9-TRACK WRITE DATA FLOW

TAPE LINE DRIVER IN	TAPE LINE DRIVER OUT	WRITE DELAYS	HEAD	
VWBP	VTWA7	CW7 (CE/F03)	TRACK 4	
VWBO	VTWA6	CW6 (CE/FO4)	TRACK 7	
VWB1	VTWA5	CW5 (CE/F05)	TRACK 6	
VWB2	VTWA4	CW4 (CE/FO6)	TRACK 5	
VWB3	VTWA3	CW3 (CE/F07)	TRACK 3	
VWB4	VTWA2	CW2 (CE/FO8)	TRACK 9	
VWB5	VTWAI	CW1 (CE/F09)	TRACK 1	
VWB6	VTWA8	CW8 (CE/FO2)	TRACK 8	
VWB7	VTWA9	CW9 (CE/F01)	TRACK 2	
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9-TRACK READ DATA FLOW

HEAD	HEAD AMP	TAPE LINE REC	K REG INPUT	READ SKEW ADJUST
TRACK 1	CRA 3 (CA/B14)	VRA 3	V5LE	CC/D14
TRACK 2	CRA 1 (CA/B18)	VRA 1	V7LE	CC/D18
TRACK 3	CRA 5 (CA/B10)	VRA 5	V3LE	CC/D10
TRACK 4	CRA 7 (CA/BO6)	VRA 7	VPLE	CC/D06
TRACK 5	CRA 6 (CA/BO8)	VRA 6	V2LE	CC/D08
TRACK 6	CRA 8 (CA/BO4)	VRA 8	VILE	CC/D04
TRACK 7	CRA 9 (CA/BO2)	VRA 9	VOLE	CC/D02
TRACK 8	CRA 1 (CA/B16)	VRA 2	V6LE	CC/D16
TRACK 9	CRA4 (CA/B12)	VRA 4	V4LE	CC/D12

INTERBLOCK SPACING

9	Track	0.6 inch (Nominal)
7	Track	0.75 inch (Nominal)

TAPE MARK CODES

FORMAT	TRACKS		
7-Track Format	1, 2, 3, 4		
9-Track Format	2,3,8		

TAPE UNIT STATUS

TAPE UNIT STATUS	STATUS BYTE BIT SET	STATUS A	STATUS B
Non - Existent	Unit Check	0	0
Not Ready	Unit Check	0	1
Ready and Not Busy		1	0
Ready and Busy	Attention	1	1

MAINTENANCE AID

To capture first bad frame of data during a read or write instruction, insert an indicator card into location A24.

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MAINTENANCE CARD

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XF CODES

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BIT POSITION 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7	DESCRIPTION					
00000000	Test					
00110000	Test					
00010000	Set Inhibit Status					
00100000	Reset Inhibit Status					
00000100	Sense					
00000001	Write					
00000010	Read					
00001100	Read Backward					

CONTROL CODES

BIT POSITION 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7	DESCRIPTION
00000111	Rewind
0 0 0 0 1 1 1 1	Rewind with Interlock
0 0 0 1 0 1 .1 1	Erase
0 0 0 1 1 1 1 1	Write Tape Mark
00100111	Backspace Block
0 0 1 0 1 1 1 1	Backspace File
0 0 1 1 0 1 1 1	Forward Space Block
0 0 1 1 1 1 1 1	Forward Space File

MODE MODIFIERS

BIT POSITION 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7	DESCRIPTION
00000011 0000011 0000011 0000011 0000011 0000011 0000011 0000011 0000011 0000011	No Operation Set Density, Odd Parity, Data Converter On Set Density, Even Parity, Data Converter Off Set Density, Odd Parity, Data Converter Off Reset Fault-Finding Modes Set Device Simulation Mode Set Monitor Sense Mode Set Low Gain

TAPE DENSITY CODES

DENSITY	CODE
200 BPI	00
556 BPI	01
800 BPI	10
Not Used	11

MINIMUM RECOMMENDED RECORD LENGTH

Read	12 Data Frames	
Write	18 Data Frames	

MAINTENANCE PROCEDURE

STEP	PROCEDURE						
1	Set off-line-switch to Off Line						
2	Select Servo						
		thes (SC2) to select servo.					
	b. Press ADDR GATE switch to load unit register.						
3	Load Command						
		thes (SC2) to desired command.					
		GATE switch to load command register with and, Write, etc.).					
	c. Do not change data switches if command is a control command, since the decode is done in the output data register.						
4	Select mode of ope	ration with mode switches on SC1.					
	(1 O) MODE	DESCRIPTION					
	00 Single	Selected command is executed once, then unit stops.					
	0 1 Repeat	Executes selected command once (single mode) then goes to PCO and repeats.					
	1 O Alternate	Executes selected command once (single mode) then changes to read backward.					
	1 1 Calibration	Calibration mode allows writing at selected density with all binary 1 bits in every frame to end of tape.					
5	Set data switche	s for output data when writing prior to pressing START.					

MAINTENANCE PANEL

OFF LINE S		ODBO S		WRITE		INTRQ OFF/L	PC00		DRO (I)
MODE 0		ODB1		READ		BUSCK GO	PCO1		DR1
MODE 1		ODB2		BKWD		DLATE STSTR	PC02		DR2
DISP SEL		S ODB3		SPACE		WDCO UREG5	CR/CK EQ/CK		DR3
S ADDR		(5)		FILE		DC/CK UREG6	VRCWT D/CK		DR4
GATE		0DB4 S		REW		VRCRD UREG7	RAWAY NOISE		DR5
GATE		0DB5		MTW (I)		LR/CK DENSO	TMFLT D/CON		DR6
START		0DB6		ERASE		SKEW DENS1	EGAP SIM		DR7
CLEAR		0D87 S		UNIT		AUTO STOP	PULSE CATCH		1
SC1	1	SC2	,	IC1	1	IC2	IC3	1	1

				STATUS	STATUS AND SENSE BYTES	E BYTES			
	Bit	0	1	2	3	4	5	9	7
STATUS	BYTE	Attention	Status Modifier	Control Unit End	Busy	Channel End	Device End	Unit Check	Unit Exception
	Byte 0	Byte O Invalid Function	Intervention Required	Output Bus Check	Equipment Check	Data Check	Data Late	Word Count Zero	Data Converter Check
	Byte 1	Noise	Tape Unit Status "A" *	Tape Unit Status "B"	Seven Track	Load Point *	End of Tape	File Protect *	"0"
SENSE	Byte 2	0	0	,,0,,	"0"	,,0,,	,,0,,		
	Byte 3	Read Vertical Red. Check	Longitudinal Red. Check	Skew	Cyclic Red. Check	Write Vertical Red. Check	0	Backward *	,,0,,
	Byte 4	Runaway	Tape Motion Fault	"0"	,,0,,	,,0,,,	Stall	Tape Fault	,,0,,
	Byte 0	Program Ctr Bit 0	Program Ctr Bit 1	Program Ctr Bit 2	Density Bit O	Density Bit 1	Even Parity	Data Converter On	Fault Finding Mode On
	Byte 1	Write	Read	Backward	Space	File	Rewind	Write Tapemark	Erase
MONITOR	Byte 2	Backward/Loadpoint	Early Gap Write	Tapemark Detected	Low Gain	Early Terminate	Inhibit Status in	CRC Bit 0	CRC Bit 1
	Byte 3	CRC Bit 2	CRC Bit.3	CRC Bit 4	CRC Bit 5	CRC Bit 6	CRC Bit 7	CRC Bit P	LP Bit 0
	Byte 4	Byte 4 LP Bit 1	LP Bit 2	LP Bit 3	LP Bit 4	LP Bit 5	LP Bit 6	LP Bit 7	LP Bit P
*Sense in	nformation	bits modified by the cu	rrent status of the tape	*Sense information bits modified by the current status of the tape unit are indicated by *.					