RETURN' TO RETURN TO THE MAIN MENU
```

Refer to the Kaypro operating manual to find out how to delete unnecessary files from a disk.

**Messages Only  
Save**

Press [M] when on the Save to a Disk File Menu to select this function.

You'll see that the program requests the file name. Enter an appropriate name for a message file. All the rules that apply to CP/M disk file name conventions apply here. For example,

```
FILE NAME    B:CUSTOMER.MSG
```

If the transfer completes successfully, the following message will appear on the CRT screen:

FILE NAME B:CUSTOMER.MSG  
FILE TRANSFER COMPLETED

TOUCH 'RETURN' TO RETURN TO THE MAIN MENU

**Possible Errors**

If there isn't any room on the disk, the following message will appear on the CRT screen:

FILE NAME B:CUSTOMER.MSG  
DISK FILE FULL, COMMAND ABORTED

TOUCH ANY KEY TO RETURN TO THE MAIN MENU

If the directory is full on the disk, the following message will appear on the CRT screen:

FILE NAME B:CUSTOMER.MSG  
NO DIRECTORY SPACE, COMMAND ABORTED

TOUCH ANY KEY TO RETURN TO THE MAIN MENU

Refer to the Kaypro operating manual to find out how to delete unnecessary files from a disk.

**4.9  
Load From a  
Disk File**

Selecting Load from a Disk File will allow information that you've saved on disk to be reloaded into the Kaypro.

Press [L] when on the Main Menu page to select this function. The following menu will appear on the CRT screen:

**LOAD FROM A DISK FILE**

**MENU**

S = SOURCE CODE FILE LOAD (WITH MESSAGES IF PRESENT)  
A = APPEND A SOURCE CODE FILE TO EXISTING SOURCE CODE  
M = MESSAGE FILE ONLY LOAD

"RETURN" = RETURN TO MAIN MENU

Source Code  
File Load (With  
Messages if  
Present)

Press [S] on the Load from Disk File Menu to select this function.

You'll see that the program requests the file name. Enter the name of the ladder source code file. Be sure to include the drive letter if required. All the rules that apply to CP/M disk file name conventions apply here. For example,

```
FILE NAME    B:CUSTOMER.SRC
```

**Important:** Any existing ladder source code contained in the Kaypro memory will be erased by this command.

Ladder source code files should contain I/O assignments, ladder, and messages information. If the transfer completes successfully, you'll see the following message on the CRT screen:

```
FILE NAME    B:CUSTOMER.SRC  
FILE TRANSFER COMPLETED
```

TOUCH 'RETURN' TO RETURN TO THE MAIN MENU

If a file name is given that does not exist on the disk, the following error message will be displayed on the CRT screen:

```
FILE NAME    B:CUSTOMER.SRC  
FILE NAME SPECIFIED, NOT FOUND ON DISK
```

TOUCH 'RETURN' TO RETURN TO THE MAIN MENU

Append a Source  
Code File to  
Existing Source  
Code

Press [A] on the Load from Disk File Menu to select this function.

This function allows ladder rungs from a source code file to be added to the end of any existing rungs in the Kaypro memory.

Appending rungs does not affect the I/O assignments or messages of the active PAL program in the Kaypro. The I/O assignments and messages of the source file that is being added are ignored.

This function allows you to make a library of "building block" rungs. These "building block" rungs could each contain information for one particular function of a standard machine interface: such as tool changer, spindle controller, limit switch information, etc.

You'll see that the program requests the file name. Enter the name of the ladder source code file. Be sure to include the drive letter if required. All the rules that apply to CP/M disk file name conventions apply here. For example,

FILE NAME B:CUSTOMER.SRC

If the transfer is completed successfully, the following message will appear on the CRT screen:

FILE NAME B:CUSTOMER.SRC  
FILE TRANSFER COMPLETED

TOUCH 'RETURN' TO RETURN TO THE MAIN MENU

You can touch any key on the Kaypro keyboard to return to the Main Menu page.

**Possible Error**

If a file name is given that does not exist on the disk, the following error message is shown on the CRT screen:

FILE NAME B:CUSTOMER.SRC  
FILE NAME SPECIFIED, NOT FOUND ON DISK

TOUCH 'RETURN' TO RETURN TO THE MAIN MENU

**Message File  
Only Load**

Press [M] on the Load from a Disk File Menu to select this function.

This function allows you to load a file that has messages only. This function does not affect the source code, or I/O assignments that are present in the Kaypro.



The program will prompt you for the file name. Enter the name of the ladder message file. Be sure to include the drive letter if required. All the rules that apply to CP/M disk file name conventions apply here. For example,

FILE NAME B:CUSTOMER.MSG

If the transfer completes successfully, you'll see the following message on the CRT screen:

FILE NAME B:CUSTOMER.MSG  
FILE TRANSFER COMPLETED

TOUCH 'RETURN' TO RETURN TO THE MAIN MENU

**Possible Error**

If a file name does not exist on the disk, the following error message is displayed on the CRT screen:

FILE NAME B:CUSTOMER.MSG  
FILE NAME SPECIFIED, NOT FOUND ON DISK

TOUCH 'RETURN' TO RETURN TO THE MAIN MENU

You can only touch the [RETURN] key on the Kaypro keyboard to return to the Main Menu page. Examine the directory of the disk, and make sure to specify the name of the file correctly.

**4.10  
Hex Transfer  
In & Out**

The main purpose of Hex Transfer In & Out is to transfer object code to a prom programmer. You want to create an EPROM resident PAL program for permanent storage in the 8400 control.

Hex Transfer In & Out also allows:

- transferring source code and messages to and from the Kaypro serial port. This function can be used to transfer information to another storage device or computer.
- the Kaypro to act as a terminal. This is useful for performing special functions with the-prom programmer.

To select Hex Transfer In & Out, touch [H] while in the Main Menu. The following menu will appear on the CRT screen:

HEX TRANSFER INPUT & OUTPUT  
MENU

I/O MODE IS: HALF DUPLEX

I = INPUT HEX  
O = OUTPUT HEX  
B = BAUD RATE SELECT  
T = TERMINAL MODE  
F = FULL DUPLEX  
H = HALF DUPLEX

'RETURN' = RETURN TO THE MAIN MENU

You can only touch the [RETURN] key on the Kaypro keyboard to return to the Main Menu page.

**Important:** The first time you use the Hex Transfer Input & Output Menu, set the baud rate before going on to the next function.

**Baud Rate Selection** Press [B] on the Hex Transfer Input & Output Menu to select this function. The following appears on the CRT screen:

50 BAUD-"0"  
75 BAUD-"1"  
100 BAUD-"2"  
134 BAUD-"3"  
150 BAUD-"4"  
300 BAUD-"5"  
600 BAUD-"6"  
1200 BAUD-"7"  
1800 BAUD-"8"  
2000 BAUD-"9"  
2400 BAUD-"A"  
3600 BAUD-"B"  
4800 BAUD-"C"  
7200 BAUD-"D"  
9600 BAUD-"E"  
19200 BAUD-"F"

SELECT THE DESIRED BAUD RATE BY  
PRESSING THE KEY LISTED NEXT TO  
THE BAUD RATE REQUIRED.

"RETURN" = RETURN TO MAIN MENU

Select the baud rate by pressing the key that is indicated next to the baud rate. For example, if you want 1200 baud, press [7]. You'll automatically return to the Hex Transfer Input & Output Menu once you choose the baud rate. Pressing [RETURN] is not required.

The baud rate you choose will remain in effect until it is changed, or until the downloading function is used. Downloading will change the baud rate to 1200 baud.

The default rate is 1200 baud, and 1200 baud is recommended for Bay Technical Associates prom programmers.

#### I/O Mode Selection

Before proceeding with output, select the I/O mode

- full duplex
- half duplex

Half-duplex is the default.

This step sets up the Bay Tech. for the type of chip you are going to burn.

If the prom programmer echoes characters, use full duplex; if no echo use half duplex. Full duplex is recommended for Bay Technical Associates prom programmers. Handshaking must always be present.

#### 4.10.1 Output Hex

Press [0] on the Hex Transfer Input & Output Menu to select the output hex function. You'll see the following on the CRT screen:

#### HEX TRANSFER OUTPUT

##### MENU

- S = SOURCE CODE OUTPUT WITH MESSAGES
- O = OBJECT CODE OUTPUT
- M = MESSAGES ONLY OUTPUT

TOUCH 'RETURN' TO RETURN TO THE MAIN MENU

You can only touch the [RETURN] key on the Kaypro keyboard to return to the Main Menu page.

**Object Code Output** Press [0] on the Hex Transfer Output Menu to select this function.

You use this function to output object code from the Kaypro serial port for burning into EPROM. The object code will become the EPROM resident PAL program in the 8400.

The maximum length of a PAL program is 12K bytes. So, if you have an 8400 L, GP, MP, or Bandit III there is a maximum of 6 EPROMs to burn (because they use 2716's). If you have an 8400 GLC there is a maximum of 2 EPROMs to burn (because it uses 2764's).

Serial output of the object code from the Kaypro is in Intel Hex format (see table 2 at the end of this section for a description of Intel Hex format).

**Possible Error** The ladder source code must be compiled into object code before it can be output from serial port on the Kaypro.

If you don't compile before you output, the system recognizes this and you'll see the following message:

INVALID OBJECT

COMPILATION REQUIRED

"RETURN" = RETURN TO THE MAIN MENU

See chapter 5.6 for how to compile the ladder source code into object code.

**Choosing EPROM Size** As a reminder for choosing the right EPROM size this menu appears on the screen:

This step tells the prom burner the size of chip you are going to burn.

SELECT PROM SIZE

2716 - '1'  
 2732 - '2'  
 2764 - '3'  
 27128 - '4'

OR TOUCH "RETURN" TO RETURN TO MAIN MENU

The program will output a certain amount of object code at one time depending on the EPROM size you choose. Select the EPROM size by pressing [1], [2], or [3] on the keyboard.

Currently, the 8400 GP, R, MP, Bandit III and Bandit IV use 2716 EPROM's, and the 8400 GLC uses 2764's.

- Pressing [1] (selecting 2716) will transfer 2048 bytes at one time.
- Pressing [2] (selecting 2732) will transfer 4096 bytes at one time.
- Pressing [3] (selecting 2764) will transfer 8192 bytes at one time.
- Pressing [4] (selecting 27128) will transfer 16384 bytes at one time.

Initialize  
the PROM  
Programmer

Before starting the transfer, you must initialize the programmer and prepare it for receiving Intel Hex format. Some programmers require certain commands to allow them to receive Intel Hex format. Other programmers have keyboards which allow you to enable Intel Hex format directly.

Each prom programmer has its own way to enable Intel Hex format. Refer to your prom programmer manual to determine what is needed here.

The menu tells you that any Kaypro keyboard entry will be transferred to the serial port. You can use this to prepare the programmer for Intel Hex format, if required. The Kaypro will be in terminal mode until you hold [CTRL] and press [S] to begin transfer.

After you choose the EPROM size, the Object Output Ready Menu appears on the CRT screen:

OBJECT OUTPUT READY

KEYBOARD ENTRIES ARE NOW TRANSFERED TO SERIAL PORT.

TYPE WHATEVER IS NEEDED (CONSULT YOUR PROM PROGRAMMERS MANUAL)  
TO PROMPT THE PROGRAMMER TO RECEIVE INTEL HEX CODE FROM THE KAYPRO.

HOLD 'CRTL' AND TOUCH 'S' TO START TRANSFER

"ESC" = ABORT AND RETURN TO MAIN MENU

LOW 1\_

You are now ready to burn 2716 ICs. If you want to burn 2764 ICs you must press [s]. You will see the list of ICs on the screen. Select the 2764.

Prepare the programmer for Intel Hex by typing in [I] [P] [return] (For a Bay Tech prom burner). The Bay Tech will answer back and this information will appear on the Kaypro screen:

BAY TECHNICAL ASSOCIATES  
MODEL 953B EPROM PROGRAMMER  
COPYRIGHT 1982  
REV. BMR.2

**Burn the Prom**

Then hold [CTRL] and press [S] to begin the transfer (downloading).

The screen indicates "LOW 1". This tells you that the program is ready for the first transfer to start. After the prom is burned, this prom will go in the lower prom bank.

You can see the hex code on the screen as it is being output to the prom programmer.

When transfer of the object code to the Kaypro serial port is complete, one of two messages will appear:

- More to Transfer

This tells you that there are more EPROMs to burn for the PAL program.

- Transfer Complete

This tells you that all the code for the PAL program has been output.

More to  
Transfer

The screen for More to Transfer is:

THERE IS MORE TO TRANSFER

MENU

C = CONTINUE TO NEXT TRANSFER

R = REPEAT LAST TRANSFER

"RETURN" = RETURN TO MAIN MENU

This screen tells you there is more object code to transfer. It gives you three options.

- you can continue with the next block of object code to transfer (type [C])
- you can repeat the last transfer (type [R]) and make a duplicate of the last EPROM that was burned.
- you can go back to the Main Menu, (type [RETURN])

When you and the programmer are ready to burn the next EPROM, press [C]. The menu displayed on the CRT will be:

OBJECT OUTPUT READY

KEYBOARD ENTRIES ARE NOW TRANSFERED TO SERIAL PORT.

TYPE WHATEVER IS NEEDED (CONSULT YOUR PROM PROGRAMMERS MANUAL)  
TO PROMPT THE PROGRAMMER TO RECEIVE INTEL HEX CODE FROM THE KAYPRO.

HOLD 'CTRL' AND TOUCH 'S' TO START TRANSFER

"ESC" = ABORT AND RETURN TO MAIN MENU

HIGH 1\_

"HIGH 1," the next block of object code, is ready to transfer. When the programmer has been enabled to receive the Intel Hex format, hold [CTRL] and press [S] to begin the transfer.

The indication of HIGH 1 also means that when the prom is burned, it is plugged in the upper prom bank in the 8400.

Again, if there is more object code to transfer, the message "MORE TO TRANSFER" is given. Continue to output object code until all PROMs have been burned. Label each prom according to its position in the 8400 prom bank. For example, 1-lower, 1-upper, 2-lower, 2-upper, etc. Proms are always plugged into the CRT board, and will be in numeric sequence from left to right.

**Transfer Complete** If the transfer of object code is complete, you'll see the following message:

TRANSFER COMPLETE

R = REPEAT LAST TRANSFER

"RETURN" = RETURN TO MAIN MENU

This gives you two options.

- you can repeat the last transfer of the last block of object code (type [R]) and duplicate the last EPROM that was burned
- you can return to the Main Menu (type [RETURN])

**Messages Only Output** Press [M] when on the Hex Transfer Output Menu to select this function.

If you want to make a Messages Only Output, use this function. The serial output will be in Intel Hex format (see table 2 at the end of this section).

Transfer will occur in blocks according to the EPROM size you select in the menus. The menus, screens and messages that you see with Messages Only Output are basically the same as for Object Code Output. The procedures for output are the same.

**Source Code Output with Messages** Press [S] when on the Hex Transfer Output Menu to select this function. No compilation is required to transfer out source code.

This function transfers ladder source code, with I/O assignments and messages to the Kaypro serial port. Serial output will have Intel Hex format (see table 2 at the end of this section).



Transfer will occur in blocks according to the EPROM size you select in the menus. This feature was implemented to be compatible with early development equipment. The menus, screens and messages you see in Source Code Output with Messages is basically the same as for Object Code Output. The procedures for output are the same.

**PAL.COM System  
Messages During  
Output Hex**

Occasionally, during output of object code, it is necessary for the Kaypro to do some housekeeping. This may take few seconds. Messages will come up for a short time and then disappear. You may see:

SAVING OBJECT TEMPORARILY . . .

RESTORING OBJECT . . .

Because of memory constraints in the Kaypro, object code is saved in a disk file during this time. If there isn't enough room on the disk to save the object code, the following message will appear on the CRT screen:

SAVING OBJECT TEMPORARILY

DISK FILE FULL, COMMAND ABORTED

If you see this message, you'll have to start transfer again. Press any key on the keyboard to return to the Main Menu. Restart on an empty disk that has been initialized or the same error will occur.

4.10.2 Press [I] on the Hex Transfer Input & Output Menu to  
Input Hex select the input hex function. The following display  
will appear on the CRT screen:

HEX TRANSFER INPUT

MENU

S = SOURCE CODE INPUT (WITH MESSAGES OPTIONAL)  
A = APPEND SOURCE CODE INPUT TO EXISTING LADDER  
M = MESSAGES ONLY INPUT

OR TOUCH "RETURN" TO RETURN TO MAIN MENU

Source Code      Press [S] when on Hex Transfer Input Menu to select this  
Input (With      function. The following menu will appear on the CRT  
Messages        screen:  
Optional)

WAITING FOR INPUT...

KEYBOARD ENTRIES ARE NOW TRANSFERED TO SERIAL PORT.

TYPE WHATEVER IS NEEDED (CONSULT YOUR PROM PROGRAMMERS MANUAL)  
TO PROMPT THE PROGRAMMER TO TRANSFER THE PROM IN INTEL HEX CODE

EXAMPLE:

"ESC" = ABORT AND RETURN TO MAIN MENU

This function makes the Kaypro ready to receive ladder source code with I/O assignments and messages. The device that provides the source code input may not be an EPROM programmer. What is required is that the device give serial input in Intel Hex format and the input must be in blocks of code compatible with EPROM sizes for 8400 controls.

Any ladder source code that is not stored in a disk file, one that is currently in the program, will be destroyed by this command.

The device must be requested to transmit Intel Hex format. Some programmers require commands from the Kaypro serial port to request them to transmit Intel Hex. Other programmers have keyboards which allow requesting Intel Hex format directly.

Each prom programmer has its own way to enable Intel Hex. Refer to your prom programmer manual to determine what is needed here.

Any Kaypro keyboard entry will be transferred to the serial port. This can be used to request the programmer to transmit Intel Hex. The Kaypro will be in terminal mode until transfer begins.

As the ladder source code is received at the serial port, you will see colons on the CRT.

After the ladder source code has been transferred, the following message will appear on the CRT screen:

IS THERE MORE SOURCE CODE TO INPUT? Y/N

If there is more ladder source code to receive, press [Y] on the keyboard. You'll see the following menu:

WAITING FOR INPUT...

KEYBOARD ENTRIES ARE NOW TRANSFERRED TO SERIAL PORT.

TYPE WHATEVER IS NEEDED (CONSULT YOUR PROM PROGRAMMERS MANUAL)  
TO PROMPT THE PROGRAMMER TO TRANSFER THE PROM IN INTEL HEX CODE

EXAMPLE:

"ESC" = ABORT AND RETURN TO MAIN MENU

Once you've set up the prom programmer, or other device, to output Intel Hex the transfer will begin.

If there is more ladder source code to transfer, press [Y] for yes. If the transfer is complete press [N] for no. If the transfer completed successfully the following message will appear on the CRT screen:

FILE TRANSFER COMPLETED TOUCH 'RETURN' TO RETURN TO MAIN MENU

**Possible Error**     The PAL program will check to see that the source code input contains I/O assignment information. If I/O assignments are not present the following error messages will appear on the CRT:

SOURCE CODE ERROR!  
TOUCH 'RETURN' TO RETURN TO MAIN MENU

You can only touch [RETURN] on the Kaypro keyboard to return to the Main Menu page. If there are no I/O assignments in the source code, this error does not occur on Append or Message load.

**Append Source  
Code Input to  
Existing Ladder**

Press [A] when on the Hex Transfer Input menu to select this function.

Any I/O assignments or messages in the source input will be added to the end of any existing ladder already present in the Kaypro. The sequence of operations for this function are similar to Source Code Input.

**Messages Only  
Input**

Press [M] when on the Hex Transfer Input Menu to select this function.

Any existing messages already present in the Kaypro will be destroyed by this function. Any I/O assignment or ladder rungs already existing in the Kaypro memory will not be disturbed.

The messages that are input must contain all 40 messages. If all 40 Messages are not present the Message Display and Modify function will not work properly.

As the ladder message input is received at the serial port, colons will be shown on the CRT.

After the ladder message input has been transferred, the following message will appear on the CRT screen:

MESSAGE INPUT COMPLETE, NO ERRORS

TOUCH 'RETURN' TO RETURN TO MAIN MENU

**Possible Error**

If the messages are too long, the following will be displayed on the CRT screen:

ERROR!! MESSAGE INPUT TOO LONG

TOUCH [RETURN] TO RETURN TO MAIN MENU

If the data input during this time doesn't contain valid message data, the Message Display and Modify function will not work properly.

4.10.3 Press [T] when on the Hex Transfer In and Out Menu to  
Terminal select this function. The following message will appear on  
the CRT screen:

TERMINAL MODE - HOLD "CTRL" AND TOUCH "E" TO RETURN TO MAIN MENU

This function is used to gain access to any additional features that may be provided on a prom programmer.

Any keyboard inputs will be transferred to the serial port and also to the CRT screen. For instance the Bay Technical Associates prom programmer will list a prom from address 0 to 10 by typing

[L] [0] [,] [1] [0] [RETURN].

Refer to your prom programmer manual for these features.

To exit the terminal mode hold [CTRL] and press [E] on the keyboard. This will cause the Main Menu to be displayed on the CRT screen.

4.11 This function is used to print the I/O assignments, PAL  
Print program, and messages. Each can be printed separately or all together.

Press [P] when on the Main Menu page to select this function. The following menu will appear on the CRT screen:

SELECT PAGE TO BE PRINTED

I = PRINT I/O ASSIGNMENTS  
L = PRINT LADDER  
M = PRINT MESSAGES  
A = PRINT ALL PAGES (MESSAGES, I/O, LADDER)

"RETURN" = RETURN TO MAIN MENU

- Press [I] to print the I/O assignments.
- Press [M] to print the messages.
- Press [L] to print the PAL program.
- Press [A] to print the I/O assignments, messages, and PAL program all together.

Possible Error      If the printer is not ready (i.e. cable missing or printer is not on line) the following message will appear on the CRT screen:

PRINTER NOT READY

TOUCH 'RETURN' TO RETURN TO MAIN MENU

Press the [RETURN] key on the Kaypro keyboard to return to the Main Menu. Correct the problem with the printer, then try your print out again.

4.12  
Using  
XREFLAD.COM

As mentioned in chapter 4.1, Allen-Bradley provides a file called XREFLAD.COM.

S-BASIC is no longer supplied by Kaypro. It is supplied by Allen-Bradley when you purchase the Kaypro through Allen-Bradley. If you did not purchase the Kaypro through Allen-Bradley, you must purchase S-BASIC separately.

XREFLAD.COM should be part of your Main Disk, as described in chapter 4.1 of this manual.

XREFLAD.COM is used to generate a cross reference between the flags and variables in your PAL program, and the rungs in your PAL program.

Rules                The PAL program that you cross reference must be a PAL source code file stored on your Data Disk.

Only flags and variables that begin with a letter coded are cross referenced to rungs in the PAL program. The cross reference is generated in alphabetical order for the following:

- A001 to A040
- B001 to B080
- C001 to C016
- D001 to D010
- G001 to G040
- H001 to H100
- L001 to L040
- M001 to M040
- N001 to N100
- R001 to R120
- T001 to T016

You can output the cross reference to the Kaypro CRT, or to a printer.

Getting  
Started

Before you start generating the cross reference, first make sure that any active PAL program (one that is in PAL.COM) is saved to a disk file.

To use XREFLAD.COM, you have to call it up under CP/M. Leaving PAL.COM and going to the CP/M operating system will destroy any PAL program that is active in PAL.COM.

With any active PAL program that you want to keep safely in a disk file, access CP/M. You can do this from the the Main Menu of PAL.COM by holding [CTRL] and typing [C].

Loading  
XREFLAD

While in CP/M, access XREFLAD.COM by typing

XREFLAD [RETURN]

Important: This assumes that XREFLAD.COM is on your Main Disk, along with CP/M. Also, the Main Disk is in disk drive A, which is the default drive. We also assume that your Data Disk is in drive B, and the PAL program source code is in a file on this disk.

Enter the Date

XREFLAD should now load, and when loading is complete you should see the following on the CRT:

ENTER THE DATE (00/00/00) >? \_

Type in the date you want to appear with the cross reference. Only the first 8 characters you type will be used. You can see that the program gives you an example before the prompt. When you finish entering the date, press [RETURN].

Enter the PAL  
Program File  
Name

Next, the program requests the name of the file that the PAL program source code is in. The CRT shows:

ENTER FILE NAME A:FILE.SRC 'RETURN' ? \_

The program gives you an example before the prompt. Type in the name of the source code file you want to cross reference. Note that you must adhere to CP/M file name conventions; include the disk drive letter and the ":", if appropriate. Type the file name with all caps (the [CAPS LOCK] key should be ON). When you finish entering the file name, press [RETURN].

Enter the Page  
Heading

The program now requests the message that you want to appear at the top of each page of the cross reference listing. The CRT shows:

```
ENTER THE PAGE HEADING (FILE) >? _
```

Type in a heading. Only the first 47 characters that you enter will be used. When you finish entering the heading, press [RETURN].

Select the  
Output Device

Next, the program wants to know where you want the listing of the cross reference to occur. You have the choice of listing it on the CRT or on a printer, as the CRT shows:

```
PRINT THE XREF TO CONSOLE (C) OR PRINTER (P) >? _
```

**Important:** If you choose to list on the CRT (console), the listing will scroll as more data is added. Data that scrolls off the screen cannot be viewed again. To stop the scrolling, hold [CTRL] and press [S]. To resume scrolling, hold [CTRL] and press [S] again. If you select the printer for output make sure the printer is connected and operating properly before selecting the printer option.

- To choose the CRT, type [C] [RETURN].
- To choose the printer, type [P] [RETURN].



**Loading the  
File**

When you press [RETURN] after making your choice, the disk drive with the PAL program source file will activate. The file will load, and after it finishes loading the CRT will show:

(Press any key to turn off disk motor if you want.)

The disk drive probably won't be running at this point anyway.

**Possible Error**

If XREFLAD cannot find your PAL program file on the disk, the following message will appear on the CRT:

S-TYPE FILE NOT FOUND ERROR IN LINE 0108

WARM BOOT

A>

System control has automatically returned to CP/M. All of the previous steps, starting with Loading XREFLAD must be performed again to generate your cross reference. Make sure you have the file name correct, and that the file is on disk.

**Waiting for  
the Output**

If the file has been found successfully, the XREFLAD program will start to sort the flags and variables. This process could take up to 10 minutes or longer depending on the length of your PAL program.

**Important:** There is no visual indication that the sort is in progress.

After the sort is complete, the cross reference listing will be output to the specified output device. When the cross reference output is complete, system control will return to CP/M.

**For an Example**

For an example of XREFLAD cross reference output, see the last topic in section 3.



5.  
8400 PAL  
Instructions

Each 8400 PAL instruction in this section is defined by its:

- name
- display format
- keyboard entry code
- possible addresses (flags, variables, timers, counters)
- execution time
- number of object code bytes
- description with an example.

If this is your first look at instructions:

- Scan the groups of instructions given below. Try to get an idea of what each group does. If you want to read about each group, look on the page number for the group.

If you are familiar with instructions, but want a refresher:

- Note the page number for the group of the instruction you want.
- Look in the group for the instruction you want.

Instructions are grouped into these areas:

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-] [- examine on  
-]/[- examine off

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-(LBL)- label

- 5.3 Control Instructions.....5-9
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  - (OTD)- output de-energize
  - (OTL)- output latch
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- 5.4 GET and PUT Instructions.....5-18
  - (GET)- get
  - (GTI)- get immediate
  - (DGT)- double length get
  - (PUT)- put
  - (DPT)- double length put
  
- 5.5 Compare Instructions.....5-24
  - (EQL)- equal
  - (EQI)- equal immediate
  - (LES)- less than
  - (LSI)- less than immediate
  
- 5.6 Math Instructions.....5-29
  - (ADD)- add
  - (ADI)- add immediate
  - (SUB)- subtract
  - (SBI)- subtract immediate
  - (MUL)- multiply
  - (MLI)- multiply immediate
  - (DIV)- divide
  - (DVI)- divide immediate
  
- 5.7 Logic Instructions.....5-38
  - (SLL)- shift logically left
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- 5.8 Timer Instructions.....5-43
  - (TON)- timer on
  - (TOF)- timer off
  - (RTO)- retriggerable timer on
  - (RTR)- retriggerable timer reset
  
- 5.9 Counter Instructions.....5-49
  - (CTU)- count up
  - (CTD)- count down
  - (CTR)- counter reset

5.1  
Examine  
Instructions

Examine instructions are always:

- part of an input group on a rung
- used to test the state of flags or timers, or real I/O.

They form true preconditions (continuous logic paths) when their addressed flags or timers are:

- internal logic 1 = examine on (-) [-] true precondition
- internal logic 0 = examine off (-)/[(-) true precondition

PAL operates on a "snapshot" of the inputs. Real inputs (R flags and V variables) are read into PAL at the beginning of each ladder pass. The PAL program is performed, then the real outputs are updated at the end of the ladder pass.

Pay special attention to how the examine instructions work with inverted I/O and real inputs and outputs. We recommend you use normal I/O.



Flag or Timer  
-}/[-

Examine Off    Keyboard Entry Code.....02  
Possible Flags or Timers...R001-R120, B001-B080, T001-T016  
  M001-M040, N001-N100, H001-H100  
Execution Time (usec.).....4.0  
Object Code Bytes.....8

An examine off instruction forms a true precondition (a continuous logic path) when its addressed flag or timer is false (=0 and off in PAL with normal I/O). It forms a false precondition (a broken logic path) when its addressed flag or timer is true (=1 and on in PAL with normal I/O).

		COOLANT
B009		R100
----}[/	-----	(OTD)----

In this rung, if flag B009 is false (=0), the examine off instruction forms a true precondition. The rung has a continuous logic path and the OTD (output de-energize) instruction resets the real flag R100 to 0 until B009 again becomes true.

Remember, if you select inverted I/O, real inputs and outputs are "true" and "on" when they are equal to a logic 0 (false and off in PAL). They are "false" and "off" when they are equal to a logic 1 (true and on in PAL).

If you have selected inverted I/O and a real input R flag is 1 (off for inverted I/O), an examine off instruction monitoring that flag forms a false precondition. We recommend that you use normal I/O, whenever possible, to avoid any confusion.

**5.2** These instructions allow you to jump forward in PAL  
**Transfer** program execution. They can be used to skip portions of  
**Execution** the ladder that only need to be performed at certain  
**Instructions** times.

Backward jumps are not allowed. A LBL instruction must follow its GTO in the current ladder pass.

**Important:** the value of L-words, A-words, B-words, N-words, and R-words, that are only set and reset in a GO-TO loop will not change when the loop is jumped over.

GO-TOs are important because they reduce the execution time of the PAL program.



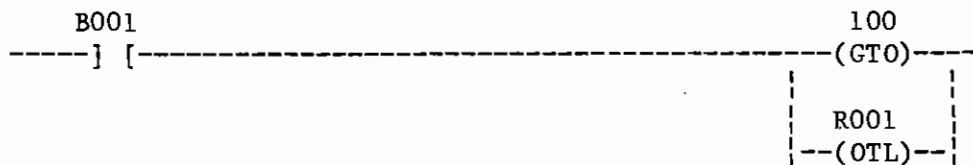
Destination Label Number  
-(GTO)-

GTO      Keyboard Entry Code.....89  
(Go To Label) Possible Immediate Values..001-999  
          Execution Time (usec.).....4.6  
          Object Code Bytes.....7

When rung preconditions are true, the GTO instruction transfers ladder execution to a rung with a corresponding LBL instruction. The value of the GTO instruction must match the value of the desired label. The immediate value of the GTO and the immediate value of the LBL must be the same. The LBL instruction must follow the GTO in the current ladder pass.

GTO and LBL are used to skip portions of the ladder that don't need to be executed unless certain conditions are present. When preconditions of the rung are false, the GTO has no effect and ladder execution resumes with the next rung in the ladder.

If the GTO instruction is one of several parallel outputs on a rung, it should be the last sub-rung in the output group. If the GTO is not the last sub-rung, the sub-rungs that follow the GTO will not be executed when rung preconditions are true.



In this rung, when rung preconditions are true the GTO is executed first and the OTL (output latch) of R001 is never performed.

For an example of using GTO and LBL, see the definition of the LBL instruction on the next page.



5.3 Control Instructions

Control instructions are always:

- part of an output group on a rung
- used to control flags.

They affect flags differently depending on whether rung preconditions are true or false.

- OTE and OTD toggle flags according to the rung preconditions
- OTL and OTU operate only when rung preconditions are true

During one ladder pass, the last OTE (or OTD) wins. If more than one rung has an OTE of a flag, only the last one has any real effect on the flag.

PAL operates on a "snapshot" of the inputs. Real inputs (R flags and V variables) are read into PAL at the beginning of each ladder pass. The PAL program is performed, then the real outputs are updated at the end of the ladder pass.

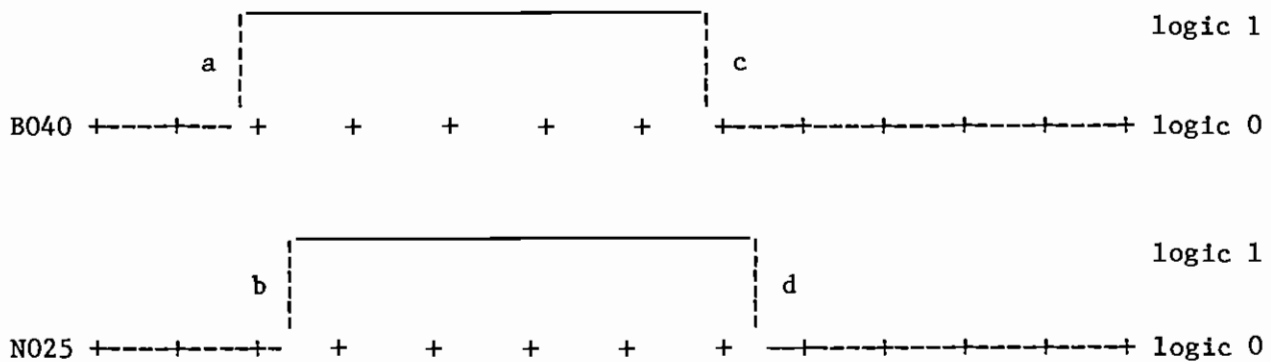
Pay special attention to how the control instructions work with inverted I/O and real inputs and outputs. We recommend you use normal I/O.



TIMING DIAGRAMS

EXAMPLE 1: INTERNAL FLAGS (B, M, and N) WITH OTE

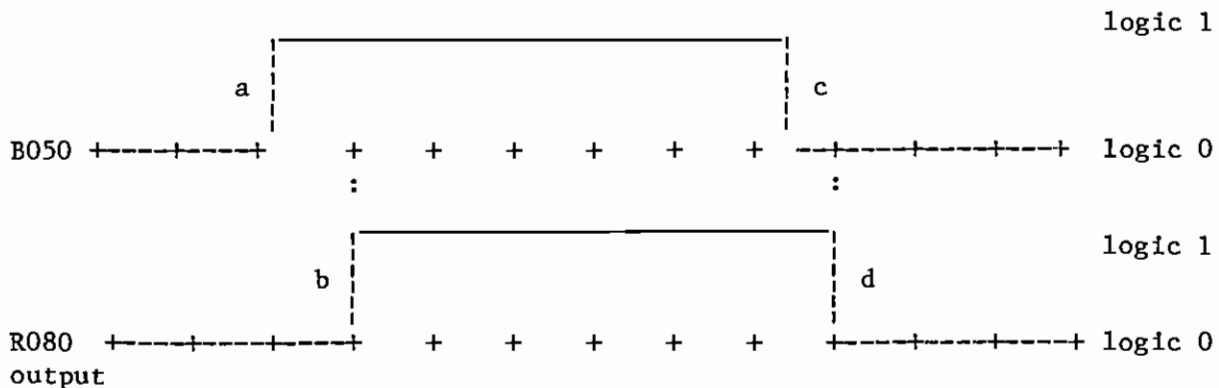
NOTE: + = one ladder pass = 40 ms.



- a) B040 set true (sometime after execution of the rung)
- b) N025 set true next time rung is executed
- c) B040 reset false
- d) N025 reset false next time rung is executed

EXAMPLE 2: REAL OUTPUTS (R) WITH OTE

NOTE: + = one ladder pass = 40 ms.



- a) B050 set true
- b) R080 real output set true at end of current ladder pass
- c) B050 reset false
- d) R080 real output reset false at end of current ladder pass

Flag  
 -(OTD)-

OTD Keyboard Entry Code.....11  
 (Output Possible Flags.....R001-R120, B001-B080  
 Deenergize) MO01-M040, N001-N100  
 Execution Time (usec.).....4.6  
 Object Code Bytes.....7

When the rung preconditions are true, the OTD instruction resets its addressed flag to false (=0) . If rung preconditions are false, the addressed flag is automatically set true (=1).

Internally, flags are updated for the preconditions of the rung each time the rung is executed. PAL can examine the change in state of these flags during the current ladder pass.



In this rung, if R093 is false (=0), the examine off instruction will form a true precondition. Message flag M020 is false because of the OTD instruction. If R093 goes true (=1), the examine off instruction will form a false precondition. M020 will energize because the preconditions for the OTD are false. See example 1 in the timing diagrams on the next page.

For R flags used with OTD, the state of the real output, corresponding to the flag, is updated at the end of the ladder pass in which the rung preconditions change. So, if the rung preconditions for an OTD of an R flag change, PAL and the CNC will register the result, but the real output won't be affected until immediately after the current ladder pass has ended.

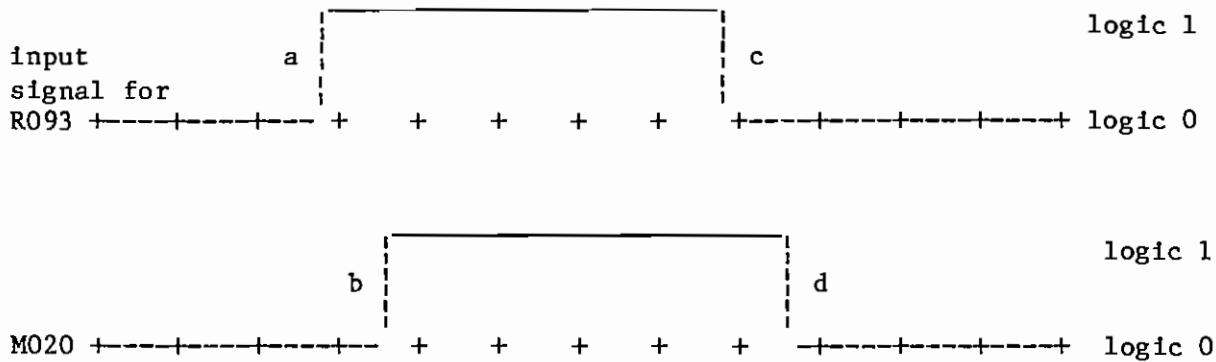


In this case, as long as M020 is false (=0) the examine off instruction forms a true precondition. R070 will be de-energized (=0). When M020 goes true (=1), the real output for R070 will be energized (=1) at the end of the ladder pass. See example 2 in the timing diagrams on the next page.

TIMING DIAGRAMS

EXAMPLE 1: INTERNAL FLAGS (B, M, and N) WITH OTD

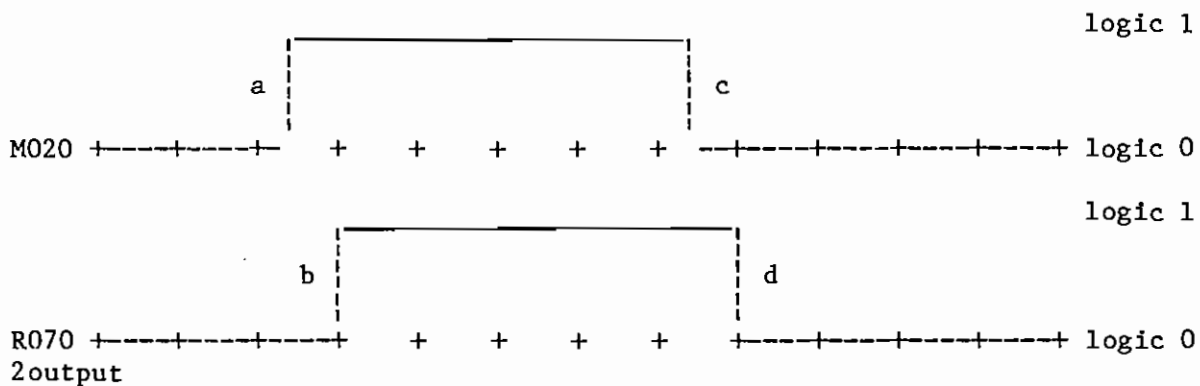
NOTE: + = one ladder pass = 40 ms.



- a) R093 input signal goes true (R093 flag updated at the beginning of next ladder pass.
- b) M020 set true when the rung is executed.
- c) R093 input signal goes false (R093 flag updated at the beginning of next ladder pass.
- d) M020 made false when the rung is executed.

EXAMPLE 2: REAL OUTPUTS (R) WITH OTD

NOTE: + = one ladder pass = 40 ms.



- a) M020 goes true
- b) R070 real output set true at the end of the current ladder pass
- c) M020 goes false
- d) R070 real output reset false at the end of the current ladder pass

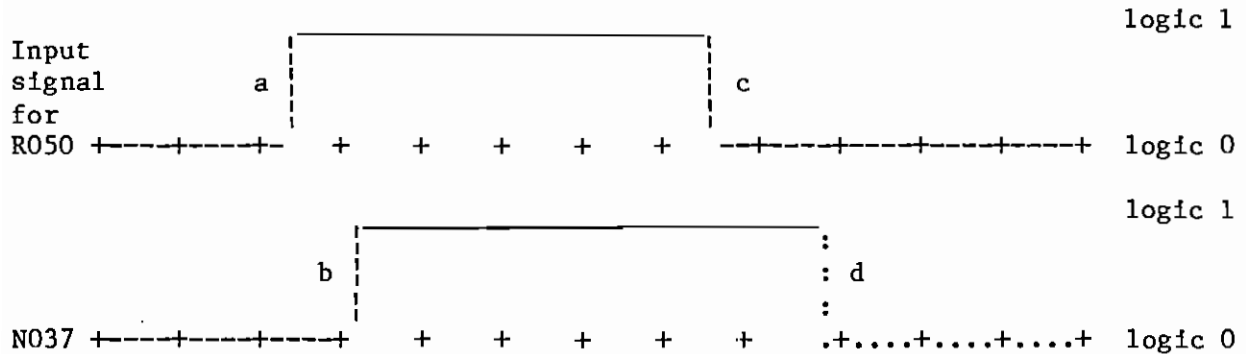




TIMING DIAGRAMS

EXAMPLE 1: INTERNAL FLAGS (B, M, and N) WITH OTL

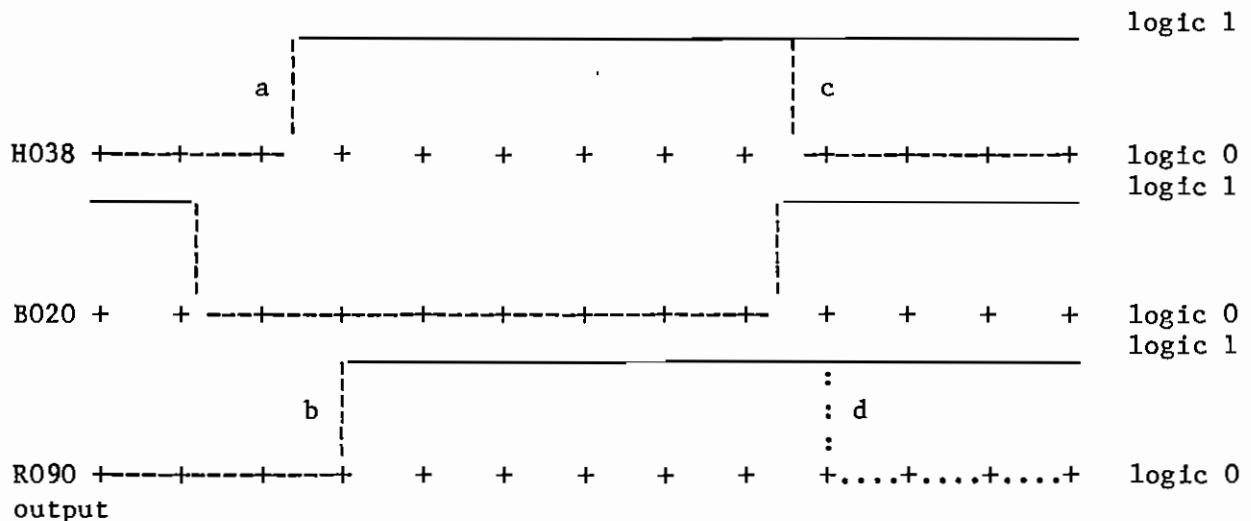
NOTE: + = one ladder pass = 40 ms.



- a) Input signal for R050 goes true. The real input corresponding to R050 is read by PAL at the beginning of the next ladder pass.
- b) N037 is latched true the next time the rung is executed.
- c) Input signal for R050 goes false. The real input corresponding to R050 is read by PAL at the beginning of the next ladder pass
- d) N037 is not affected by the rung (although it would probably be unlatched shortly after by another ladder rung).

EXAMPLE 2: REAL OUTPUTS (R) WITH OTL

NOTE: + = one ladder pass = 40 ms.



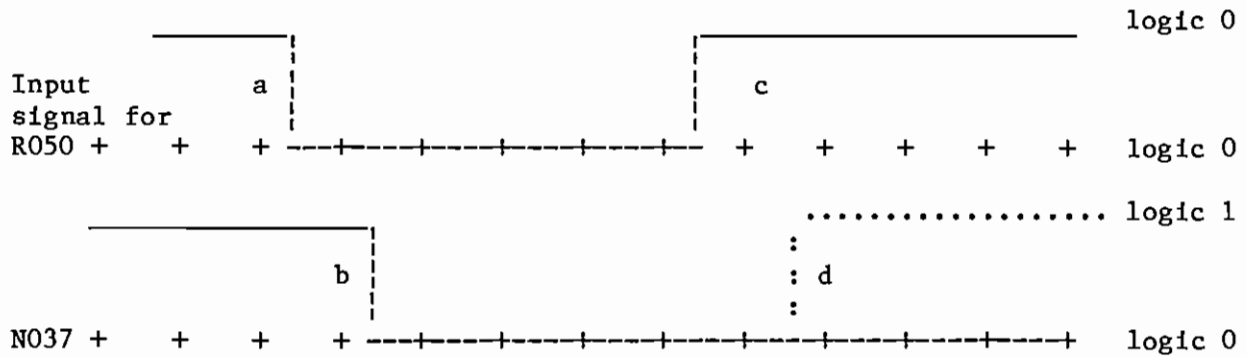
- a) H038 goes true
- b) With B020 false, R090 real output is latched true when executed and outputted at the end of the current ladder pass.
- c) B020 goes true and H038 goes false
- d) R090 real output is not affected by the change in rung preconditions (although R090 would probably be unlatched by another ladder rung shortly after in PAL).



TIMING DIAGRAMS

EXAMPLE 1: INTERNAL FLAGS (B, M, and N) WITH OTU

NOTE: + = one ladder pass = 40 ms.



- a) Input signal for R050 goes false. Update of real input flag R050 occurs at the beginning of the next ladder pass.
- b) N037 is unlatched the next time the rung is executed (after the R050 flag has been updated).
- c) Input signal for R050 goes true. Update of real input R050 occurs at the beginning of the next ladder pass.
- d) N037 is not affected by the change in rung preconditions (although N037 would probably be latched by another ladder rung shortly after).

EXAMPLE 2: REAL OUTPUTS (R) WITH OTU

NOTE: + = one ladder pass = 40 ms.



- a) H038 goes false
- b) R090 real output is unlatched when executed and outputted at the end of the current ladder pass.
- c) H030 goes true
- d) R090 remains unlatched. The change in rung preconditions has no effect on R090 (although it would probably be latched in another rung shortly after).

5.4  
GET and PUT  
Instructions

GET and PUT instruction are used to move values around in PAL.

GET instructions are always part of an input group in a rung. They copy the value of an addressed variable or counter, then load the accumulator with it.

PUT instructions are always part of an output group in a rung. They take values from the accumulator and place them in the variables of counters.

Values in PAL are:

- 16 bit unsigned binary single length words
- 32 bit unsigned binary double length words
- 16 bit BCD values having a 4 digit decimal equivalent
- decimal immediate values from 0 to 65535

Values are found in:

- the accumulator, a 16 bit or 32 bit internal register used to hold values during operations in PAL
- variables, 16 bit and 32 bit registers allocated in PAL for the storage of values
- counters, 16 bit binary up/down false to true precondition edge triggered counters

Most values in PAL correspond to 16 bit unsigned binary words and have a range of 0 to 65535 decimal. Double length values, 32 bit unsigned binary words, are generated from multiply or divide instructions, and can be used. When they are used, they are put in D variables for internal storage, and moved with double length get and double length put instructions. Double length values are useful with the multiply instruction when calculation results in values greater than 65535 decimal.

Variable or Counter  
-(GET)-

GET Keyboard Entry Code.....40  
Possible Variables or Counters.....A001-A040,  
CO01-C016, L001-L040  
GO01-G040, V001-V040  
Execution Time (usec.).....2.8  
Object Code Bytes.....4

A GET instruction copies the value of its addressed variable or counter and writes it into the accumulator.

MFUNC		COOLANT
GO01	00008	B008
---(GET)-----	(EQI)-----	-----(OTE)---

In this rung, the GET instruction copies the current value of GO01 and writes it into the accumulator. The EQI (equal immediate) instruction compares the contents of the accumulator with 8. If the accumulator contains 8, the EQI instruction forms a true precondition. The rung has a continuous logic path and the OTE (output enable) instruction sets flag B008 true (=1). If GO01 has any value other than 8, flag B008 is reset false (=0).

This rung would normally only be executed if an H033 (MSTR) flag was true (=1) from the CNC.

Immediate value  
-(GTI)-

GTI Keyboard Entry Code.....50  
(Get Immediate) Possible Immediate Values..00000-65535  
Execution Time (usec.).....0.8  
Object Code Bytes.....3

A GTI instruction writes its immediate value into the accumulator.

02000	S1REQ
---	L002
---(GTI)---	------(PUT)---

In this rung, the GTI instruction writes 2000 into the accumulator. The PUT instruction takes the value in the accumulator and puts it into variable L002. The L002 variable is a PAL to CNC word for the requested spindle RPM.

DOUBLE VARIABLE  
-(DGT)-

DGT	Keyboard Entry Code.....60
(Double Length	Possible Double Variables..D001-D010
Get)	Execution Time (usec.).....6.4
	Object Code Bytes.....10

A DGT instruction copies the value of its addressed variable and writes it into the accumulator.

V002	00005	D004
---(GET)---	---(MLI)---	---(DPT)---

In this rung, the GET instruction writes the variable V002 into the accumulator. The MLI instruction multiplies its immediate value by the value in the accumulator. The DPT instruction puts the product into double variable D004.

A DGT instruction is similar to a GET, except that a DGT copies a 32-bit word and a GET copies a 16-bit word. For 32-bit operations, you must use a DGT with DPT (double length put). If you use DGT with a PUT (single length put), only the lower 16 bits are transferred into the variable that PUT addresses.





Double variable  
-(DPT)-

DPT	Keyboard Entry Code.....69
(Double Length	Possible Double Variables..D001-D010
Put)	Execution Time (usec.).....8.4
	Object Code Bytes.....14

When rung preconditions are true, the DPT instruction puts the current value of the accumulator into the addressed variable. If rung preconditions are false, the DPT instruction will be ignored. The DPT instruction is used with 32 bit operations.

The DPT instruction operates like a PUT, except the word length is doubled to 32 bits. The DPT instruction can be used with the DGT (double length get) instruction and still maintain 32 bit operations. Also, the DPT instruction must be used with the MLI (multiply) instruction when the result may exceed the value of 65535.

1000                      500    D001  
----(GTI)------(MLI)------(DPT)-----

This rung loads 1000 into the accumulator, multiplies it by the immediate value 500. This number is more than 16 bits long, (single word length) so you must use the DPT instruction to put this number into double length variable D001 and still store the complete number in the 32 bit register.

5.5  
Compare  
Instruction

Compare instructions are always part of an input group in a rung.

They address single length variables, counters or immediate values and form true preconditions when:

- the value is equal to the accumulator, EQL and EQI
- the value is less than the accumulator, LES and LSI.

Variable or Counter  
-(EQL)-

EQL Keyboard Entry Code.....45  
(Equal) Possible Variables or Counter.....A001-A040,  
C001-C016, L001-L040,  
G001-G040  
Execution Time (usec.).....5.2  
Object Code Bytes.....8

The EQL instruction compares the value of its addressed variable or counter with the value in the accumulator. It forms a true precondition if they are equal. If the values are not equal, the EQL instruction forms a false precondition.

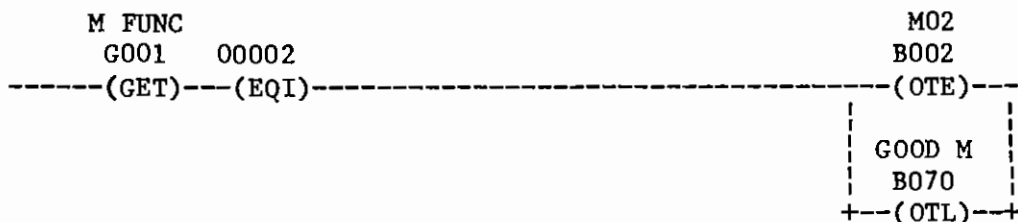
S1REQ	S1RPM	SP. SPEED OK
L002	G007	B010
----(GET)----	(EQL)-----	------(OTE)-----

In this rung, the GET instruction writes the value of L002 (spindle speed demand from PAL) into the accumulator. The EQL instruction compares the value in the accumulator (L002) with the value in G007 (actual spindle speed from the CNC). If the two values are equal, rung preconditions are true and the OTE instruction sets flag B010 true (=1). If the values are not equal, rung preconditions are false and B010 will automatically be reset false (=0).

Immediate value  
 -(EQI)-

EQI Keyboard Entry Code.....55  
 (Equal Possible Immediate Values..00000-65535  
 Immediate) Execution Time (usec.).....4.0  
 Object Code Bytes.....8

The EQI instruction compares its immediate value with the value in the accumulator. If they are equal, the EQI instruction forms a true precondition.



This ladder sequence might be part of an M-function decoding section. The GET instruction writes the value of G001 (M-function number from the CNC) into the accumulator. The EQI instruction compares its immediate value (2) with the value in the accumulator (G001). If the values are equal, rung preconditions are true, and flag B002 will be set true (=1). PAL flag B070 is latched true (=1) at the same time.

If the current M-function number is not equal to 2, rung preconditions are false and B002 is automatically reset false (=0). Flag B070 is not automatically reset when rung preconditions are false. It must be unlatched false elsewhere in the ladder program, perhaps to indicate an invalid M-code.

Variable or Counter  
-(LES)-

LES Keyboard Entry Code.....46  
(Less Than) Possible Variables or Counters.....A001-A040,  
C001-C016, L001-L040,  
G001-G040  
Execution Time (usec.).....5.2  
Object Code Bytes.....8

The LES instruction compares the value in the accumulator with the value of its addressed variable. If the accumulator is less than the variable, the LES instruction forms a true precondition. If the accumulator is equal to or greater than the variable, the LES instruction forms a false precondition.

S1RPM	SPMIN	SPINDLE TOO SLOW
G007	L007	M015
---(GET)---	---(LES)---	---(OTE)---

In this rung, the GET instruction writes the value of G007 (the actual spindle speed based on encoder feedback) into the accumulator. The LES instruction compares L007 (the minimum spindle RPM for the current gear range) with the accumulator (G007). If the accumulator is less than L007, message flag M015 is set true (=1), and the message will be shown on the CRT.

If the accumulator is greater than L007, the message flag is automatically reset false (=0). The message is not shown because actual spindle speed is above the minimum allowed value.

Immediate value  
-(LSI)-

LSI Keyboard Entry Code.....56  
(Less Than Possible Immediate Values..00000-65535  
Immediate) Execution Time (usec.).....4.0  
Object Code Bytes.....8

The LSI instruction compares the accumulator with its immediate value. If the accumulator is less than the immediate value, the LSI instruction forms a true precondition. If the accumulator is equal to or greater than the immediate value, the LSI instruction forms a false precondition.

```
M FUNC
G001 00080                                048
---(GET)---(LSI)------(GTO)---
```

In this rung, the GET instruction writes the value of G001 (the current M-code programmed) into the accumulator. The LSI instruction compares its immediate value, 80, with the accumulator (G001). If the accumulator is less than 80, rung preconditions are true and ladder execution is transferred to a rung with a LBL - 048 instruction by the GTO. If the accumulator is equal to or greater than 80, ladder execution continues with the next rung.

(A)

```
M FUNC
G001 00080                                048
---(GET)---(LSI)------(GTO)---
```

(B)

```
M FUNC
0079 G001                                  048
---(GTI)---(LES)------(GTO)---
```

(A)= GTO 048 FOR G001 < 80

(B)= GTO 048 FOR G001  $\geq$  80

5.6 Math Instructions Math instructions are always part of an input group in a rung. They add, subtract, multiply, and divide values in PAL.

Math instructions address variables, counters or immediate values and perform their operations with the addressed value and the value in the accumulator. When their operation is finished, they load the accumulator with the result.

The values used by math instructions are usually 16 bit unsigned binary values, but multiply and divide instructions use 32 bit values (double length words). With multiply and divide instructions, the accumulator automatically expands to handle the extra bits.

You should always know in advance the type and range of values your math operations will deal with. Mixing 32 and 16 bit operations could result in a "loss" of bits, perhaps, by trying to put a 32 bit word into a 16 bit variable. In this case, only the lower 16 bits of the 32 bit word will transfer.

Math operations in PAL are not signed. There is no overflow indication. For example, with 16 bit math:

$$65535 + 1 = 0$$

$$0 - 1 = 65535$$

If operations could result in a negative number, expect to have to check a positive number later on.

PAL does integer math only. Any fractional result is truncated to the whole number part. For example,

$$23/5 \times 10 = \underline{40} \text{ -- truncated in PAL at } 23/5 = 4$$

$$23 \times 10/5 = 46 \text{ -- in PAL, which is the correct result}$$

You can see that the order of your math instructions becomes important. In the example above, the multiply instruction had to come before the divide to avoid a truncated result.

Multiply and divide instructions require a relatively large amount of execution time. They should be used sparingly and only when needed. Recommended practice for math instructions:

- Read G, V, and L variables
- Put the values into A variables
- Use the A variables for your math
- After math, put the result where it is needed

Variable or Counter  
-(ADD)-

ADD Keyboard Entry Code.....41  
Possible Variables or Counters.....A001-A040,  
C001-C016, L001-L040,  
G001-G040  
Execution Time (usec.).....3.0  
Object Code Bytes.....4

An ADD instruction adds the value of its addressed variable or counter to the current value in the accumulator, then writes the sum back into the accumulator.

```

A006   A007                                     L005
----(GET)---(ADD)----- (PUT)-----
```

In this rung, the GET instruction copies the value of A006 and stores it in the accumulator. The ADD instruction adds the value of A007 to the contents of the accumulator (A006), and writes the sum back into the accumulator. The PUT instruction copies the value in the accumulator (A006 + A007) and puts it into variable L005. Each time this rung is executed, the value of L005 equals the sum of A006 and A007.













Variable or Counter  
 -(DIV)-

DIV	Keyboard Entry Code.....	44
(Divide)	Possible Variables or Counters.....	A001-A040, C001-C016, L001-L040, G001-G040
	Execution Time (usec.).....	40.0
	Object Code Bytes.....	17

A DIV instruction divides the value in the accumulator by the value of its addressed variable or counter, then writes the quotient back into the accumulator.

```

L004      G002      A003                                L002
-----(GET)----(MUL)----(DIV)-----L002------(PUT)-----
  
```

In this rung, the GET instruction writes the value of L004 into the accumulator. The MUL instruction multiplies the value of G002 by the value in the accumulator (L004) and writes the product back into the accumulator. The DIV instruction divides the value in the accumulator (L004 x G002) by the value of A003, then writes the quotient back into the accumulator. The PUT instruction puts the value in the accumulator ((L004 x G002)/A003) into variable L002. Each time this rung is executed, the value of L004 is multiplied by the value of G002, this product is divided by the value of A003, then the quotient is written into variable L002.



**5.7** Logic instructions are always part of an input group in a  
**Logic** rung. They perform their operations directly on the value  
**Instructions** in the accumulator.

Shift instructions move the bits in the accumulator left or right, 1 to 15 times.

The binary to BCD and BCD to binary instructions convert the value in the accumulator between 4 digit BCD values and 16 bit binary values.

The BCD logic instructions require a relatively large amount of memory and execution time. They should be used sparingly and only when needed.



Immediate Value  
-(SLL)-

SLL	Keyboard Entry Code.....70
(Shift	Possible Immediate Values..01-15
Logically Left)	Execution Time (usec.).....16.0
	Object Code Bytes.....6

The SLL instruction shifts the value in the accumulator logically left the number of times given by its immediate value.

The accumulator is a 16 bit register. In a shift left operation, all 16 bits are shifted left. The least significant bits fill with zeroes and the most significant bits are lost. The accumulator can be shifted 1 to 15 times. For example,

0001 0010 0000 1111

shifted 8 times left is

0000 1111 0000 0000

See the SLR instruction on the next page for an example of using the SLL instruction.

Immediate Value  
 -(SLR)-

SLR Keyboard Entry Code.....71  
 Shift Possible Immediate Values..01-15  
 Logically Execution Time (usec.).....16.0  
 Right Object Code Bytes.....6

The SLR shifts the accumulator logically right the number of times given by its immediate value.

The accumulator is a 16 bit register. In a shift right operation, all 16 bits are shifted. The most significant bits fill with zeroes and the least significant bits are lost. The accumulator can be shifted 1 to 15 times.

					LO01
FRO			OR		TEMPFRO
V001	12	12	00016		A002
----(GET)---	----(SLL)---	----(SLR)---	----(ADI)---	-----	----(PUT)---
		TEMPFRO			FEERO
00016	A002				LO01
----(GTI)---	----(ADD)---	-----	-----	-----	----(PUT)---

In this example, the SLL and SLR instructions are used to properly adjust the value read from the feedrate override switch. The V001 variable is written into the accumulator by the GET instruction. The accumulator is shifted left 12 times, then right 12 times. This strips off the 12 most significant bits of V001, leaving the four lower bits. The result is put into A002 for temporary storage. For example,

$$V001 = 0010\ 0100\ 1100\ 1001$$

$$SLL\ 12\ times = 1001\ 0000\ 0000\ 0000$$

$$SLR\ 12\ times = 0000\ 0000\ 0000\ 1001 = A002$$

The last rung writes 16 into the accumulator with the GTI instruction. The ADD instruction adds A002 to the accumulator. The sum is put in L001, the value that the CNC reads for feedrate override.

$$16 + A002 = 0000\ 0000\ 0001\ 0000 + 0000\ 0000\ 0000\ 1001$$

$$L002 = 0000\ 0000\ 0001\ 1001 = 25$$

This procedure sends the feedrate override to the 8400 MP and Bandit III. If you are using the non-sequential switches, the value 16 is added to the four least significant bits of the value read from the switch. This tells the CNC to decode this value. 8400 controls that do not use non-sequential binary switches can load the four lower bits from the switch directly into L001.

-(BTD)-

BTD Keyboard Entry Code.....79  
 (Binary To BCD) Possible Binary Values to Convert....0 - 9999  
 Execution Time (usec.).....132.0  
 Object Code Bytes.....66

The BTD instruction converts the value in the accumulator from a binary value to a binary coded decimal (BCD) value. After conversion, the result is written back into the accumulator.

The accumulator is a 16 bit register. Every group of four bits can assume a BCD value, 0 to 9. So, BCD values range from 0 to 9999.

	<u>BCD</u>		<u>BCD</u>
0	0000	5	0101
1	0001	6	0110
2	0010	7	0111
3	0011	8	1000
4	0100	9	1001

M FUNC.		M-FUNC OUTPUT
G001		V003
-----(GET)-----	-(BTD)-----	------(PUT)-----

In this rung, the GET instruction writes the value of G001 into the accumulator. This is the binary value of the current M-code. The BTD instruction converts this value from 16 bit binary to BCD. The PUT instruction writes the BCD value to the V003 output variable.

If an M23 is active, the accumulator contains this value after the GET instruction:

0000 0000 0001 0111

After the BTD instruction, the accumulator contains:

0000 0000 0010 0011

which is BCD 23.

PAL allows 5 digit entries for most immediate values. The largest number that could be represented in BCD format, however, is 9999. Remember, the accumulator is limited to 16 bits, or four groups of four bits.

-(DTB)-

DTB      Keyboard Entry Code.....78  
(BCD To Binary) Possible BCD Values to Convert.....0 - 9999  
Execution Time (usec.).....37.2  
Object Code Bytes.....40

The DTB instruction converts the value in the accumulator from a BCD value to a binary value. After conversion, the result is written back into the accumulator.

The DTB instruction is useful when you have to convert BCD input values to binary before they are sent to the CNC.

```

                                CURRENT TOOL
                                LO08
V002            8            8
----(GET)----(SLL)----(SLR)----(DTB)------(PUT)----
```

In this rung, the GET instruction writes the V002 variable into the accumulator. V002 contains the BCD code for the tool position that is currently seated. This value is in the lower 8 bits of V002. Assume a 16 position turret is being used. If the turret is at station 16, the accumulator contains:

0000 0000 0001 0110      (BCD)

The shift instructions strip off the unused bits, then the DTB instruction converts this value to a binary number. The accumulator now contains:

0000 0000 0001 0000      (binary)

This value is put into L008, the PAL to CNC variable for the tool that is currently seated.

PAL allows 5 digit entries for most immediate values. The largest number that could be represented in BCD format, however, is 9999. Remember, the accumulator is limited to 16 bits, or four groups of four bits.

- 5.8 Timer instructions are:
- Timer Instruction
- always part of an output group in a rung
  - edge triggered by the false to true change in preconditions of the rung

There are 16 timers that you can use in PAL. The timer instructions address these timers.

The time that a timer is on is given by an immediate value with the timer on, or retriggerable timer on, instructions. The immediate value for time can be in the range 0 to 65535, where each count stands for 10 ms. of time.

**Important:** PAL only executes once every 40 msecs. A timer set for less than 40 msecs. will time out before the next execution of PAL.

While a timer is on, its state corresponds to a logic 1. When the timer is off or timed out, its state corresponds to a logic 0. PAL can examine the state of timers with examine on and examine off instructions.

Timers are turned on or off according to the preconditions of the rung they are in. The preconditions must go from false to true for a timer instruction to have an effect. So, if you have a rung that controls a timer, you must control the preconditions of the rung to make the timer do what you want. A rung with a timer that goes from false to true and never goes false again is probably useless.

When a timer is retriggered, the time out of the timer begins again according to the amount of time given by the specified immediate value.

Timer  
 -(TON)-

TON Keyboard Entry Code.....20  
 (Timer On) Possible Timers.....T001-T016  
 Possible Values For Time...00001-65535 (10 ms. per count)  
 Execution Time (usec.).....12.8  
 Object Code Bytes.....24

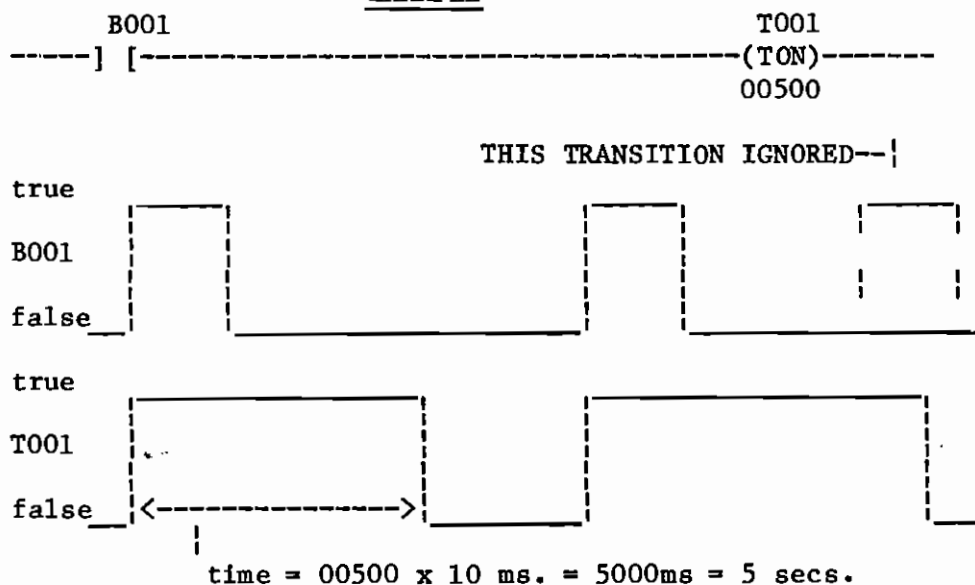
When rung preconditions go from false to true, the TON instruction turns its addressed timer on (true = 1) for the amount of time indicated by the immediate value for time. This means that timers are false to true edge triggered. Time is measured in units of 10 ms. An immediate value of 65535 (655.35 secs. the decimal point is assumed) turns on the timer for approximately 10 minutes and 55 seconds.

Initially, the timer is false (=0). This corresponds to a timed out condition. When rung preconditions go from false to true, the timer is set true (=1). The timer will remain true until "time" has elapsed or until turned off with a TOF instruction.

**Important:** The TON instruction is not "retriggerable." If rung preconditions go from false to true while the timer is on, the transition is ignored. If a timer is stranded in a GO-TO loop and not executed, it may not have seen a false to true transition. Without a false to true transition the counter will not reset and restart.

For all timers      T001    Indicates Timer      T001    Indicates Timer is not  
                          -[ ]-    is active                           -[/]-    active or has timed out

EXAMPLE

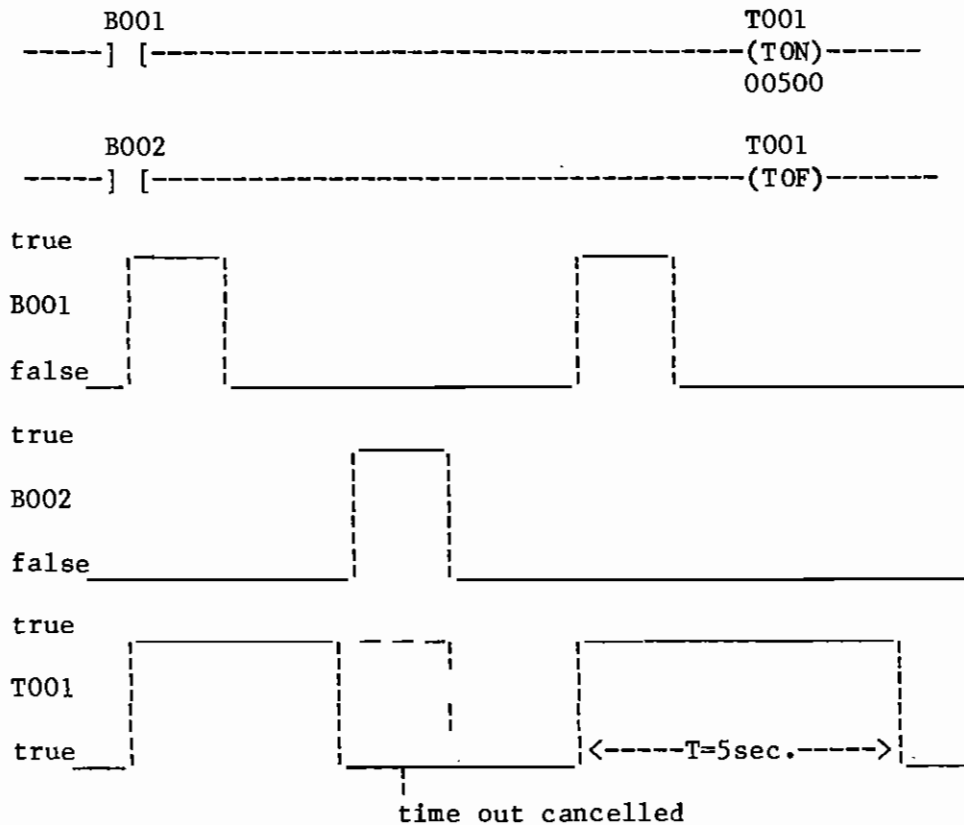


Timer  
 -(TOF)-

TOF Keyboard Entry Code.....21  
 (Timer Off) Possible Timers.....T001-T016  
 Execution Time (usec.).....4.8  
 Object Code Bytes.....9

When rung preconditions go from false to true, the TOF instruction resets its addressed timer to off (false = 0). This corresponds to a timed out condition. As long as rung preconditions remain true, the addressed timer is held false (=0).

EXAMPLE



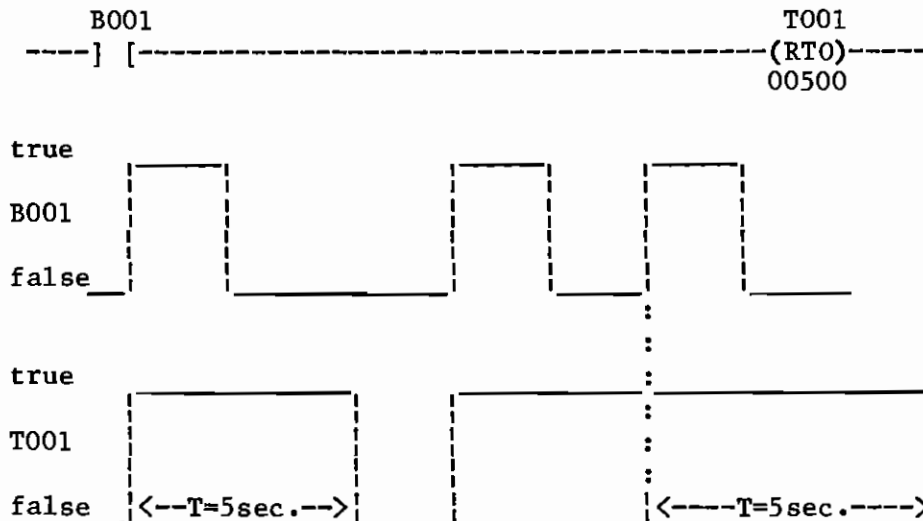
Timer  
 -(RTO)-

RTO      Keyboard Entry Code.....22  
 (Retriggerable      Possible Timers.....T001-T016  
 timer on)      Possible Values for Time...00001-65535 (10 ms per count)  
                  Execution Time (usec.).....12.8  
                  Object Code Bytes.....23

When rung preconditions go from false to true, the RTO instruction turns its addressed timer on for the amount of time indicated by the immediate value for time. This means that retriggerable timers are false to true edge triggered. Time is measured in units of 10 ms. A value for time of 65535 (655.35 secs.) corresponds to approximately 10 minutes and 55 seconds.

Initially, the timer is false (=0). This corresponds to a timed out condition. When rung preconditions go from false to true the the timer is set true (=1), and remains true until "time" has elapsed. If an rung preconditions changes from false to true again before "time" has elapsed, the timer will begin the "time" interval again until "time" elapses.

EXAMPLE



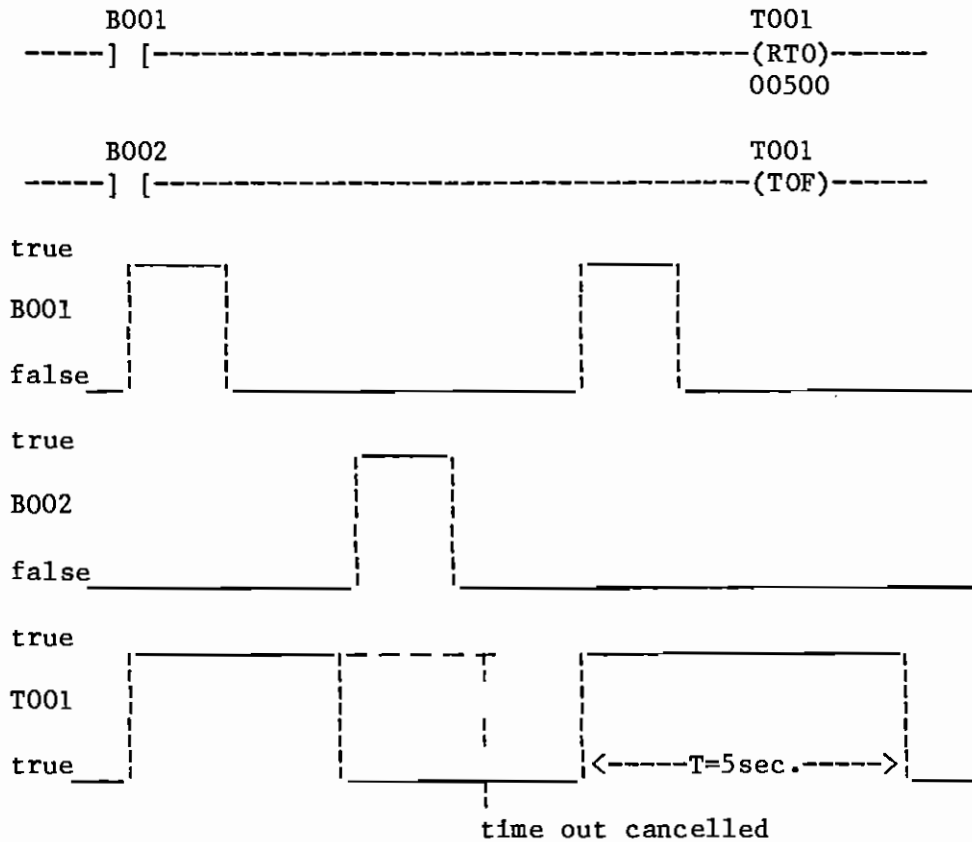


Timer  
 -(RTR)-

RTR      Keyboard Entry Code.....23  
 (Retriggerable      Possible Timers.....T001-T016  
 Timer Reset)      Execution Time (usec.).....4.8  
                          Object Code Bytes.....9

When rung preconditions go from false to true, the RTR instruction resets its addressed timer to off (false = 0). The RTR instruction resets a timer that has been turned on with a RTO instruction. As long as rung preconditions remain true, the addressed timer is held false (=0).

EXAMPLE



SPACE for NOTES

5.9 Counter Instructions

Counter instructions are:

- always part of an output group in a rung
- edge triggered by the false to true change in preconditions of the rung

There are 16 counters that you can use in PAL. The counter instructions address these counters.

Counters have a range from 0 to 65535 and "rollover" at 0 and 65535. In other words, the next count up from 65535 is 0, and the next count down from 0 is 65535.

Counters are initially 0 unless you load them with a value by using a PUT instruction. The value of a counter can be loaded into the accumulator using a GET instruction that addresses the counter.

Counters count up or down according to the instruction you use and according to the preconditions of the rung they are in. The preconditions must go from false to true for a counter instruction to have an effect. So, if you have a rung that controls a counter, you must control the preconditions of the rung to make the counter do what you want. A rung with a counter that goes from false to true and never goes false again is probably useless.







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**A.0** PAL (Programmable Application Logic) is a software  
**What is PAL?** interface between your machine tool and the 8400 control for non-axis motion functions.

Control software reads servo inputs (direction and speed) and controls outputs to servo loops. PAL reads other inputs (limit switches and relays) and controls other outputs (solenoids).

PAL differs from part programming. Part programs are generally done by the end user of the control after it has been integrated with the machine. Part programming controls the machine functions according to the software parameters set in AMP and the hardware functions determined by the PAL.

PAL differs from AMP (Adjustable Machine Parameters). PAL defines logical relations among inputs and outputs. AMP specifies values for various machine parameters without defining logical relations. AMP configures control software machine parameters (maximum speeds and soft overtravels). PAL is used to define machine/control logic.

PAL programming is generally done by the machine tool builder. PAL is necessary before part programs can be successfully executed. PAL typically handles S, T, and M word decoding, turret rotation, and spindle rotation.

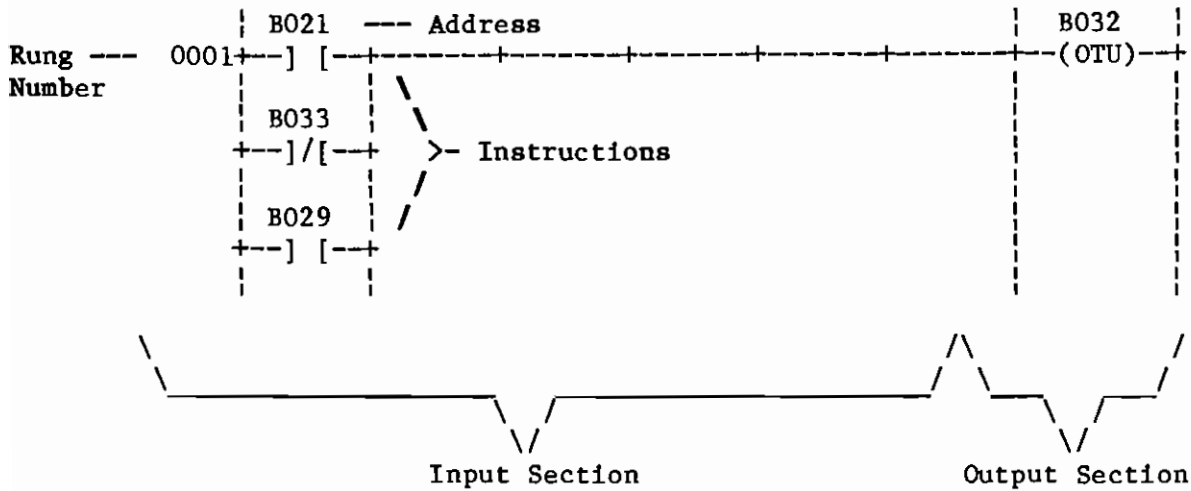
**A.1** Instead of wiring relays to perform machine logic, you can  
**Ladder** program a ladder diagram that defines the logic, then store  
**Diagrams** this program in your control. The control executes the PAL program, which defines relations between:

- inputs to PAL from the machine tool, operator panel, part program, or peripheral devices
- outputs from PAL to the machine tool, operator panel, part program, or peripheral devices

PAL's ladder diagramming scheme is similar to conventional relay logic diagrams, except that PAL instructions replace the traditional electronic symbols.

A ladder diagram consists of one or more separate and complete rungs which can logically use the input data it receives to control an output or a set a condition.

Input and output elements of a rung are made up of their own specific instructions. Each PAL instruction has its own unique symbol and performs a specific function. Refer to chapter 3.)



You can combine input elements to form both AND and OR conditions. An AND operation is one in which all input elements in series must be true in order for the output element to perform its function. In an OR operation only one input element, out of a group of parallel inputs, need be true for the output element to respond. You can program AND and OR conditions in many different combinations in a single rung.

PAL executes a ladders rungs sequentially. One program scan iteration is one complete execution cycle of all the rungs in the program except those skipped by GO-TO instructions.

The PAL program reads through the ladder diagram and sets the condition of the rungs to a true state when it gets to each rung. As each input instruction is executed, it can, depending on its' status, make the rung false.

Once a rung becomes false it remains false until the next program scan. The last instruction in each rung is an output instruction which controls its' bit or word address according to the rungs' condition - either true or false.



During operation, the control follows a definite sequence of operation with respect to PAL:

1. Read inputs PAL examines the input signals from the machine tool, paramacros, and the part program. It relays the input information to the control's processor.

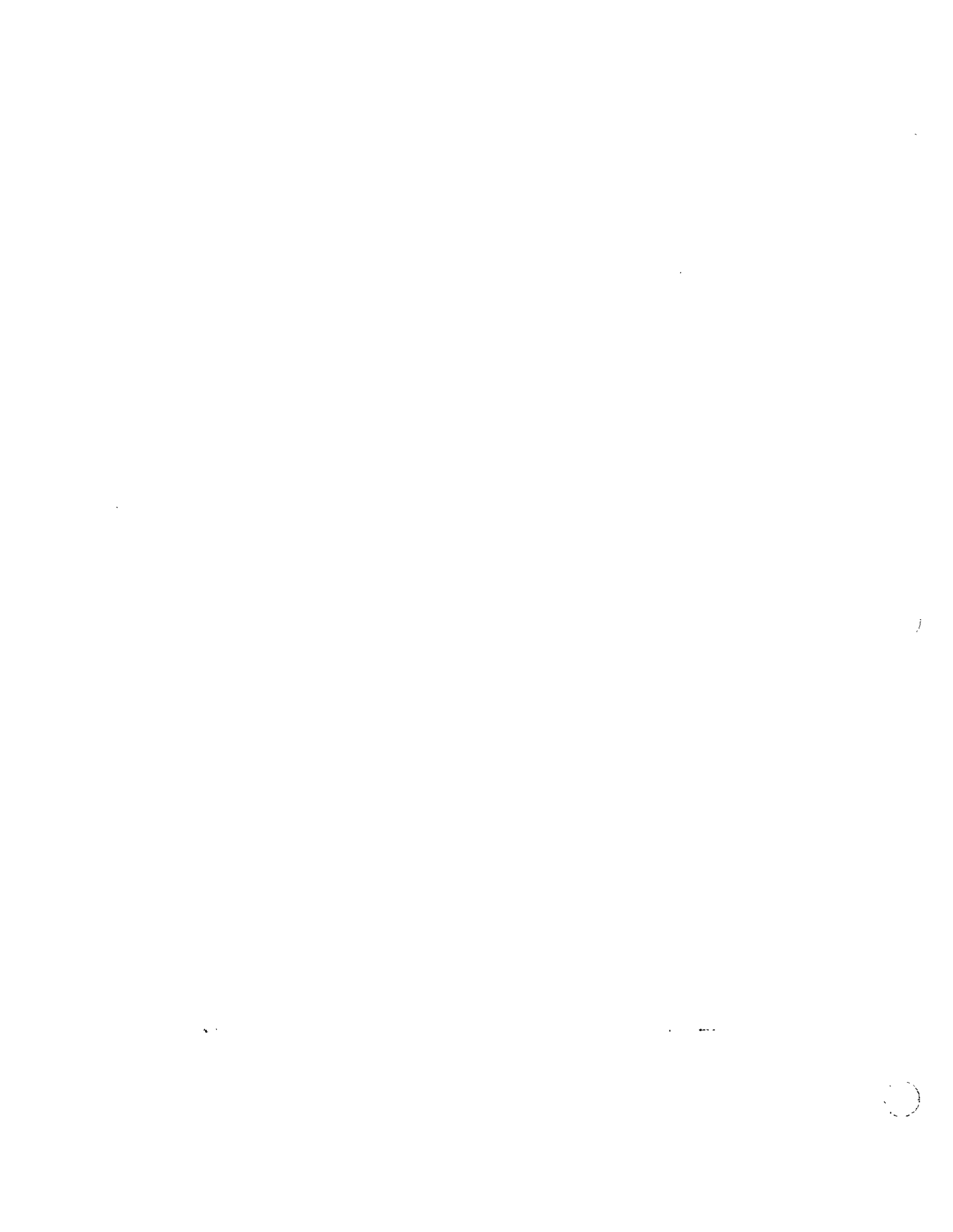
2. Execute PAL program

The processor monitors the data and executes the pre-programmed logic operations based on the inputs' status.

3. Set outputs accordingly

The processor generates the appropriate responses and transmits the signals to the machine tool or a peripheral device.

By continually repeating this sequence, the PAL continually updates outputs according to the latest input data.



**B.0  
Using the  
Development  
Program with  
the Kaypro**

This section gives you a series of brief steps for using the development program, PAL.COM and XREFLAD.COM, to generate PAL programs.

The detailed explanation of how to use PAL.COM is given in chapter 5. This outline of the steps is a preview of that chapter.

It is good practice, if this is your first time through 8400 PAL, to use the example program in chapter 4 for your first attempt. It will give you experience with the Kaypro, and help you learn the structure and function of PAL programs.

**Development  
Steps**

1. Power up the Kaypro and insert the Main Disk in drive A and the Data Disk in drive B (see chapter 4, Organize Your Development Disks). Type in "[PAL] and press [Return]. Press the CAPS LOCK key. PAL.COM only recognizes capital letters.
2. Type "I" to select I/O Assignments. You will use parallel, non-inverted I/O and use 7408 buffers for outputs. Set reader or punch enable, if desired. Define each port as input, output, or unused. Define port pairs for V variables, if desired. Type Return to get back to the Main Menu.
3. Type "E" to enter the edit mode. Write in the PAL program from chapter 4. Make a list of all messages used by M flags. Reserve status message MO28 for the PAL program part number.
4. Once you've input the ladder, assign messages with the message display.
5. Save the PAL source code (PAL source code can be saved at any time and should be save frequently in case of power loss).

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6. Compile the PAL source code and correct any compilation errors. Save the source code again if changes are made. You will have to recompile after saving the changed source code.
  7. Download the PAL object code to the 8400 for testing. We strongly recommend that initial testing be done on a test fixture with switches and lights only. Extreme caution is advised when testing on a "live" machine.
  8. When the PAL program works properly, save the corrected PAL source code again, and then recompile.
  9. Enter "Hex I/O" mode. Set the baud rate at 1200. Enter terminal mode and initialize the prom programmer. Exit terminal mode and select object code output.
  10. Burn object code EPROM's for permanent PAL program installation in the 8400.
  11. Make a print out of the PAL program using "PRINT", and make a cross reference of the program using XREFLAD.COM.

## C.0

Equipment  
Requirements

Before you can implement a PAL program with your 8400 Series control you need the following equipment:

- a Kaypro 2 personal computer - to develop, edit, compile and download the PAL ladder diagram
- the PAL software on a 5 1/4 disk from Allen-Bradley containing:
  - the PAL Development Software (part of the Executive file invoked by typing "PAL [RETURN]")
  - the XREFLAD file (also part of the Executive file) which is invoked by typing " XREFLAD [RETURN]"
- a PROM burner - to put the compiled source program onto the proms that will go into your 8400 Series control
  - the requirements for the PROM burner to use are on page 2-3 and 2-4
- the EPROMS to hold the PAL
  - the 8400 GP, MP, and Robot controls use 2716 EPROM
  - and the 8400 GLC control uses 2764 EPROMs
- a printer to give you the hard copy you will need for quick reference and for troubleshooting PAL.
  - The suggested printer is an Epson Model Number FX-80 Dot Matrix Printer, or equivalent.
- Series 8400 control to put the EPROMS into. This will allow you to perform a carefully prepared and closely monitored test of the PAL before it is used in production.
- Cables to interconnect these components.
- I/O Hardware and Cable.
  - I/O Board
  - I/O Modules

C.1  
 Connector Cables You will need two cables to connect the Kaypro to the PROM burner and 8400 CPU board.

- One cable from the Kaypro 2 (connector J4) to the PROM burner.
- A separate cable from the Kaypro 2 (connector J4) to the revision A CPU module of the 8400 control. See the table below:

Table C-1

8400 Hardware Revision	CPU Connector	Kaypro 2 Connector
A	CN-14	J4
B	P3	J4

**Important:** The Kaypro 2 can be connected to the revision B CPU Module connector P3 on the 8400 control by making a cable for the following connections:

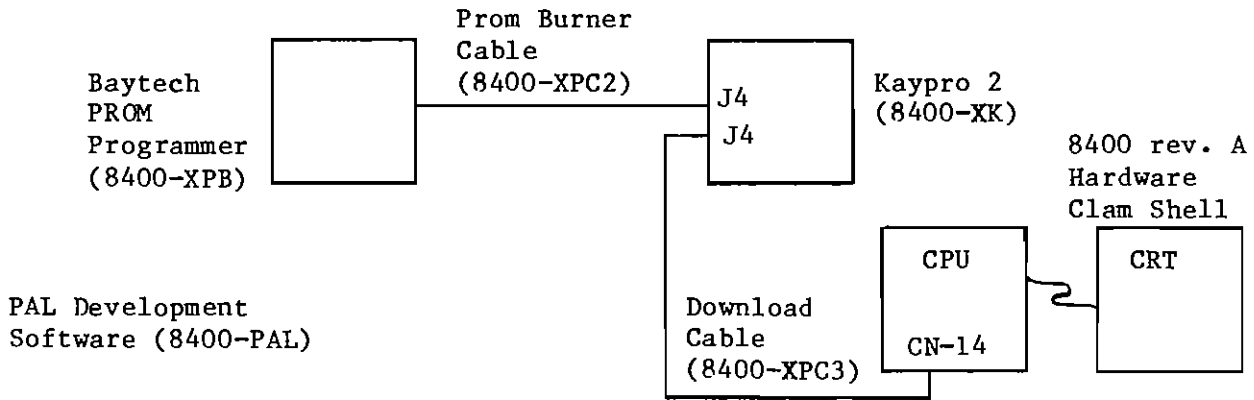
Table C-2

Connector P3 P3 on CPU	Connect To	D Shell Connector on Kaypro
Pin 13	connect to	7
Pin 1	connect to	1
Pin 3	connect to	2
Pin 5	connect to	3
Connect pins 6, 8 and 20 together on this end.		

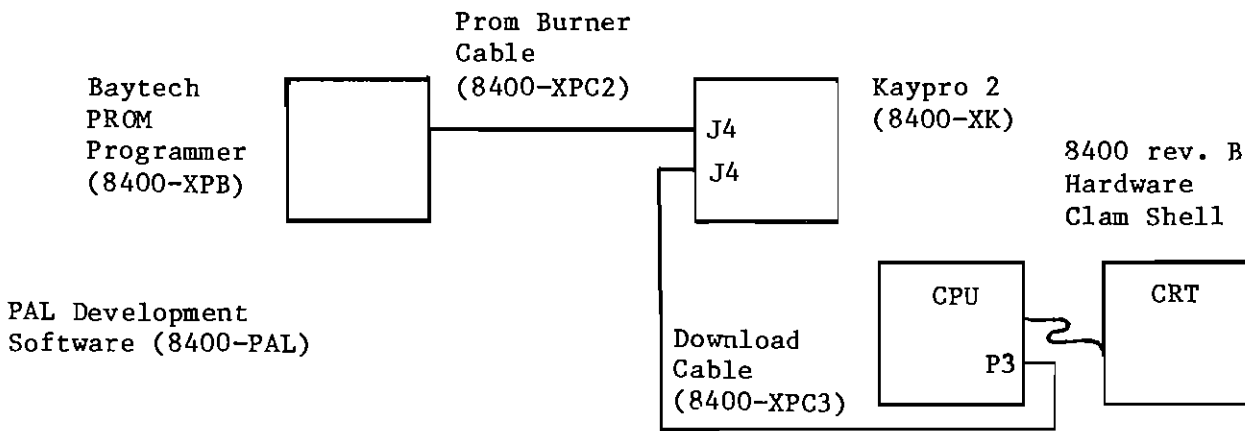
C.3  
Connecting  
PAL Development  
Components

This diagram shows the connections between components for PAL program development for revision A and revision B hardware on 8400 Series controls.

Revision A Hardware Cabling Diagram



Revision B Hardware Cabling Diagram



C.4  
Prom Programmer  
Requirements

The following is a list of the requirements for any prom programmer to be used with the PAL program:

- An RS232 port must be available with one of the following baud rates: 150, 300, 600, 1200, 2400, 4800, or 9600.
- Transmit and receive (via the RS232 port) Intel Hex Formatted data.
- Burn 2716 EPROMS (for use with the 8400 GP, MP or R software).
- Burn 2764 EPROMS (for use with the 8400 GLC).

We recommend using the Bay Tech Associates 953B Prom Burner, (A-B Cat. No. 8400-XPB) or equivalent to meet your 8400 needs.



## Reference Tables

Table 1Compiler and Editor Error Codes

Error	Corresponding Message	Stop Compiling	Cause of Error
01	No "BEG" statement	Y	First character in ladder source is <u>not</u> BEG.
02	No ladder file exists	Y	"END" statement immediately follows "BEG" statement in ladder source file.
03	Incomplete input group	Y	I) "END" statement found while decoding an input group.
		N	II) "SEQ" statement found while decoding an input group.
04	No output found on this sequence	Y	I) "END" statement found immediately after an input.
		N	II) "SEQ" statement found immediately after an input.
05	Unrecognized sequence	Y	I) Character immediately following "BEG" statement is neither "SEQ" or "END".
		Y	II) Character immediately following an output is neither another output nor "SEQ" or "END".
06	Arithmetic accumulator not yet initialized	N	I) Arithmetic function requested but arithmetic accumulator has not been loaded.
		N	II) Arithmetic output requested but arithmetic accumulator has not been loaded.
07	Arithmetic found within input group	N	Arithmetic load or arithmetic function requested within a group.
08	Input element found immediately following an output element	N	Input element found after output element in sequence.

## Reference Tables

Table 1 (Cont.)

## Compiler and Editor Error Codes

Error	Corresponding Message	Stop Compiling	Cause of Error
09	Output element found within input group	N	Output requested while decoding an input group.
10	Undefined subrung	N	A new rung of an input group is started before the last rung has been completed. i.e. BST is not preceded by BND for all but the first BST of an input group.
11	Syntax error in branching control statements	N	BND element found outside of any input branch groups.
12	Undefined element	N	I.) Invalid mnemonic II.) Mnemonics in invalid order III.) "END" statement missing
13	Multiple definition label	N	Same value declared as a label more than once.
14	Undefined label	N	Value referred to by a GTO element but never declared as a label.
15	I/O element not declared in I/O descriptor file	N	Input or Output instruction requires use of port which has not been declared for use.
16	Variable address out of bounds	N	Variable associated with element is out of bounds of variable type.
17	Invalid operand type	N	Operand type associated with element is not accessible using this element.
18	Attempt to write to input port	N	Output element tries to write to an input port.
19	Attempt to use dedicated port	N	Output element tries to write to a dedicated port.

## Reference Tables

Compiler and Editor Error Codes

<u>Error</u> <u>Editor Only</u>	<u>Corresponding Message</u>	<u>Stop</u> <u>Compiling</u>	<u>Cause of Error</u>
20	Sequence picture limits exceeded	N	I) more than 5 outputs attempted II) more than 4 BST's in an input group III) attempt to enter input elements into output area.
21	Group width limits exceeded.	N	Attempt to enter too many input elements in a rung of a previously defined group.
22	Construction error	N	Attempt to follow BST immediately by BND
23	I/O port pair not defined in I/O descriptor file	N	Input or Output instruction requires use of port pair which has not been defined.

Table 2

Intel Hex Format

RECORD MARK

This is always a colon ":" indicating the start of new record

RECORD LENGTH

Two ASCII characters representing a hex number indicating how much DATA will be in this record. The number 10 indicates there will be 16 DATA bytes in this record. The number 00 indicates an END RECORD.

START ADDRESS

Four ASCII characters representing a hex number indicating where the first byte of DATA is located in memory.

RECORD TYPE

Two ASCII characters indicating the type of record. There are just two types of records. These are:

- 00 = Data Record
- 01 = End Record

DATA

Two ASCII characters represent one byte of DATA in hexadecimal format.

CHECKSUM

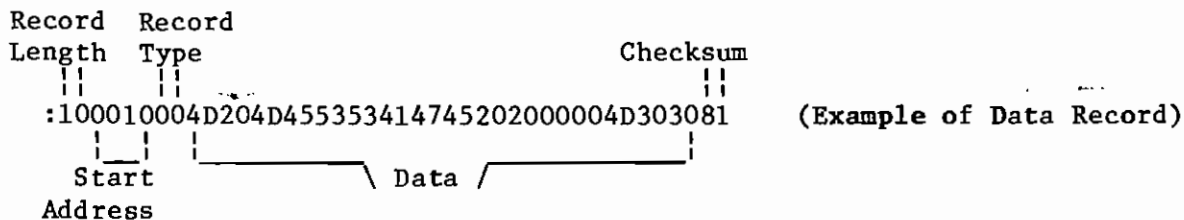
Two ASCII characters represent one CHECKSUM byte in hexadecimal. This number may be calculated by adding the hexadecimal numbers represented by the two ASCII characters from the RECORD LENGTH to the last DATA byte. Then calculate the two's complement of this number. Using the least significant 8 bits of this is CHECKSUM.

Example of Data record CHECKSUM:

$$10 + 00 + 10 + 00 + 4D + 20 + 4D + 45 + 53 + 53 + 41 + 47 + 45 + 20 + 20 + 00 + 00 + 4D + 30 + 30 = 37F$$

The Two's Complement of 37F = C81

The least significant 8 bits results in 81.



:00000001FF (Example of End Record)

Table 3

Parallel Interface with Normal I/O

## Outputs:

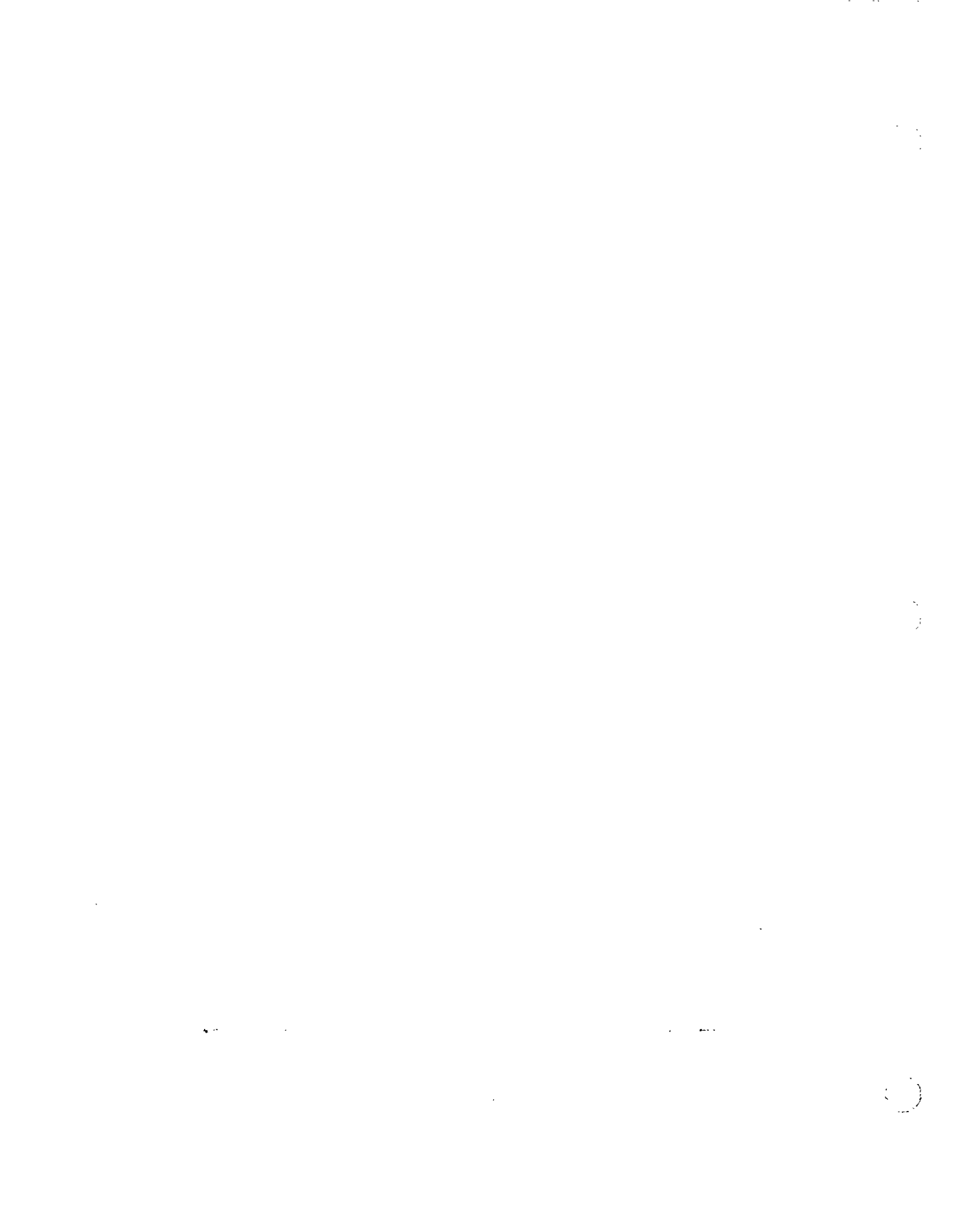
Ladder Diagram Source Code Elements using R001 to R120 Variables	8400 Logic Level Output Device = 8400-Z0 Input Device = 8400-Z1	Solid State Relay
+--(OTE)-+	LOGIC 0 LOW	OUTPUT "ON"
+--(OTD)-+	LOGIC 1 HIGH	OUTPUT "OFF"
+--(OTL)-+	LOGIC 0 LOW	OUTPUT "ON"
+--(OTU)-+	LOGIC 1 HIGH	OUTPUT "OFF"

## Inputs:

Solid State Relay	8400 Logic Level Output Device = 8400-Z0 Input Device = 8400-Z1	Ladder Diagram Source Code Elements using R001 to R120 Variables
INPUT "OFF"	LOGIC 1 HIGH	+--[ ]--+ Element will be "FALSE"
INPUT "OFF"	LOGIC 1 HIGH	+--[ / ]--+ Element will be "TRUE"
INPUT "ON"	LOGIC 0 LOW	+--[ ]--+ Element will be "TRUE"
INPUT "ON"	LOGIC 0 LOW	+--[ / ]--+ Element will be "FALSE"

A "1" in a "V" Variable will be a LOGIC 0 LOW Level on the corresponding 8400 Input or Output. If it is a Solid State Device output, it will be "ON". If it is a Solid State Device input, the input will be "ON".

A "0" in a "V" Variable will be LOGIC 1 HIGH Level on the corresponding 8400 Input or Output. If it is a Solid State Device output, it will be "OFF". If it is a Solid State Device input, the input will be "OFF".



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**Modifying PAL  
REV. K4 Y22**      Newer Kaypro computers, Those that use graphics characters show the following problems when when using the PAL.COM program (copyright Oct. 18, 1983, rev.Y22):

1. Graphic characters are turned on during editing and compiling.
2. Download to the 8400 does not work. This is also a problem with the old Kaypro's when downloading to the 8400GP.
3. Transfer of Intel Hex data to Bay Technical Associates PROM programmer works only at 300 baud.

**What the  
Modified  
Program Will Do**

The modified program will fix all three problems listed above. The modified program will also have a new name; PALK4.COM. You'll see the following differences in the operation of PALK4.COM:

- The revision for the program, shown on the Main Menu page, will be changed from Rev.Y22 to PK4.Y22.
- After you press [D] to start a download to the 8400, the system will immediately begin the download. It will not request that you press [S] to begin the download.
- After the download is completed the system will automatically begin the execution of the PAL program in 8400 RAM. It will not request that you press [S] to begin execution of RAM PAL.

**The Procedure**

Use the following procedure to modify PAL.COM (copyright Oct. 18, 1983, rev.Y22). After modifying PAL.COM, it will work with any Kaypro as of 5/14/84.

1. After powering up the Kaypro, put CP/M with DDT into disk drive A. You'll see the CP/M sign-on message on the CRT.
2. Put PAL.COM, copyright Oct. 18, 1983, rev. Y22 into disk drive B.

3. Type [DDT B:PAL.COM] [RETURN]  
DDT should sign on with:

```
DDT VERS 2.2
NEXT PC
9000 0100
```

4. Make the necessary changes to the program by typing the the information in quotes (" "):

```
"S4D9D[RETURN]"
4D9D 52 "20[RETURN]"
4D9E 20 "20[RETURN]"
4D9F 3D "20[RETURN]"
4DA0 20 "20[RETURN]"
4DA1 52 "20[RETURN]"
4DA2 45 "20[RETURN]"
4DA3 54 "20[RETURN]"
4DA4 52 "20[RETURN]"
4DA5 59 "20[RETURN]"
4DA6 20 "20[RETURN]"
4DA7 4C "20[RETURN]"
4DA8 49 "20[RETURN]"
4DA9 4E "20[RETURN]"
4DAA 4B "20[RETURN]"
4DAB 1B ".[RETURN]"
```

5. Type what is in quotes.

```
"S4DAF[RETURN]"
4DAF 4F "20[RETURN]"
4DB0 52 "20[RETURN]"
4DB1 20 "20[RETURN]"
```

6. Type what is in quotes.

```
"S158[RETURN]"
158 C2 "C3[RETURN]"
159 B9 ".[RETURN]"
```

- 7.Type what is in quotes.

```
"S50B4[RETURN]"
50B4 11 "0[RETURN]"
50B5 06 "0[RETURN]"
50B6 4F "0[RETURN]"
50B7 CD "0[RETURN]"
50B8 9B "0[RETURN]"
50B9 08 "0[RETURN]"
50BA 3E ".[RETURN]"
```



## 8. Type what is in quotes.

```
"S514C[RETURN]"
514C 11 "O[RETURN]"
514D 21 "O[RETURN]"
514E 4F "O[RETURN]"
514F CD "O[RETURN]"
5150 9B "O[RETURN]"
5151 08 "O[RETURN]"
5152 CD "O[RETURN]"
5153 BB "O[RETURN]"
5154 51 "O[RETURN]"
5155 B7 "O[RETURN]"
5156 C2 "O[RETURN]"
5157 A0 "O[RETURN]"
5158 51 "O[RETURN]"
5159 3E ".[RETURN]"
```

## 9. Type what is in quotes.

```
"S57A9[RETURN]"
57A9 80 "O[RETURN]"
57AA B0 ".[RETURN]"
```

## 10. Type what is in quotes.

```
"S57AE[RETURN]"
57AE 40 "O[RETURN]"
57AF 07 ".[RETURN]"
```

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11.Type what is in quotes.

```
"S727[RETURN]"
727 52 "50[RETURN]"
728 45 "4B[RETURN]"
729 56 "34[RETURN]"
72A 2E ".[RETURN]"
```

12.Type what is in quotes.

```
"S508B[RETURN]"
508B 3E "11[RETURN]"
508C 01 "06[RETURN]"
508D 0E "4F[RETURN]"
508E FF "CD[RETURN]"
508F CD "9B[RETURN]"
5090 50 "08[RETURN]"
5091 52 "3E[RETURN]"
5092 B7 "01[RETURN]"
5093 11 "0E[RETURN]"
5094 5D "FF[RETURN]"
5095 4D "CD[RETURN]"
5096 C2 "50[RETURN]"
5097 7B "52[RETURN]"
5098 51 "B7[RETURN]"
5099 11 "11[RETURN]"
509A A3 "5D[RETURN]"
509B 4E "4D[RETURN]"
509C CD "C2[RETURN]"
509D 98 "90[RETURN]"
509E 08 "51[RETURN]"
509F CD "0[RETURN]"
50A0 BB "0[RETURN]"
50A1 51 "0[RETURN]"
50A2 B7 "0[RETURN]"
50A3 C2 "0[RETURN]"
50A4 A0 "0[RETURN]"
50A5 51 "0[RETURN]"
50A6 3E ".[RETURN]"
```

13.Hold [CTRL] and press [C]. The Kaypro returns to the CP/M operating system.

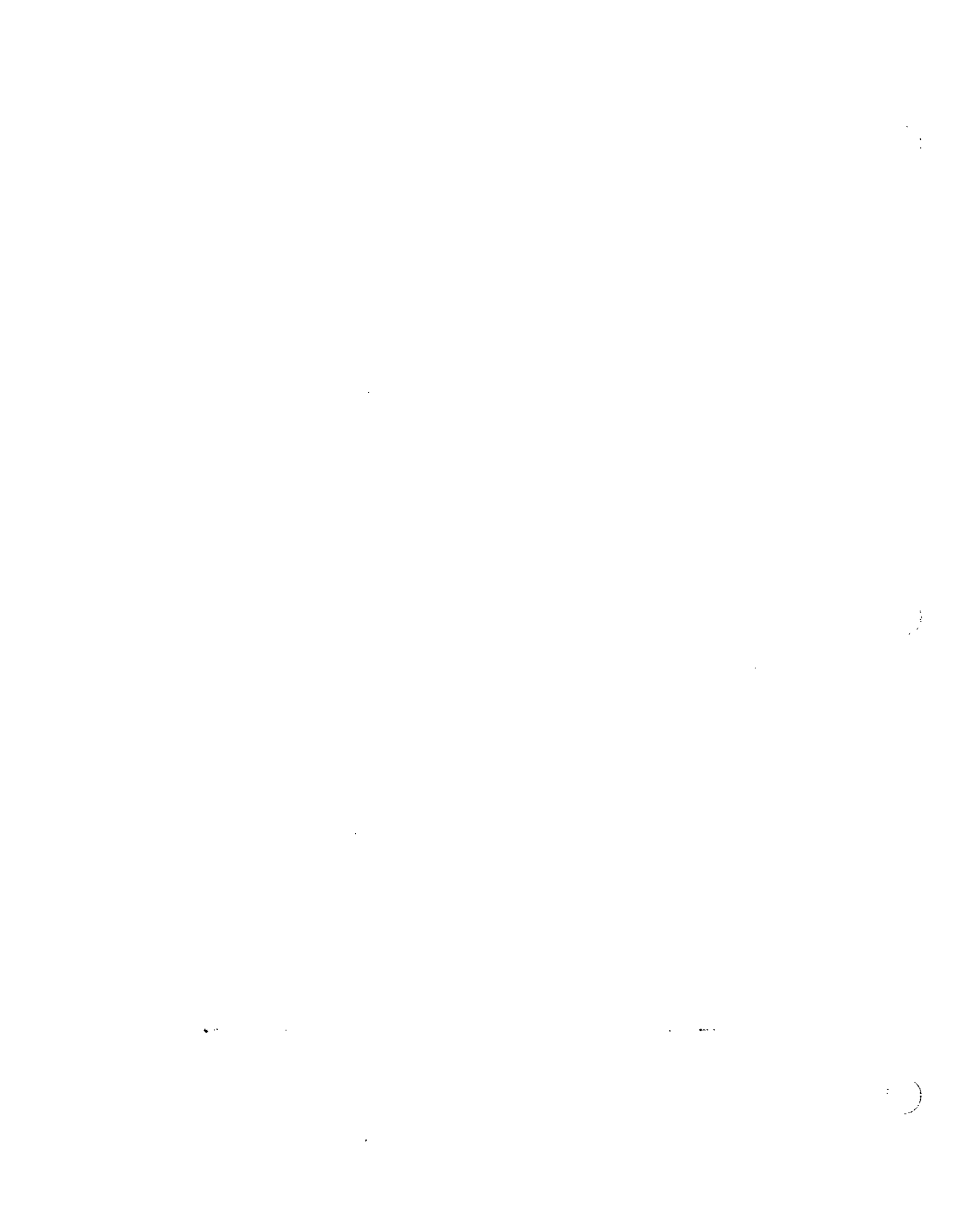
14.Type "Save 143 B:PALK4.COM[RETURN]" Your edited patches will be saved to PALK4.COM in disk drive B.

To Run the New Program      The patched program is now ready to run. Make this program part of your Main disk as described earlier in section 4.

To access the new program for PAL program development type:

PALK4 [return]

Note that the name of the program has changed from PAL.COM to PALK4.COM.



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Advanced  
PAL Example

Once you have planned and allocated the inputs and outputs for PAL, you can proceed with planning your PAL program. This is what we call "pre-programming." There are two aspects to pre-programming: flowcharting and sketching the ladder.

The first thing you should do in pre-programming is to make a flowchart of your PAL program. It gives you a base for a systematic approach to PAL programming, it gives structure to your PAL programs and allows you to add steps easily when they are required.

The example flowchart, given below, is for a full function ladder: the analog spindle control with Quickdraw Automatic Toolchanger ladder, P/N 251-100 76, which is the one of the standard ladders available for the 8400 MP/Bandit III CNC systems. Study this flowchart and try to get an idea of how 8400 PAL programs are structured.

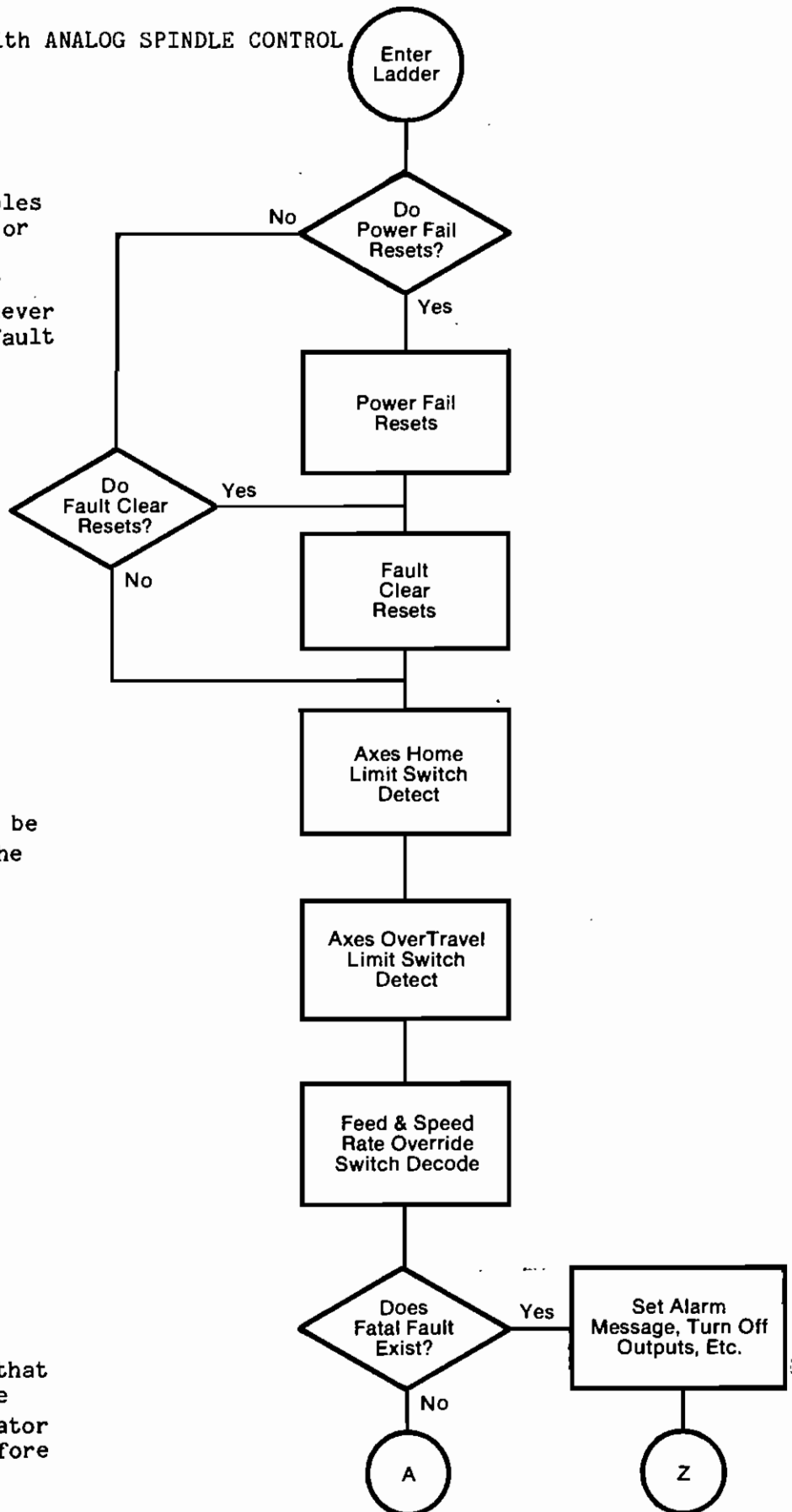
NOTE: One thing that affects 8400 PAL structure is the time is spent executing PAL and the flow of execution. Remember that 8400 PAL takes 2 to 6 ms. to execute, and the ladder is executed every 40 ms. You can't have a program that takes a lot of time. You cannot jump "backward" in PAL, and each execution of the ladder must flow through from beginning to end. Your program must copy the state of inputs, make required tests, do required actions, and be ready for the next pass. If an action is not complete on one pass through PAL (PAL may be waiting for a switch closure, a certain count, or a timed out timer), you must set flags to tell PAL where to begin again on the next pass.

Flowchart for with ANALOG SPINDLE CONTROL  
8400 PAL  
Program

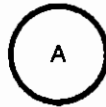
Some flags and variables may need to be reset or initialized only on power-up. Others may need to be reset whenever the CNC generates a Fault Clear signal.

The Home, overtravel, feedrate and spindle speed switches should be examined every time the ladder is executed.

A Fatal Fault is one that shuts down the machine and requires the operator to clear the fault before continuing.



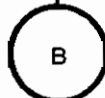
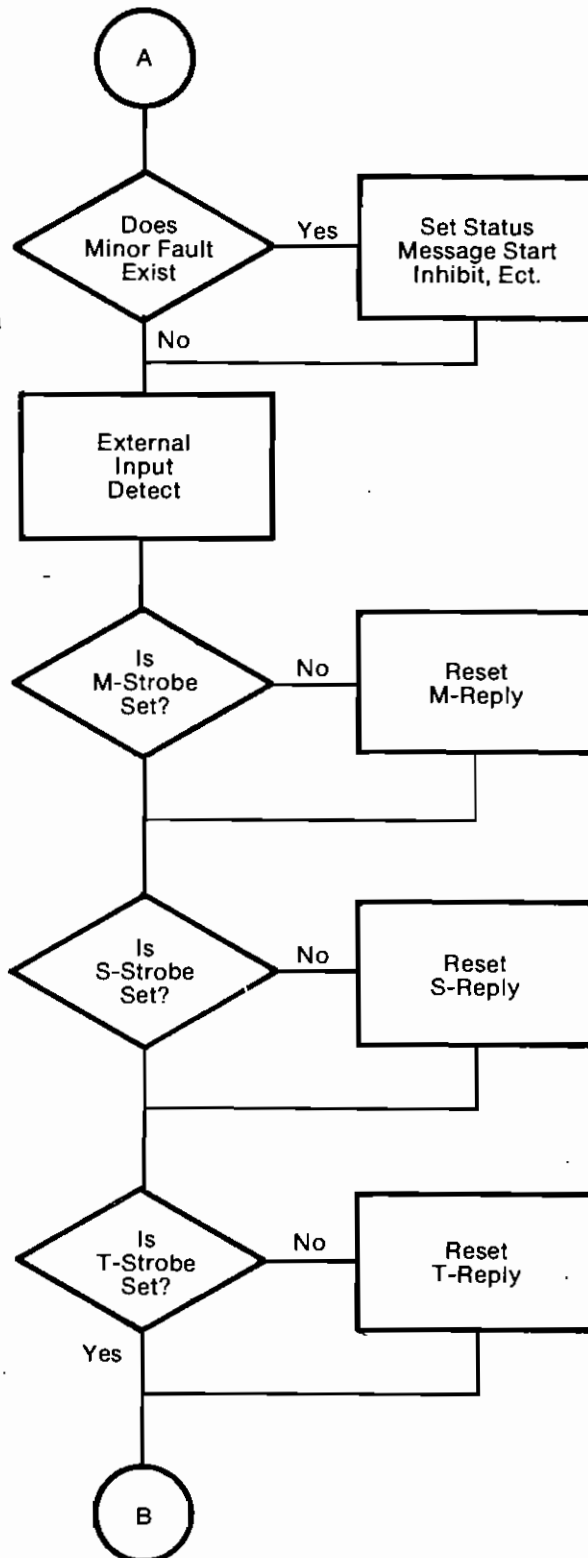
MISCELLANEOUS  
INPUT DETECT



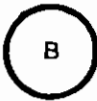
A Minor Fault does not stop the machine immediately. A warning message is displayed and the machine may be put in the Start Inhibit state.

External inputs include Remote Start/Stop, Feedhold, Start Inhibit, Keyboard Lockout, etc.

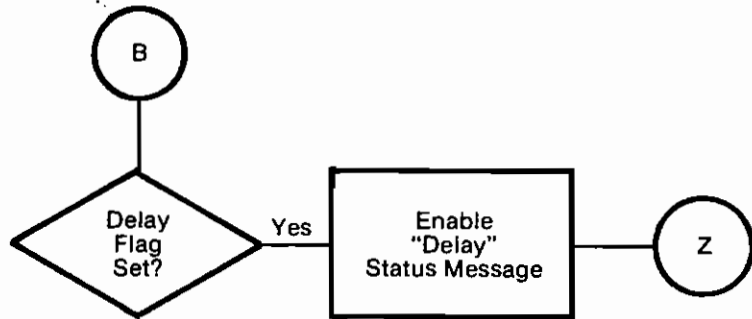
If the function strobe has gone away, then the function reply flag is reset.



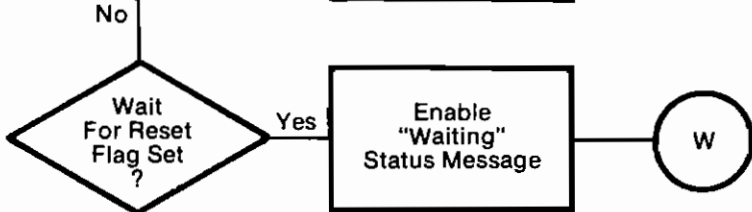
ACTION DECODE  
ROUTINE



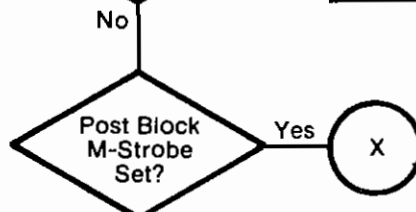
If the Delay flag is set, then the rest of the PAL program is skipped.



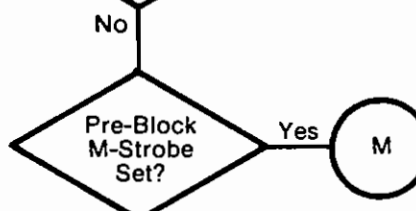
If the Wait for Reset flag is set, then jump to the Reset Detect routine.



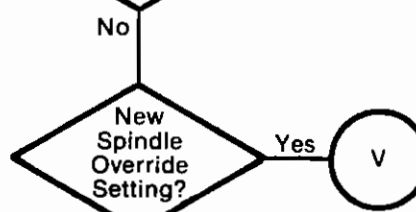
If a post-move M-strobe is detected, then jump to the Post-Move routine.



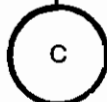
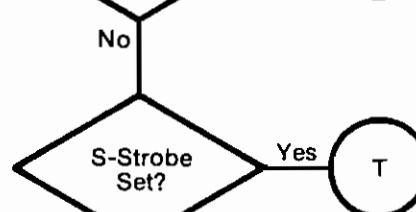
If a pre-move M-strobe is detected, then jump to the Pre-Move routine.



If the spindle override switch has changed, then jump to the Spindle Override portion of the Spindle Speed routine.

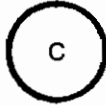


If an S-strobe is detected then jump to the Spindle Speed routine.





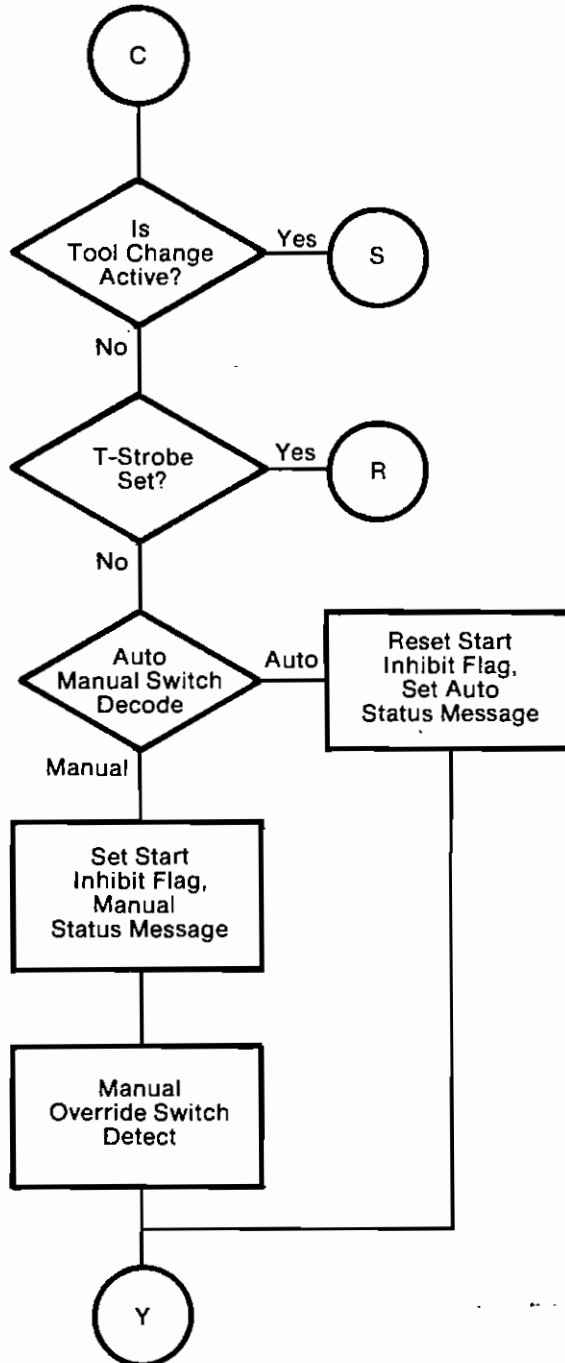
ACTION DECODE  
ROUTINE  
(continued)



If a tool change is already in progress, then jump to Tool Position Check portion of the Tool Change routine.

If a T-strobe is detected, then jump to the Tool Change routine.

The setting of the AUTO/MANUAL switch will determine whether the operator is allowed to override the spindle and coolant. In AUTO, programs will run and the overrides are ignored. In MANUAL, programs cannot be started and the override switches are active.



PRE-MOVE  
M-FUNCTION  
DECODE (M)

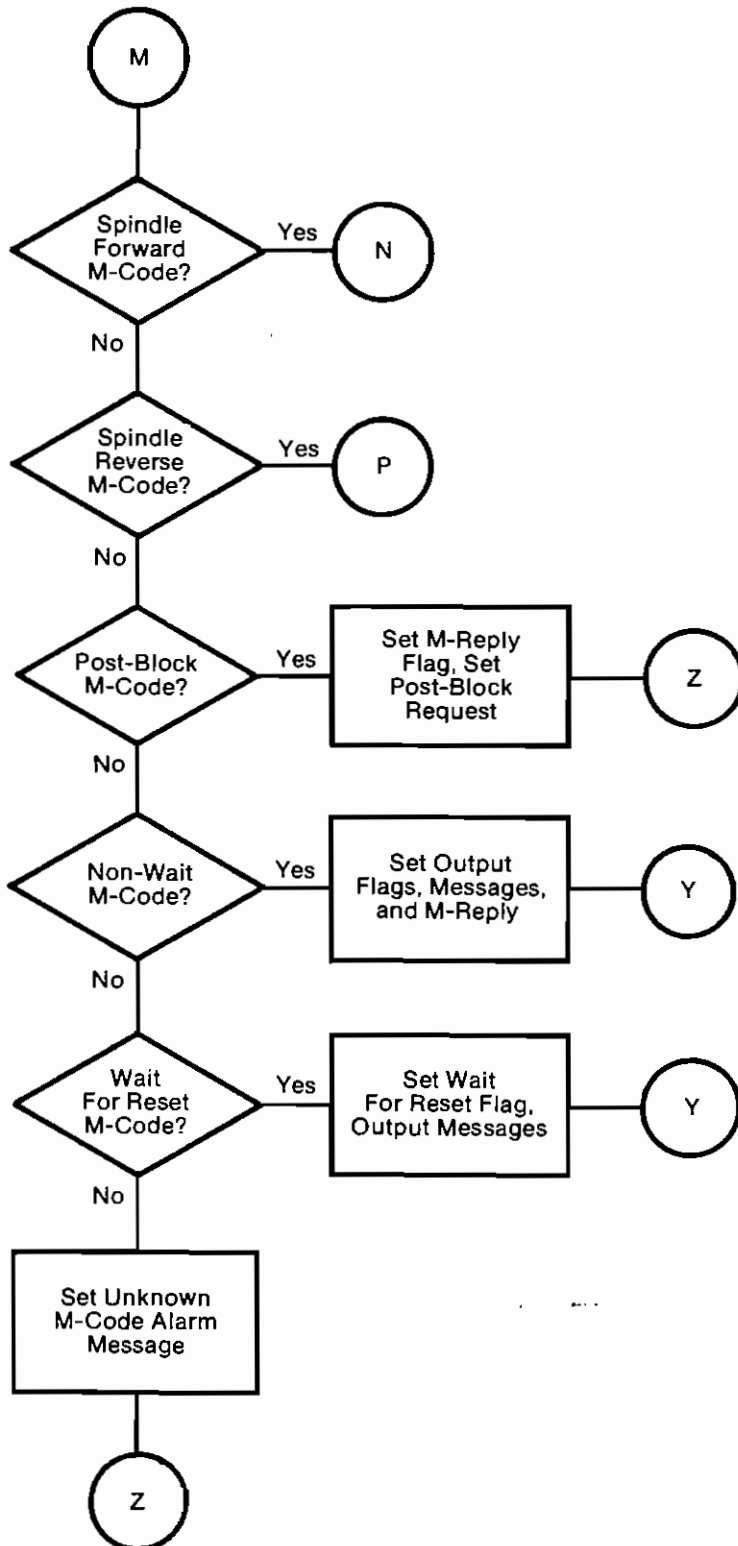
On M3, jump to the Spindle Forward routine.

On M4, jump to the Spindle Reverse routine.

If the M-code is post-move, simply set the M-reply flag and exit the ladder (the 8400 MP and Bandit III do not require setting the post-move request flag).

If the M-code does not require response, set the M-reply flag & the appropriate out flags, and jump to the Output Handling routine. If the M-code does require response, do not set the M-reply flag. Do set the Wait for Reset flag.

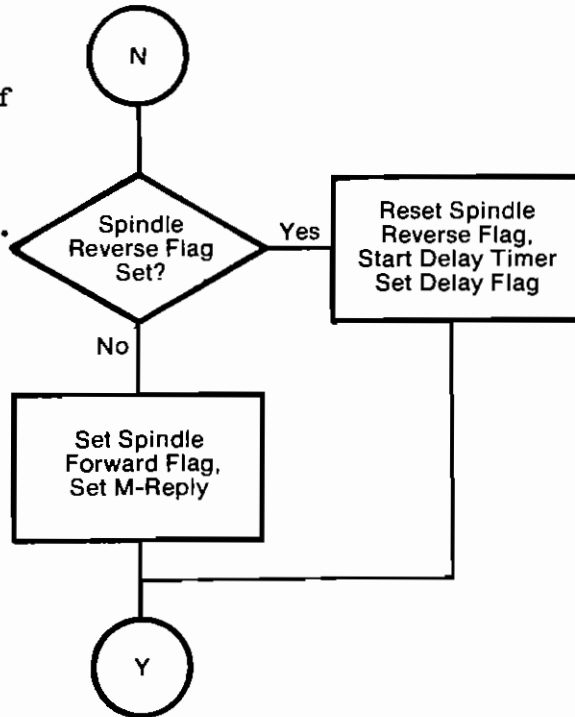
If the M-code is undefined, then an Alarm message should be used.



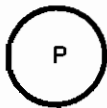
SPINDLE FORWARD  
ROUTINE



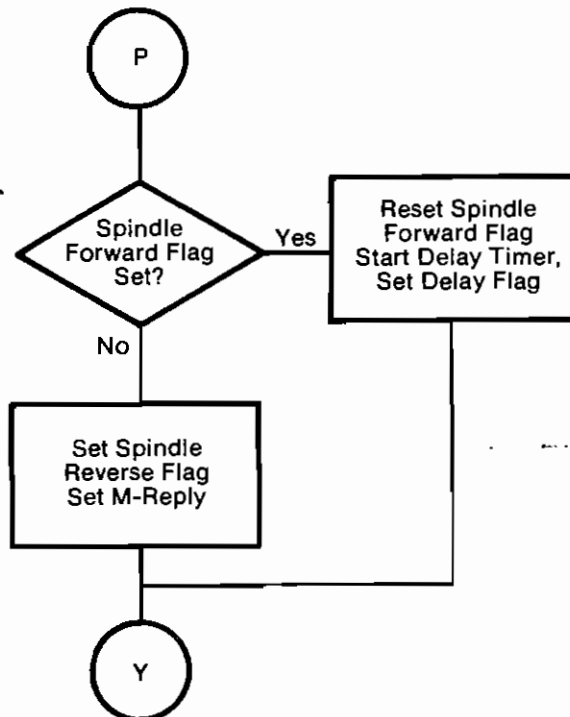
If the spindle is on reverse, then turn it off and wait before turning it on forward. The M-reply is not set until the function is complete.



SPINDLE REVERSE  
ROUTINE



If the spindle is on forward, then turn it off and wait before turning it on reverse.



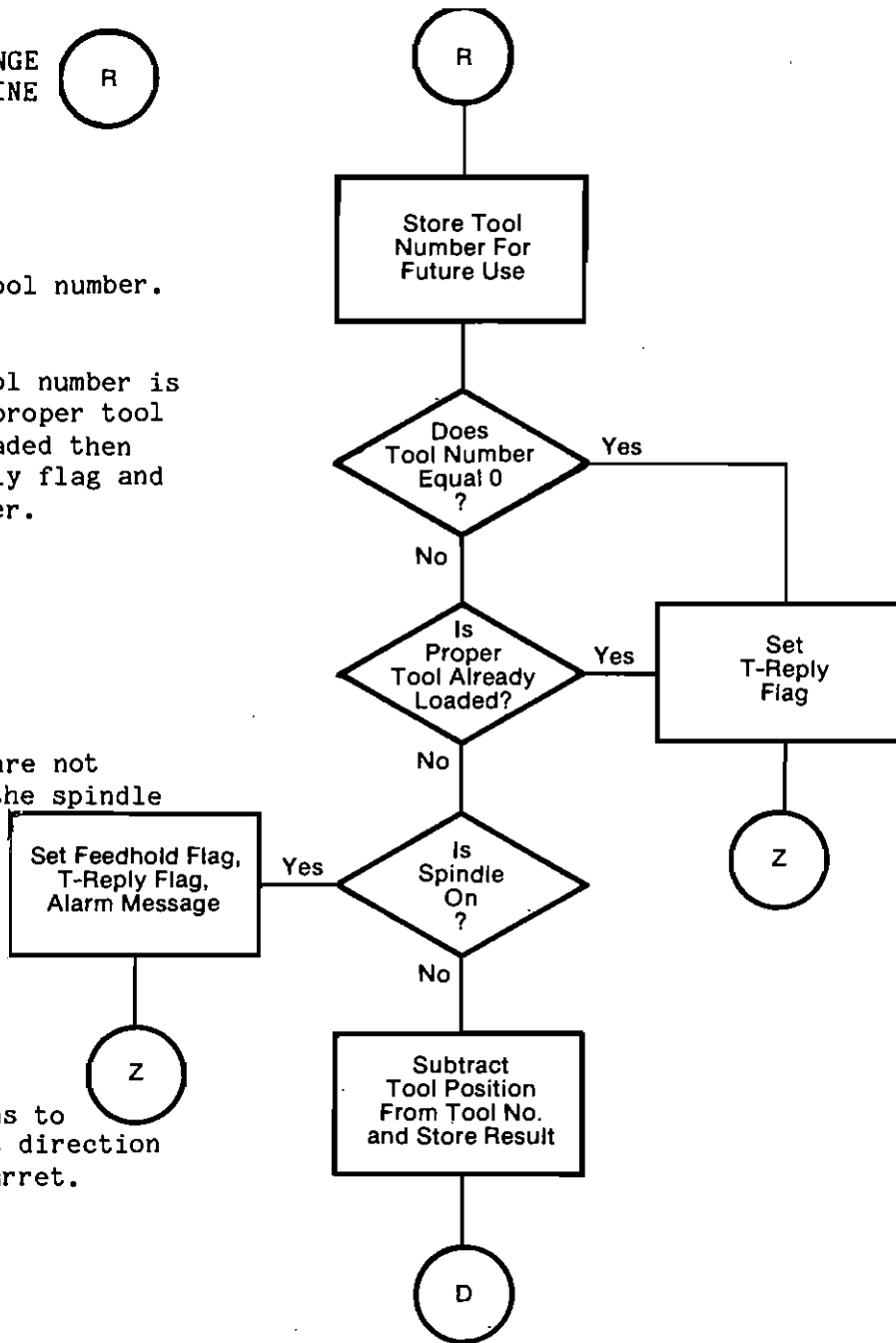
TOOL CHANGE ROUTINE (R)

GET the new tool number.

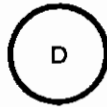
If the new tool number is zero, or the proper tool is already loaded then set the T-reply flag and exit the ladder.

Tool changes are not allowed with the spindle on.

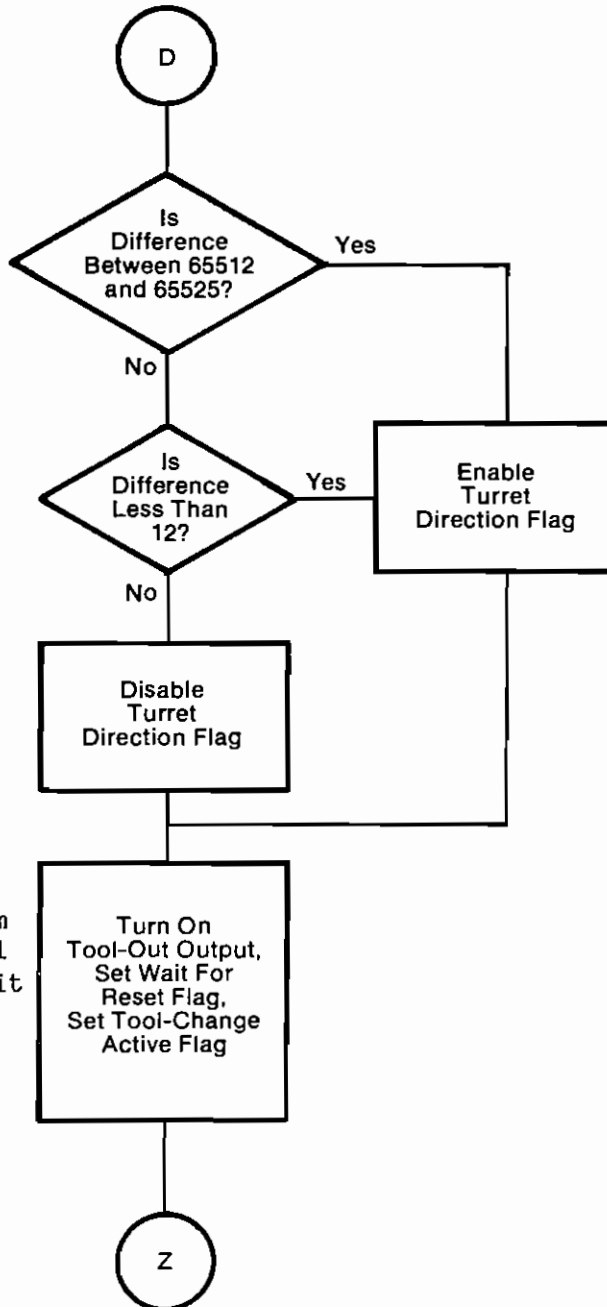
Do calculations to determine what direction to turn the turret.



TOOL CHANGE  
ROUTINE  
(continued)



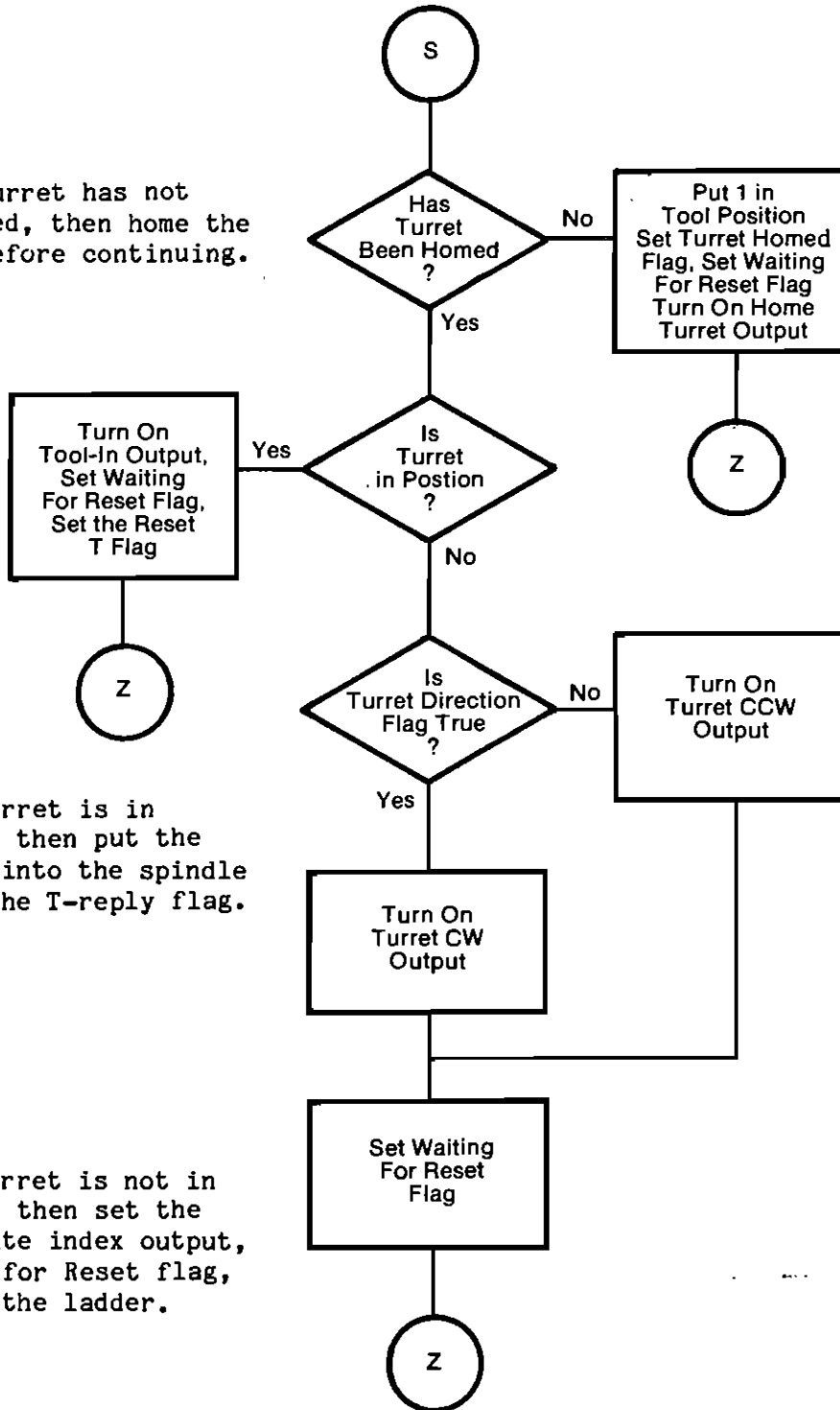
Turret direction  
calculation



Remove current tool from spindle and set the Tool Change Active flag. Exit the ladder. The next execution will jump to the Tool Position Check routine for the Action Decode routine.

TOOL POSITION CHECK ROUTINE (S)

If the turret has not been homed, then home the turret before continuing.



If the turret is in position, then put the new tool into the spindle and set the T-reply flag.

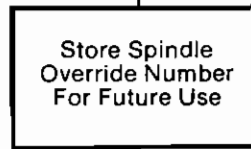
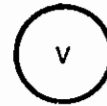
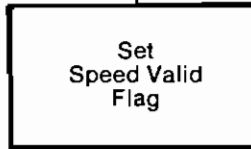
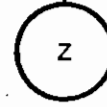
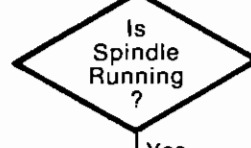
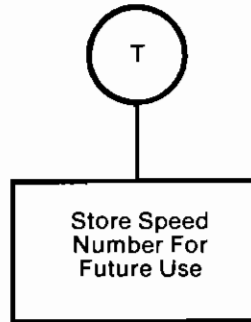
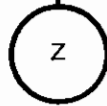
If the turret is not in position, then set the appropriate index output, the Wait for Reset flag, and exit the ladder.

SPINDLE SPEED ROUTINE



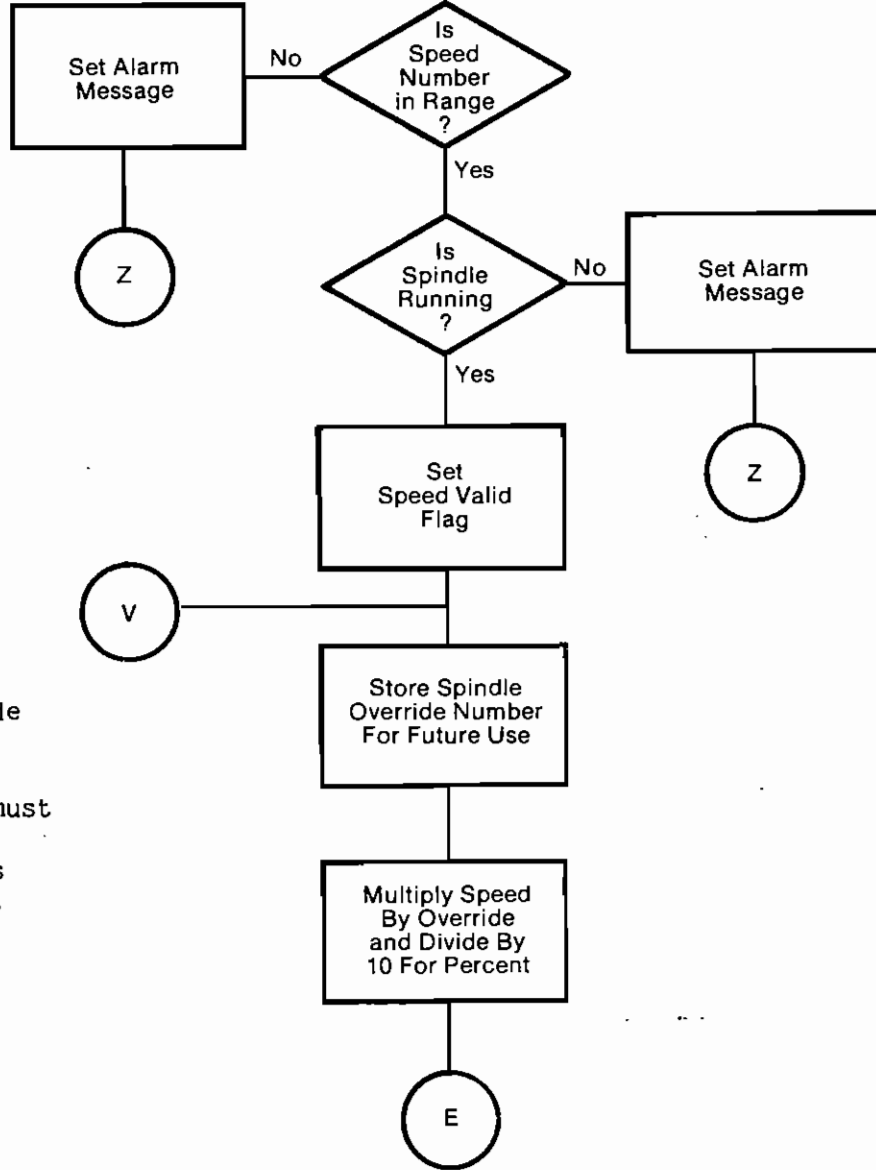
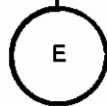
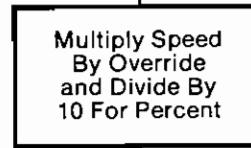
GET the new spindle speed number.

Check for illegal commands and whether spindle is running.



Spindle Speed Override Routine

The override number must be stored in an A variable before it is used in calculations.

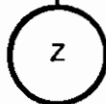
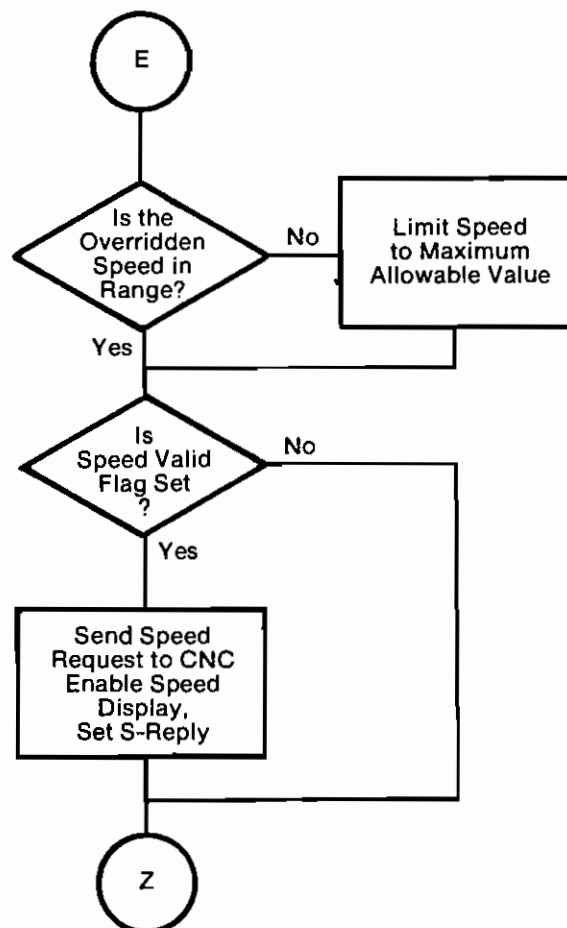


SPINDLE SPEED  
AND OVERRIDE  
ROUTINE  
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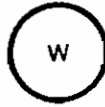
If use of the override switch violates the max or min RPM limits, then replace speed number with max or min allowable.

If the speed request is valid, then change the analog output & spindle speed display, and set the S-reply. Unless a speed request (S-code) has been executed, no change in analog output will occur due to the override switch changing.

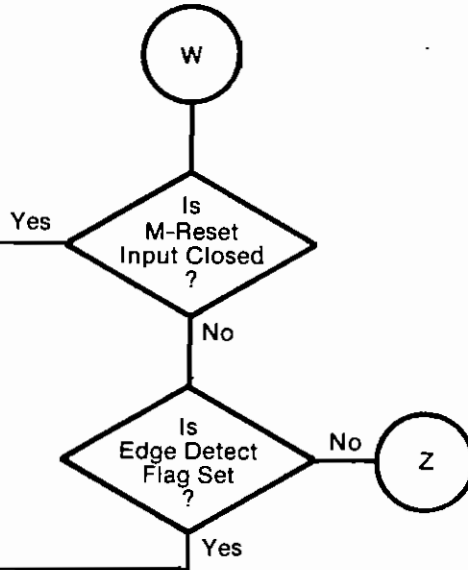




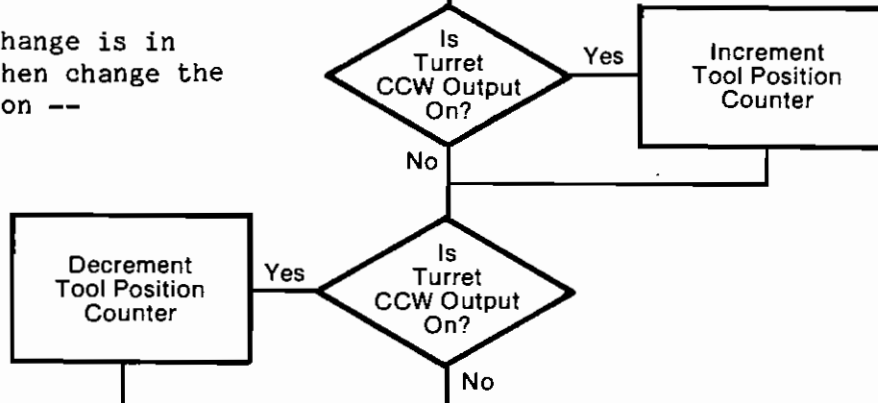
WAIT FOR RESET  
ROUTINE



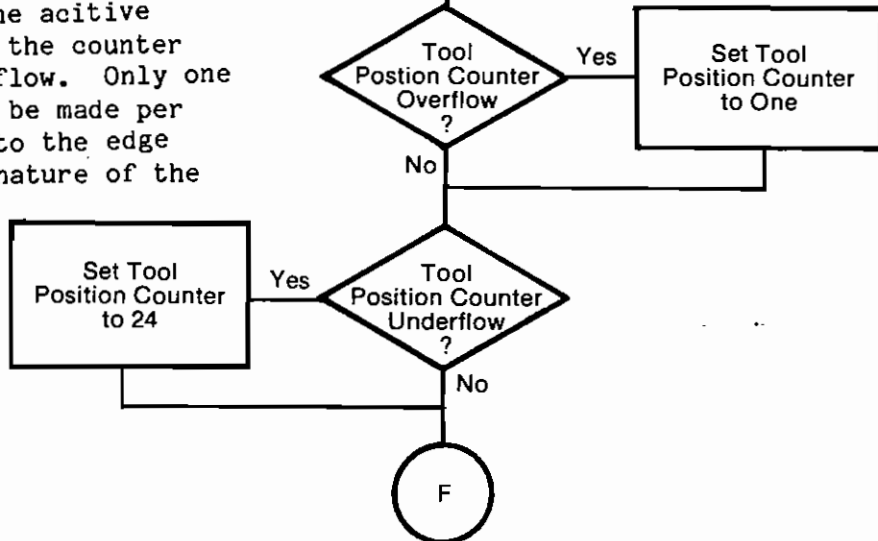
If the input has not seen the first edge, then exit the ladder.



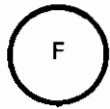
If a tool change is in progress, then change the tool position --



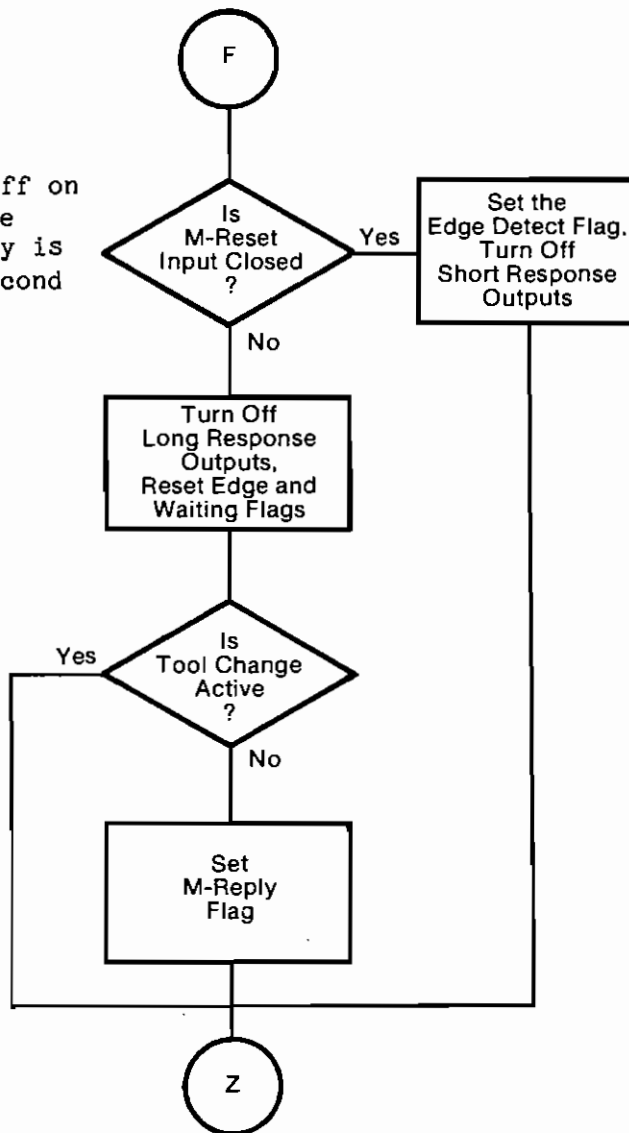
based on the active output and the counter under/overflow. Only one count will be made per index due to the edge triggered nature of the counters.



WAIT FOR RESET  
ROUTINE  
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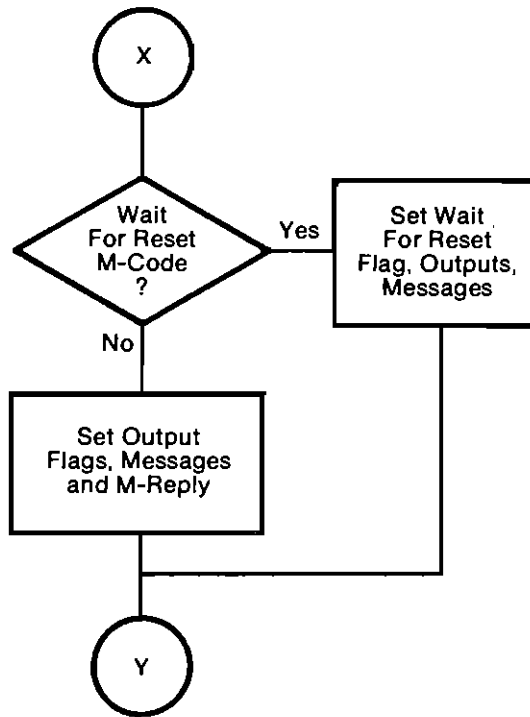
Short response type outputs are turned off on the first edge of the reset pulse. M-reply is not set until the second edge is detected.



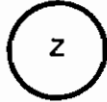
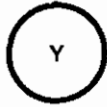
If a tool change is active, then M-reply should not be set.

POST-MOVE  
M-FUNCTION  
DECODE (X)

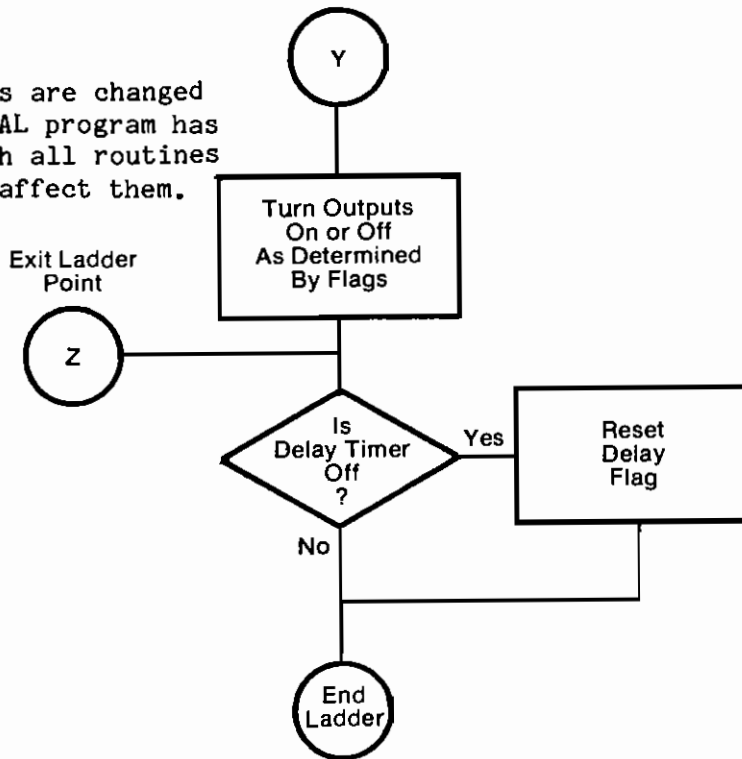
M-reply flag must be set for all M-functions with 8400 MP and Bandit III.



OUTPUT HANDLING  
ROUTINE



Real outputs are changed  
after the PAL program has  
gone through all routines  
that might affect them.



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**Sketching the Ladder** After you have a good flowchart for your ladder, you should sketch the ladder program.

Sketch the ladder the way you will enter it using the Kaypro.

Outline your use of R, B, N, and H flags, and assign mnemonics to each one. Also specify your use of V, L, and G variables and assign mnemonics to these as well. If you use counters or timers, assign mnemonics to these. Use the mnemonics in the sketch.

Write out your assignment of messages, M flags, their text and associated L variables (used with variable messages).

The example program that follows is a short ladder that implements several standard functions you will probably use in any 8400 PAL program:

- Fault Clear to PAL from the CNC
- Emergency Stop switch monitoring
- Feedrate Override switch monitoring
- Drives On
- Drives OK
- Axis move enable (clamps off)
- Home switch monitoring
- Overtravel switch monitoring
- M-functions (pre- and post-move)

This page tells you the I/O allocations that have been made. The system uses non-inverted parallel I/O. PAL ports 1 through 3 and 7 through 8 are inputs. Ports 10 through 12 and 14 & 15 are outputs. V variable V001 is made from ports 7 and 8. No parallel devices are used.

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SYSTEM USES NON-INVERTED I/O

SYSTEM USES PARALLEL I/O

I/O GROUP	DEFINED AS	PORT IS ON	PORT CN #	R RANGE	I/O IC#	PORT#	PORT IS
1	IN	CPU	CN15	R001-R008	IC154	30H	A
2	IN	CPU	CN15	R009-R016	IC154	32H	B
3	IN	CPU	CN15	R017-R024	IC154	34H	C
4	UDFN	CPU	CN16	R025-R032	IC163	38H	A
5	UDFN	CPU	CN16	R033-R040	IC163	3AH	B
6	UDFN	CPU	CN16	R041-R048	IC163	3CH	C
7	IN	I/O	CN8	R049-R056	IC119	80H	A
8	IN	I/O	CN8	R057-R064	IC119	82H	B
9	IN	I/O	CN8	R065-R072	IC119	84H	C
10	OUT	I/O	CN10	R073-R080	IC158	90H	A
11	OUT	I/O	CN10	R081-R088	IC158	92H	B
12	OUT	I/O	CN10	R089-R096	IC158	94H	C
13	UDFN	I/O	CN5	R097-R104	IC84	80H	A
14	OUT	I/O	CN5	R105-R112	IC84	82H	B
15	OUT	I/O	CN5	R113-R120	IC84	84H	C

V NUMBER	HI	LO
V001	7	8
V002	0	0
V003	0	0
V004	0	0
V005	0	0
V006	0	0
V007	0	0
V008	0	0

PAPER TAPE READER IS NOT INSTALLED  
 PAPER TAPE PUNCH IS NOT INSTALLED  
 CASSETTE IS NOT INSTALLED

This page gives you the message print out. Note which messages are assigned and the text for each message.

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                                ALARM MESSAGES TEXT
M001 - REVERSE VIDEO = F BLINK = F   EMERGENCY STOP
M002 - REVERSE VIDEO = F BLINK = F   ALARM MESSAGE 002
M003 - REVERSE VIDEO = F BLINK = F   AXIS DRIVE FAULT
M004 - REVERSE VIDEO = F BLINK = F   UNDEFINED M-CODE
M005 - REVERSE VIDEO = F BLINK = F   ALARM MESSAGE 005
M006 - REVERSE VIDEO = F BLINK = F   ALARM MESSAGE 006
M007 - REVERSE VIDEO = F BLINK = F   ALARM MESSAGE 007
M008 - REVERSE VIDEO = F BLINK = F   ALARM MESSAGE 008
M009 - REVERSE VIDEO = F BLINK = F   ALARM MESSAGE 009

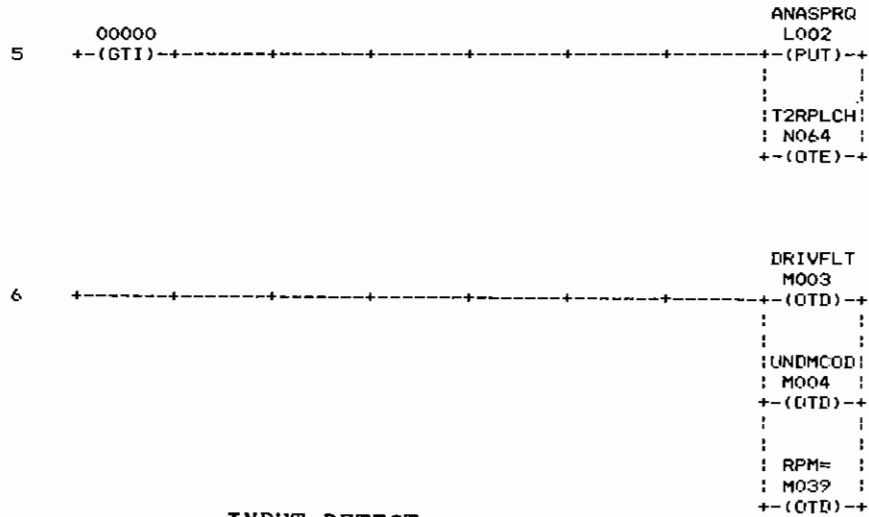
                                STATUS MESSAGES TEXT
M010 - REVERSE VIDEO = F BLINK = F   STATUS MESSAGE 001
M011 - REVERSE VIDEO = F BLINK = F   FLOOD COOLANT
M012 - REVERSE VIDEO = F BLINK = F   SPINDLE FORWARD
M013 - REVERSE VIDEO = F BLINK = F   SPINDLE REVERSE
M014 - REVERSE VIDEO = F BLINK = F   STATUS MESSAGE 005
M015 - REVERSE VIDEO = F BLINK = F   AWAITING M-RESET
M016 - REVERSE VIDEO = F BLINK = F   DELAY
M017 - REVERSE VIDEO = T BLINK = T   LOW LUBE LEVEL
M018 - REVERSE VIDEO = F BLINK = F   STATUS MESSAGE 009
M019 - REVERSE VIDEO = F BLINK = F   STATUS MESSAGE 010
M020 - REVERSE VIDEO = F BLINK = F   STATUS MESSAGE 011
M021 - REVERSE VIDEO = F BLINK = F   STATUS MESSAGE 012
M022 - REVERSE VIDEO = F BLINK = F   STATUS MESSAGE 013
M023 - REVERSE VIDEO = F BLINK = F   STATUS MESSAGE 014
M024 - REVERSE VIDEO = F BLINK = F   STATUS MESSAGE 015
M025 - REVERSE VIDEO = F BLINK = F   STATUS MESSAGE 016
M026 - REVERSE VIDEO = F BLINK = F   STATUS MESSAGE 017
M027 - REVERSE VIDEO = F BLINK = F   STATUS MESSAGE 018
M028 - REVERSE VIDEO = F BLINK = F   PAL PROG. EXAMPLE
M029 - REVERSE VIDEO = F BLINK = F   STATUS MESSAGE 020
M030 - REVERSE VIDEO = F BLINK = F   STATUS MESSAGE 021
M031 - REVERSE VIDEO = F BLINK = F   STATUS MESSAGE 022
M032 - REVERSE VIDEO = F BLINK = F   STATUS MESSAGE 023
M033 - REVERSE VIDEO = F BLINK = F   STATUS MESSAGE 024
M034 - REVERSE VIDEO = F BLINK = F   STATUS MESSAGE 025
M035 - REVERSE VIDEO = F BLINK = F   STATUS MESSAGE 026
M036 - REVERSE VIDEO = F BLINK = F   STATUS MESSAGE 027

                                VARIABLE MESSAGES TEXT
M037 - REVERSE VIDEO = F BLINK = F   VAL MSG 1
M038 - REVERSE VIDEO = F BLINK = F   VAL MSG 2
M039 - REVERSE VIDEO = F BLINK = F   RPM =
M040 - REVERSE VIDEO = F BLINK = F   VAL MSG 4

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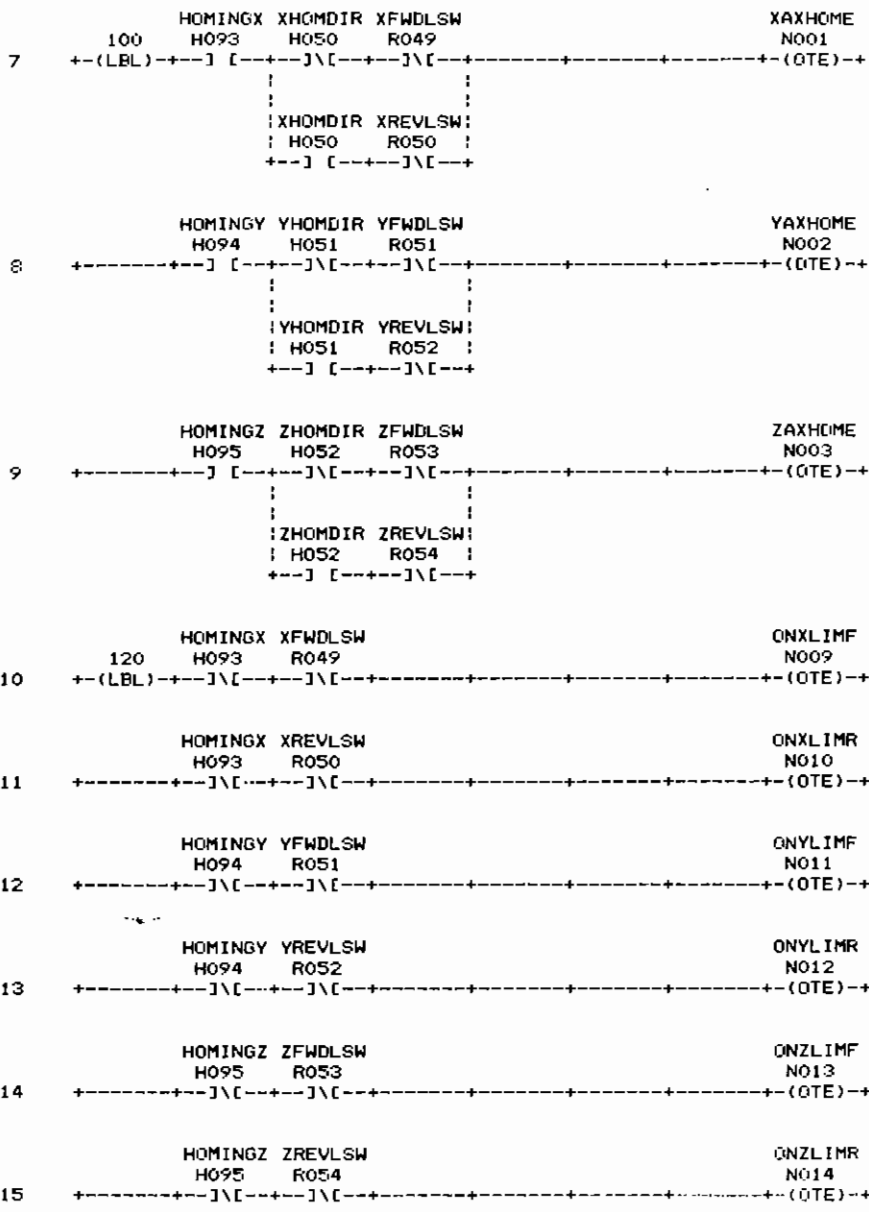




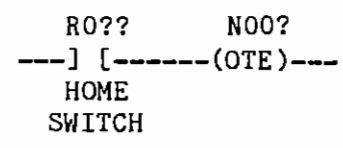
Put 0 in the analog speed register (causes analog output to be zero volts). Set T2 reply check, see above.

Reset any messages that are latched on.

INPUT DETECT



If axis homing flag is true, and homing direction flag is reset, then use forward travel limit switch for homing. If homing direction flag is set, use reverse travel limit switch. If separate home switches are used, the rung could be:

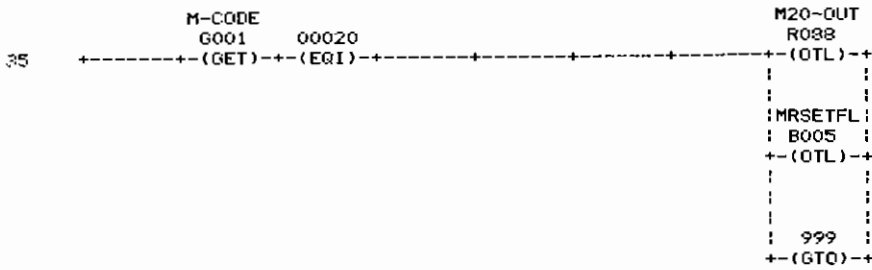


If axis homing flag is not set, then use the travel limit switches for travel limits. If separate home switches are used, then the axis homing flag is not used in these rungs.

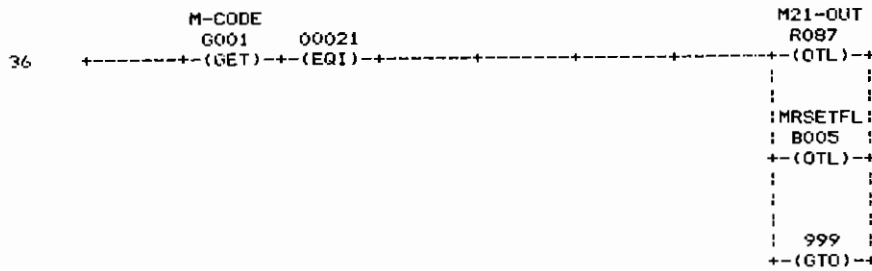




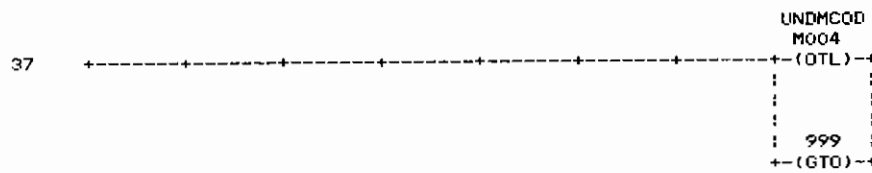




If M20, then set the M20 output, the wait for reset flag, and jump to the end of the PAL program.

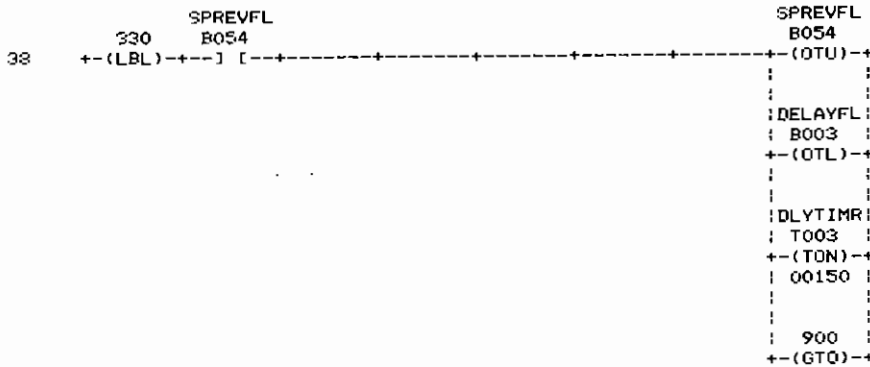


If M21, set the M21 output.

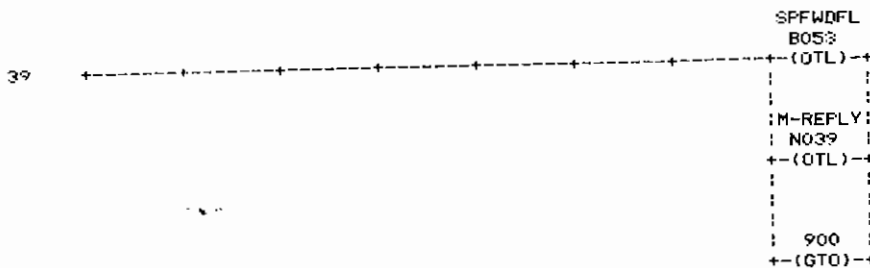


If the program reaches this point, then an undefined M-code has been programmed. Set alarm message and jump to the end of the PAL program.

SPINDLE ON  
FORWARD ROUTINE



If the spindle is on reverse, then turn it off, set the delay flag, start the delay timer and jump to the output handling routine.



If spindle is off, or on forward, set the forward flag, the M-reply flag and jump to the output handling routine.



M-RESET DETECT  
ROUTINE

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43      700      MRSETSW  EDGEFL
      +-(LBL)-+--J\[-+--J\[-+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
                                         999
                                         +-(GTO)-+
    
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If the first edge has not been detected and input is still open, then do nothing.

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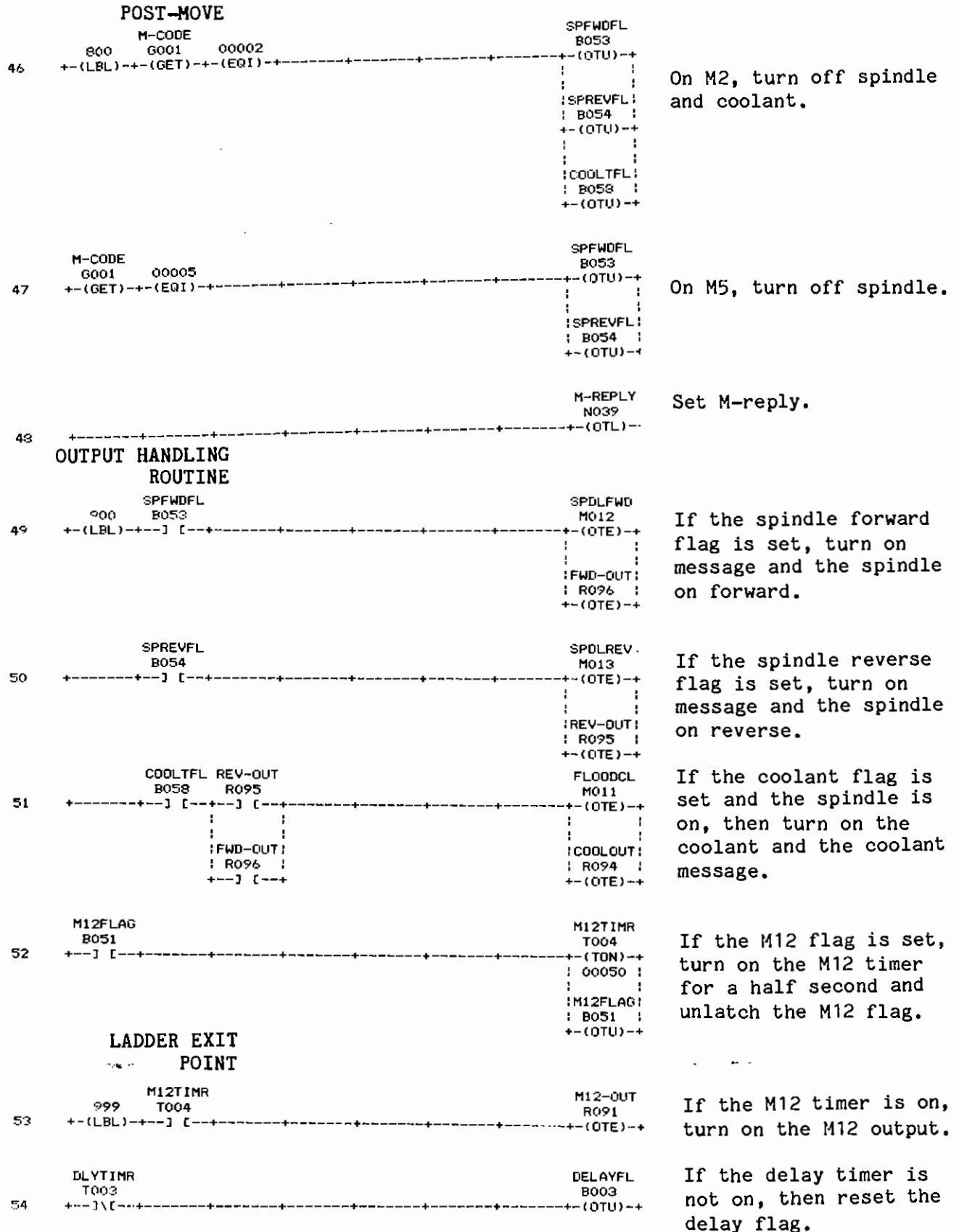
44      MRSETSW  EDGEFL
      R071      B007
      +-----+--J [-+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
                                         : (OTL)-+
                                         :
                                         : M20-OUT
                                         : R088
                                         : +-(OTU)-+
                                         :
                                         :
                                         : 999
                                         : +-(GTO)-+
    
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When input closes, set the edge detect flag, reset the short response outputs and jump to the end of the PAL program.

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45      +-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
                                         M21-OUT
                                         R087
                                         : (OTU)-+
                                         :
                                         : MRSETFL
                                         : B005
                                         : +-(OTU)-+
                                         :
                                         : EDGEFL
                                         : B007
                                         : +-(OTU)-+
                                         :
                                         : M-REPLY
                                         : N039
                                         : +-(OTL)-+
                                         :
                                         :
                                         : 999
                                         : +-(GTO)-+
    
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If the first edge has been detected, and the output re-opens, then reset the long response outputs, the edge detect flag, the wait for reset flag, the M-reply flag and jump to the end of the PAL program.



END OF PAL PROGRAM



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This is the usage of immediate values in the ladder.

VARIABLE	REFERENCED BY:							
	RUNG	USAGE	RUNG	USAGE	RUNG	USAGE	RUNG	USAGE
12	18	(SLL)	18	(SLR)				
100	1	(GTO)	7	(LBL)				
120	10	(LBL)						
200	21	(LBL)						
300	26	(GTO)	29	(LBL)				
330	29	(GTO)	38	(LBL)				
340	30	(GTO)	40	(LBL)				
500	27	(GTO)	42	(LBL)				
700	24	(GTO)	43	(LBL)				
800	25	(GTO)	46	(LBL)				
900	23 (GTO)		28 (GTO)		32 (GTO)		33 (GTO)	
	38 (GTO)		39 (GTO)		40 (GTO)		41 (GTO)	
	49 (LBL)							
999	16 (GTO)		17 (GTO)		31 (GTO)		34 (GTO)	
	35 (GTO)		36 (GTO)		37 (GTO)		42 (GTO)	
	43 (GTO)		44 (GTO)		45 (GTO)		53 (LBL)	
00000	5	(GTI)						
00002	46	(EQI)						
00003	29	(EQI)						
00004	30	(EQI)						
00005	47	(EQI)						
00006	31	(LSI)						
00008	32	(EQI)						
00009	33	(EQI)						
00012	34	(EQI)						
00016	19	(ADI)						
00020	35	(EQI)						
00021	36	(EQI)						
00050	52	(TON)						
00150	38	(TON)	40	(TON)				

This is the usage of the A variables in the ladder.

VARIABLE	REFERENCED BY:							
	RUNG	USAGE	RUNG	USAGE	RUNG	USAGE	RUNG	USAGE
A001	18	(PUT)	19	(GET)				

This is the usage of B flags in the ladder.

VARIABLE	REFERENCED BY:							
	RUNG	USAGE	RUNG	USAGE	RUNG	USAGE	RUNG	USAGE
B003	23	-] [-	38	(OTL)	40	(OTL)	54	(OTU)
B005	2	(OTD)	24	-] [-	35	(OTL)	36	(OTL)
	45	(OTU)						
B007	2	(OTD)	43	-] \ [-	44	(OTL)	45	(OTU)
B051	34	(OTL)	52	(OTU)	52	-] [-		
B053	2	(OTD)	39	(OTL)	40	(OTU)	40	-] [-
	46	(OTU)	47	(OTU)	49	-] [-		
B054	2	(OTD)	38	(OTU)	38	-] [-	41	(OTL)
	46	(OTU)	47	(OTU)	50	-] [-		
B058	2	(OTD)	32	(OTL)	33	(OTU)	46	(OTU)
	51	-] [-						

This is the usage of G variables in the ladder.

VARIABLE	REFERENCED BY:							
	RUNG	USAGE	RUNG	USAGE	RUNG	USAGE	RUNG	USAGE
G001	29	(GET)	30	(GET)	31	(GET)	32	(GET)
	33	(GET)	34	(GET)	35	(GET)	36	(GET)
	46	(GET)	47	(GET)				
G002	42	(GET)						

This is the usage of H flags in the ladder.

VARIABLE	REFERENCED BY:							
	RUNG	USAGE	RUNG	USAGE	RUNG	USAGE	RUNG	USAGE
H032	25	-] [-						
H033	21	-] \ [-	26	-] [-				
H034	22	-] \ [-	27	-] [-				
H044	1	-] \ [-						
H050	7	-] [-	7	-] \ [-				
H051	8	-] [-	8	-] \ [-				
H052	9	-] [-	9	-] \ [-				
H093	7	-] [-	10	-] \ [-	11	-] \ [-		
H094	8	-] [-	12	-] \ [-	13	-] \ [-		
H095	9	-] [-	14	-] \ [-	15	-] \ [-		

This is the usage of L variables in the ladder.

VARIABLE	REFERENCED BY:							
	RUNG	USAGE	RUNG	USAGE	RUNG	USAGE	RUNG	USAGE
L001	19	(PUT)						
L002	5	(PUT)	42	(PUT)				
L039	42	(PUT)						

This is the usage of M flags in the ladder.

VARIABLE	REFERENCED BY:							
	RUNG	USAGE	RUNG	USAGE	RUNG	USAGE	RUNG	USAGE
M003	6	(OTD)	17	(OTL)				
M004	6	(OTD)	37	(OTL)				
M011	51	(OTE)						
M012	49	(OTE)						
M013	50	(OTE)						
M015	24	(OTE)						
M016	23	(OTE)						
M017	6	(OTD)	20	(OTE)				
M039	6	(OTD)	42	(OTL)				

This is the usage of N flags in the ladder.

VARIABLE	REFERENCED BY:							
	RUNG	USAGE	RUNG	USAGE	RUNG	USAGE	RUNG	USAGE
N001	7	(OTE)						
N002	8	(OTE)						
N003	9	(OTE)						
N009	10	(OTE)						
N010	11	(OTE)						
N011	12	(OTE)						
N012	13	(OTE)						
N013	14	(OTE)						
N014	15	(OTE)						
N027	3	(OTD)	17	(OTL)				
N030	3	(OTE)	16	(OTU)	17	(OTU)		
N037	3	(OTE)	16	(OTU)	17	(OTU)		
N038	16	(OTE)						
N039	21	(OTU)	31	(OTL)	32	(OTL)	33	(OTL)
	34	(OTL)	39	(OTL)	41	(OTL)	45	(OTL)
	48	(OTL)						
N040	22	(OTU)	42	(OTL)				
N044	3	(OTE)						
N045	3	(OTE)						
N046	4	(OTE)						
N053	4	(OTE)						
N057	4	(OTE)						
N062	4	(OTE)						
N063	4	(OTE)						
N064	5	(OTE)						

This is the usage of R flags in the ladder.

VARIABLE	REFERENCED BY:							
	RUNG	USAGE	RUNG	USAGE	RUNG	USAGE	RUNG	USAGE
R049	7	-J\[-	10	-J\[-				
R050	7	-J\[-	11	-J\[-				
R051	8	-J\[-	12	-J\[-				
R052	8	-J\[-	13	-J\[-				
R053	9	-J\[-	14	-J\[-				
R054	9	-J\[-	15	-J\[-				
R069	17	-] [-						
R070	20	-] [-						
R071	43	-J\[-	44	-] [-				
R072	1	-J\[-	16	-] [-				
R087	36	(OTL)	45	(OTU)				
R088	35	(OTL)	44	(OTU)				
R091	53	(OTE)						
R094	51	(OTE)						
R095	50	(OTE)	51	-] [-				
R096	49	(OTE)	51	-] [-				

This is the usage of timers in the ladder.

VARIABLE	REFERENCED BY:							
	RUNG	USAGE	RUNG	USAGE	RUNG	USAGE	RUNG	USAGE
T003	38	(TON)	40	(TON)	54	-J\[-		
T004	52	(TON)	53	-] [-				

This is the usage of V variables in the ladder.

VARIABLE	REFERENCED BY:							
	RUNG	USAGE	RUNG	USAGE	RUNG	USAGE	RUNG	USAGE
V001	18	(GET)						

This is the cross reference of the mnemonics use in the example ladder.

VARIABLE	REFERENCED BY:							
	RUNG	USAGE	RUNG	USAGE	RUNG	USAGE	RUNG	USAGE
RPM=	6	(OTD)	42	(OTL)				
ANASPRG	5	(PUT)	42	(PUT)				
COOLOUT	51	(OTE)						
COOLTFL	2	(OTD)	32	(OTL)	33	(OTU)	46	(OTU)
	51	-] [-						
DELAY	23	(OTE)						
DELAYFL	23	-] [-	38	(OTL)	40	(OTL)	54	(OTU)
DLYTIMR	38	(TON)	40	(TON)	54	-] [-		
DRIVEOK	3	(OTE)	16	(OTU)	17	(OTU)		
DRIVEON	3	(OTE)	16	(OTU)	17	(OTU)		
DRIVFLT	6	(OTD)	17	(OTL)				
DRVOKSW	17	-] [-						
EDGEFL	2	(OTD)	43	-] [-	44	(OTL)	45	(OTU)
ESTOPSW	1	-] [-	16	-] [-				
FLOODCL	51	(OTE)						
FLTCLR	1	-] [-						
FWD-OUT	49	(OTE)	51	-] [-				
HOMINGX	7	-] [-	10	-] [-	11	-] [-		
HOMINGY	8	-] [-	12	-] [-	13	-] [-		
HOMINGZ	9	-] [-	14	-] [-	15	-] [-		
INESTOP	16	(OTE)						
L TCHHLD	3	(OTD)	17	(OTL)				
LUBELSW	20	-] [-						
LUBLEVL	6	(OTD)	20	(OTE)				
M-CODE	29	(GET)	30	(GET)	31	(GET)	32	(GET)
	33	(GET)	34	(GET)	35	(GET)	36	(GET)
	46	(GET)	47	(GET)				
M-REPLY	21	(OTU)	31	(OTL)	32	(OTL)	33	(OTL)
	34	(OTL)	39	(OTL)	41	(OTL)	45	(OTL)
	48	(OTL)						
M12-OUT	53	(OTE)						
M12FLAG	34	(OTL)	52	(OTU)	52	-] [-		
M12TIMR	52	(TON)	53	-] [-				
M20-OUT	35	(OTL)	44	(OTU)				
M21-OUT	36	(OTL)	45	(OTU)				
MRSETFL	2	(OTD)	24	-] [-	35	(OTL)	36	(OTL)
	45	(OTU)						
MRSETSW	43	-] [-	44	-] [-				
MSTROBE	21	-] [-	26	-] [-				
ONXLIMF	10	(OTE)						
ONXLIMR	11	(OTE)						
ONYLIMF	12	(OTE)						
ONYLIMR	13	(OTE)	ONZLIMR		15	(OTE)		
ONZLIMF	14	(OTE)						

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QVRDVAL	19	(PUT)			
GVRDLSW	18	(GET)			
PSTROBE	25	-] [-			
REV-OUT	50	(OTE)	51	-] [-	
RPMVALU	42	(PUT)			
S-CODE	42	(GET)			
S-REPLY	22	(OTU)	42	(OTL)	
S2RPLCH	4	(OTE)			
SPDLFWD	49	(OTE)			
SPDLREV	50	(OTE)			
SPFWDFL	2	(OTD)	39	(OTL)	40 (OTU) 40 -] [-
	46	(OTU)	47	(OTU)	49 -] [-
SPREVFL	2	(OTD)	38	(OTU)	38 -] [- 41 (OTL)
	46	(OTU)	47	(OTU)	50 -] [-
SSTROBE	22	-] \ [-	27	-] [-	
T1RPLCH	4	(OTE)			
T2RPLCH	5	(OTE)			
TEMPREG	18	(PUT)	19	(GET)	
UNDMCOD	6	(OTD)	37	(OTL)	
WTFRRST	24	(OTE)			
XAXHOME	7	(OTE)			
XAXMVEN	3	(OTE)			
XFWDLSW	7	-] \ [-	10	-] \ [-	
XHOMDIR	7	-] [-	7	-] \ [-	
XREVLSW	7	-] \ [-	11	-] \ [-	
YAXHOME	8	(OTE)			
YAXMVEN	3	(OTE)			
YFWDLSW	8	-] \ [-	12	-] \ [-	
YHOMDIR	8	-] [-	8	-] \ [-	
YREVLSW	8	-] \ [-	13	-] \ [-	
ZAXHOME	9	(OTE)			
ZAXMVEN	4	(OTE)			
ZFWDLSW	9	-] \ [-	14	-] \ [-	
ZHOMDIR	9	-] [-	9	-] \ [-	
ZREVLSW	9	-] \ [-	15	-] \ [-	







