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Preface

This pocket service guide provides reference information for Digital field service personnel working on the MicroVAX I computer.

The guide is divided into these sections:

OPERATION: Contains console commands, console halt codes, and a diagram of the front panel.

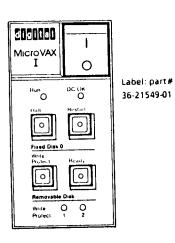
TROUBLESHOOTING: Contains flowcharts of the procedure to follow when locating problems, plus flowcharts for Macroverify, Microverify, and boot, along with examples of commonly used console commands.

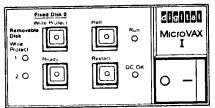
DIAGNOSTICS: Explains how to set-up and run MicroVAX I diagnostics.

REMOVAL & REPLACEMENT: Contains part numbers and a guide for gaining access to all FRUs.

SYSTEM CONFIGURATION: Contains module illustrations, and tables of jumpers and address assignments.

1: Operation





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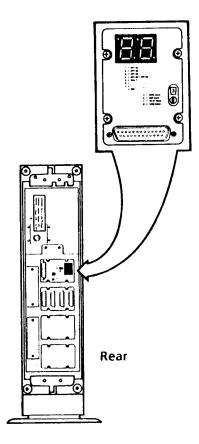
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Controls & Indicators	Function
System Power Switch	1 turns system power an, 0 turns system power off.
DC OK	Glows green if all DC voltages are present and within tolerance.
Run	Glows green when macroinstructions are being executed
Halt	Stops current program, does not shut down system, system enters console mode
Restart	Restarts computer operation, has no effect if Halt is latched in.
Fixed Disk Write Protect	Prohibits writing data to fixed disk.
Fixed Disk Ready	Glows green when out: fixed disk can be written to or read light off when in: fixed disk-cannot be written to or read light blinks during disk activity.
Removable Disk	LED glows when diskette is write
Write Protect	protected

Front panel (

CPU Patch Panel LEDs



Changing Modes

From Program I/O to Console	From Console to Program I/O
Press and latch-in Halt button on front control panel	 Press Halt button, if latched in, on front control panel
 Press Break on console keyboard, if Break is enabled 	Then issue BOOT, CONTINUE or START console commands
 Power up when recovery action is halt. 	
 Press Restart button on front control panel when recovery action is halt 	

Changing Modes

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LED Coding

DAP LEDs	LED Display	Meaning
LEDS	Display	
on, on, on	7	Microverify failed before completing the data path microsequencer test.
on, on, off	6	Error found on DAP module
on, off, on	5	Error found on MCT module.
on, off, off	4	Undetermined error in DAP/MCT interface
aff, an, an	3	Microverify worked as expected. If bootstrapping was attempted, bad memory was found. (An error code of 3 in the LEDs has several meanings. See the section below, "Error Code 3.")
off, on, off	2	No boot device was found.
off, off, on	1	Unable to boot from selected device.
off, off, off	•	Control has passed to the secondary bootstrap

Error Code 3

If Microverify completes successfully, it sets the LEDs to 3 and passes control to the console microcode.

Normally, Microverify is invoked because the system is powered on, and "warm start, boot, halt" is the default action set in the option switches. Assuming the normal case, the console microcode searches for 64Kb of contiguous good memory after it receives control. If the console microcode finds 64Kb of good memory, it loads the primary bootstrap from the boot EPROM into this memory, and transfers control to the primary bootstrap.

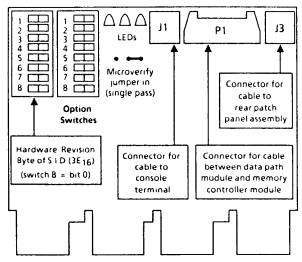
If the console microcode does not find 64Kb of contiguous good memory, the LEDs remain set to 3 (off, on, on)

If control passes to the primary bootstrap, the primary bootstrap also lights the LEDs on the DAP module, and the LED display on the rear patch panel assembly, to indicate its progress. If the primary bootstrap fails, an error code of 3, 2, or 1 is displayed in the LEDs to indicate the problem. If the primary bootstrap detects a parity error when it tests memory, it leaves the LEDs set at 2.

When the primary bootstrap completes successfully and passes control to the secondary bootstrap, all three LEDs on the DAP module are turned off, and the LED display is blank except for a lighted dot in the lower right-hand corner of the display

LED Coding

Switch Packs on Data Path Module



Option Switch Settings

Switch	On/Off	Meaning
8:7	both off	9600
baud	8 off, 7 on	19,200
rate	8 on, 7 off	300
select	both on	1200
6	off	no effect
5	off	break key disabled
break	on	break key enabled
detect		·
4:3	both off	warm start, boot, halt
recovery	4 off, 3 on	boot or halt
action	4 on, 3 off	warm start or halt
	both on	hait
2	off	VT100 compatible
console	on	bit-mapped graphics
terminal		terminal
1	off	all devices searched
bootstrap	on	disk/diskette drives
search order		bypassed

Control Key Functions

Key	Control Function	
Break	If enabled, puts you in console mode from program I/O mode and causes the command prompt (> >) to appear. The system is shipped with the Break key disabled.	
CTRL/U	Aborts the current command and returns the console command prompt (>>>).	
Delete	Aborts the current command and returns the console command prompt (>>>).	
Return	Terminates the command string and executes the command.	

Console Command Summary

Command		Format	
В	Boot	>>>B qualifier device-name (see table below for arguments)	
C	Continue	>>>0	
D	Deposit	>>>D qualifier-list location data (see table on next page for arguments)	
E	Examine	>>>E qualifier-list location data (see table on next page for arguments)	
н	Halt	>>>H	
l	Initialize	>>>۱	
N	Single Macro Instruction Step	>>N	
s	Start	>>>\$ location	
Ť	Test	1<<<	
U	Unjam	>>>∪	
х		>>>X location count CR checksum	

BOOT Command Device Names

Device	Name	Device	Name
Disk unit 0	DUA0	Disk unit 3	DUA3
Disk unit 1	DUA1	MRV11 PROM	PRA0
Disk unit 2	DUA2	DEQNA	XQA0

DAP Option Switches

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Console Commands

DEPOSIT and EXAMINE Command Qualifiers

Qualifier	Function
В	A byte of data
W	A word of data
L	A longword of data, this is the default data size
Р	Data is to be deposited or examined at a physical memory address. This is the initial default address space for the DEPOSIT command.
V	At a virtual memory address
G	In a general register. Only longword data in this register (a data length qualifier will be ignored)
ı	in an internal processor register. Only longword data in this register (a data length qualifier will be ignored). These registers are listed and described in the Appendix under Privileged Registers.
M	In a machine specific register. Only longword data is deposited in this register (a data length qualifier will be ignored). These registers are listed and described in the Appendix under Privileged Registers.

DEPOSIT and EXAMINE Command Locations

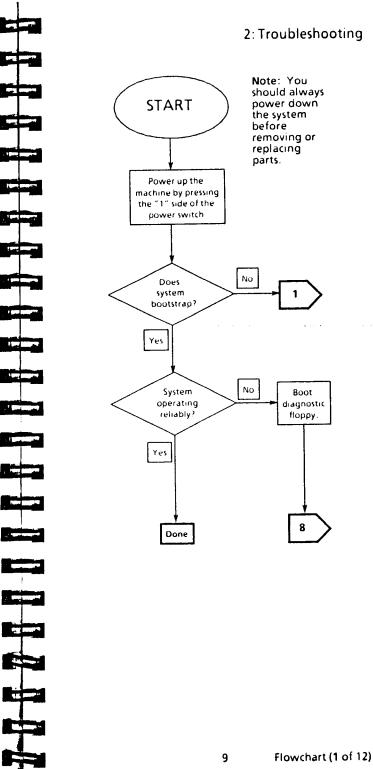
Location	Meaning	
address	The address or register number where data is to be deposited or examined. This is expressed as a hexadecimal number. If a register number is supplied, only the lowest hexadecimal digit is used. If an address is supplied only the lowest 8 digits are used.	
*	The data is to be deposited or examined at the last location deposited or examined in a previous DEPOSIT or EXAMINE command.	
@	The data is to be deposited or examined at the address represented by the last data examined or deposited	
+	The data, plus the size of the last data, is to be deposited or examined at the last location specified in a previous DEPOSIT or EXAMINE command	
-	The data, minus the size of the last data, is to be deposited or examined at the last location specified in a previous DEPOSIT or EXAMINE command.	
ρ	The data is to be deposited or examined in the processor status longword	

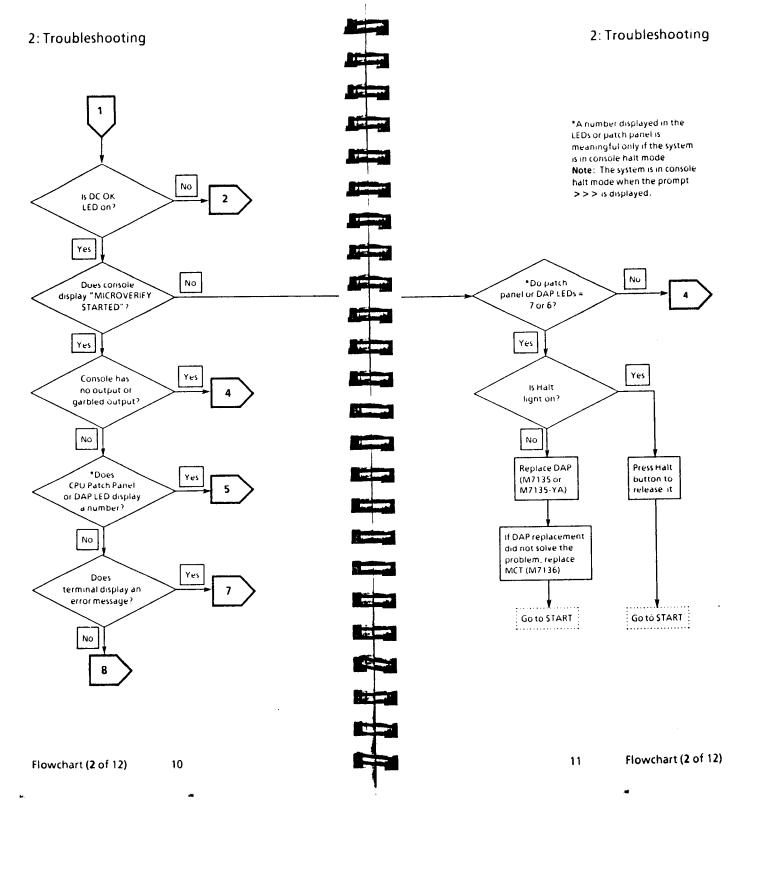
Console Halt Codes

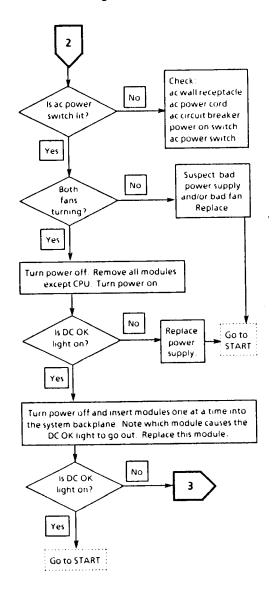
Code	Meaning	
00	Not used	
01	Microverify succeeded	
02	Console halt/break	
03	Power up	
04	The interrupt stack was not valid when the CPU tried to push the PC/PSL during an exception or an interrupt.	
05	A second machine check occurred while the CPU was processing an existing machine check.	
06	A Halt instruction was executed while the processor was in kernel mode	
07	Not used	
08	Not used	
09	Not used	
0A	A CHMx instruction was executed when the CPU was executing on the interrupt stack	
0В	Not used	
0C	A hard memory error occurred while the CPU was trying to read a system control block vector.	
0D-10	Not used	
FF	Microverify failed	

Console Error Codes

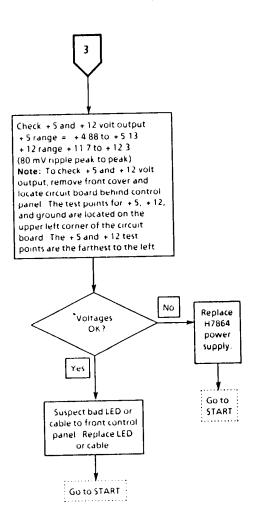
Code	Meaning
711	An attempt has been made to examine data from, or deposit data into, an illegal internal processor register
?7F	An attempt has been made to examine data from, or deposit data into, an illegal machine register
?20	Machine check resulting from, for example, trying to examine data from non-existent memory
?30	Checksum error in an X command







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2: Troubleshooting 2: Troubleshooting A number displayed in the LEDs or patch * Any time you change 5 panel is meaningful only if the system is the baud rate, you in console halt mode must either press the Note: The system is in console halt mode Restart button on the front panel, or power when the prompt >>> is displayed the machine off and Make sure terminal is on line, then back on for the Yes then check baud rate on CPU is Halt new baud rate to *LED = 7,6? patch panel and terminal light on? take effect. No No No *Set speed to Press halt Do they equal on terminal Replace DAP (M7135 button to agree? and patch panel or M7135-YA) release it Yes Go to START Check option switches 7 and 8 on DAP module Yes Replace MCT *LED = 5? (M7136) *Set DAP No option switches option No set for 9600 baud switches to (both off)? 9600 baud First, check that the over-the-top (switches Yes 7and 8 off) connector is seated Yes *LED = 4? properly If it is, replace DAP first, then MCT, then Suspect cables: over-the-top cable • terminal cable Νο • CPU to patch panel cable Yes *LED = 3? Did Yes cable replacement correct the problem? No No

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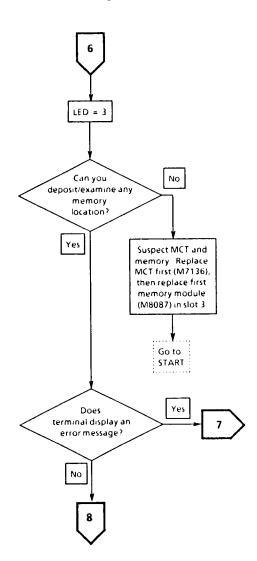
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Repair terminal

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Go to START

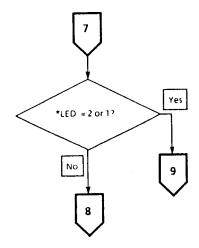
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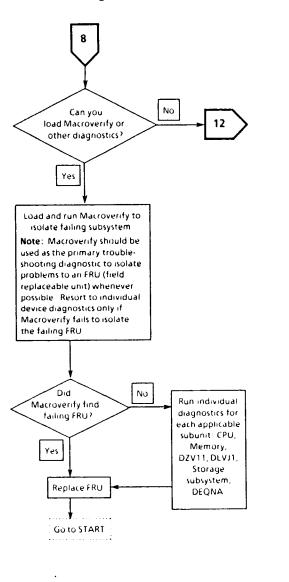
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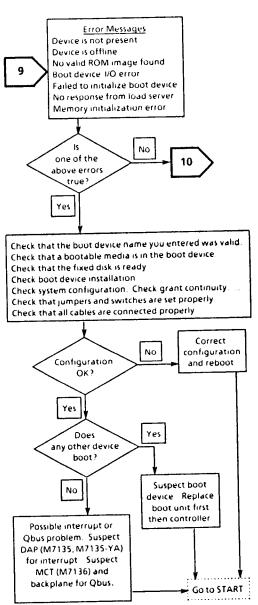
A number displayed by the LEDs or patch panel is meaningful only if the system is in console halt mode Note: The system is in console halt mode when the prompt >>> is displayed.

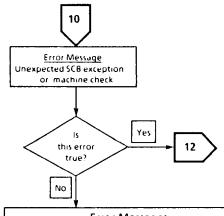


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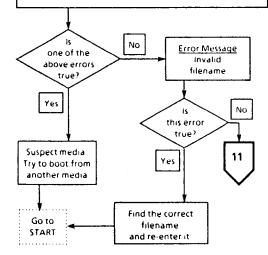






<u>Error Messages</u> No valid boot device is present in the configuration.

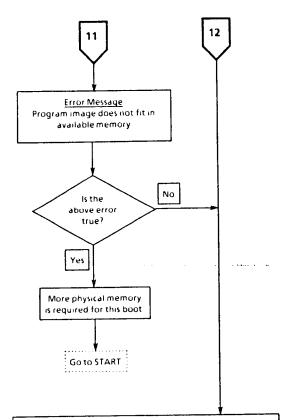
None of the bootable devices contains a program image.
Program image not found
Invalid boot device file structure.
Program image file not contiguous.
File checksum error
Bad file structure header
Bad volume directory
Invalid program image format
Premature end of file.
Unexpected exception after starting program image.



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2: Troubleshooting



Fatal system error, possibly caused by multiple failures. Try to change failure symptom by removing subsystems First, try reducing system to the CPU, one memory module (M8087), the RQDX1controller (M8639), and the RX50 Then follow the troubleshooting flowchart from the beginning

If successful, replace the failing unit, and add back the removed items one at a time

Follow the troubleshooting flowchart for each item added back to verify that there are no additional failing field replaceable units (FRUs)

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Microverify Diagnostic Flowchart

(Testing sequence corresponds to numerical order of tests and subtests)

Test		LED	Terminal Displays	
ŧ	sub#	Dis- play	Infinite Loop Mode	Single Pass
		7		
)		6	"0", followed by line feed & carriage return.	
)		6	"Microverify Starte line feed and cai (followed by "1" in infin	rriage return
2		6	"2"	
3		6	"3"	
•		4	"4"	
5	<u> </u>	5		
	1	4	"•"	
	2	5	"+"	
_	3	4	"+"	
	4	5	" + "	
	5	5	"+"	
	6	5	"+"	
	7	5	"+"	
	8	5	"5"	
6		5	"6"	
7	1	4	". + "	
	2	4	"+"	
	3	6	" + "	
_	· :	6	"7"	

	Test Description
Ņ	Main n Sequencer Test
<u>[</u>	<u>Data Path Chip Test</u> tests all opcodes with byte, word & longword nterval timer, all ROM constants, general register reads & writes, etc
9	<u>Console Subsystem Test:</u> tests data read/write in local loopback mode console interrupt priorities, etc
	Tests OR-MUX logic with IB invalid
•	Tests ID bus registers and ID bus lines
	Tests DAP & MCT interface signals and the Handshaking sequence: busy, required acknowledge, MCT control store, MCT sequencer, etc
	Setting up test
	Tests MCT adder with 8-bit pattern
_	Tests MCT data bus (MCD) & control bus (MCA), and rotator & reverse pass logic, all with 8-bit pattern
	Same logic test as subtest 2, but with a 32-bit pattern.
_	Tests MCT register file with a 32-bit pattern
	Tests cache with a 32-bit pattern
_	Tests TB with a 32-bit pattern
	Tests unique cache addresses
	Tests unique TB addresses.
_	Tests to ensure that If-write-cache-enable & power-up will invalidate all cache locations. Also tests MCT adder, MCT page cross, and MCT sequencer.
	Tests the DAP/MCT interface, and memory control bus/L byte with various patterns
_	Tests sign/zero extenders
	Tests DAP operation during 1-stream request & memory request: increments PC correctly, saves size information

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	Test		Terminal Displays	
#	sub#	Dis- play	Infinite Loop Mode	Single Pass
8		4	"8"	
9		6	"9"	
10		6	"A"	
11		4	"B"	
12	1	6	"+"	
	2	6	" + "	
	3	6	" + "	
	4	6	"+"	
	5	6	"+"	
L	6	6	" + "	
	7	6	" + "	
<u> </u>	8		"C"	
13		6	"D"	
14		6	"£"	
15		5	"F"	
		3	Carriage return & linefeed, "Microverify Passed", carriage return & linefeed	

	Test Description
	Tests IB invalid to OR-MUX.
	Tests opcode decode control logic: PC incrementer, size register, and various specific decodes
	Tests OR-MUX states with and without IB invalid set: branch, decode, index, size, states, etc
	Tests OR-MUX in memory state: TB miss, access violation, page crossings, etc. (verifies MCT to OR-MUX)
	Tests jump MUX with "always" condition
	No test.
" الدوسا	Tests jump MUX with "never" condition
	Tests jump MUX with "IB OK" condition
	Tests jump MUX with "console halt" condition.
للبراك	Tests jump MUX with "interrupt pending" condition
	Tests jump MUX with "stack register" selected.
	Tests jump MUX with "register destination" selected
	Tests trap & conditional decrement logic in micro-sequencer
	Calculate and verify the boot ROM check sum
	Tests MCT CSR registers.
	Prints "Microverify Passed" message, then returns control to console microcode

Microverify Flowchart

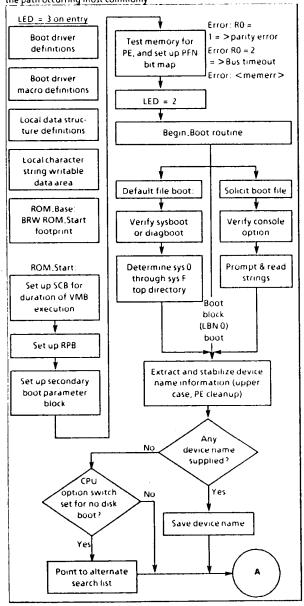
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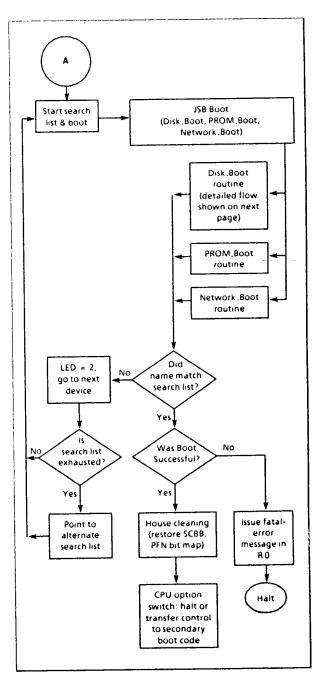
Microverify Flowchart

VMBUVAX I Boot flowchart

Note: This MicroVAX I boot flowchart is a simplified representation of the Boot.Prom code — This chart shows one possible path. Disk.Boot, the path occurring most commonly



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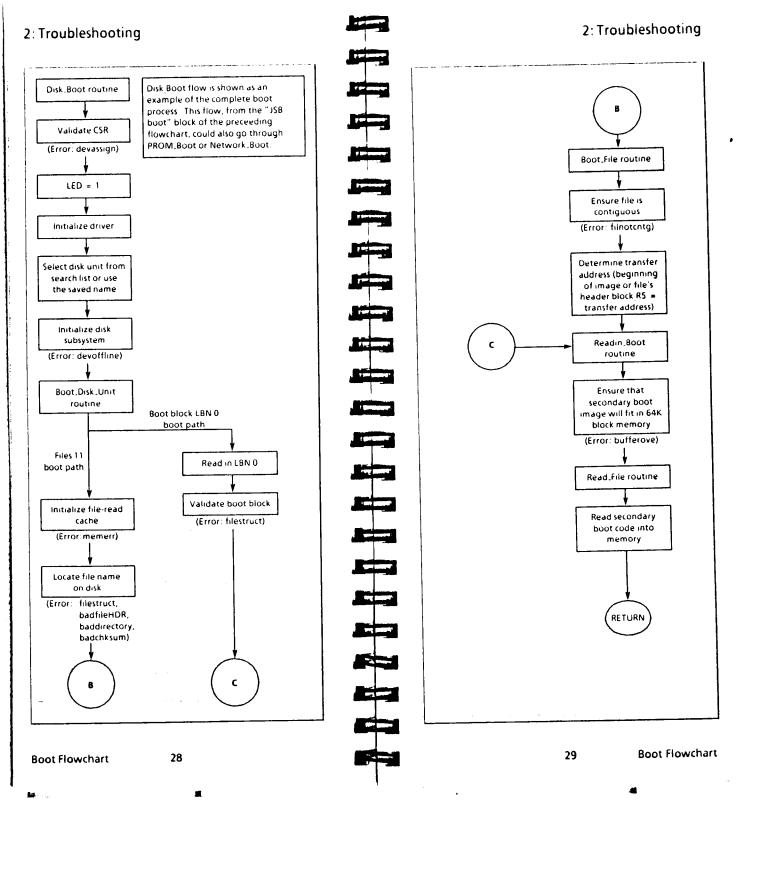


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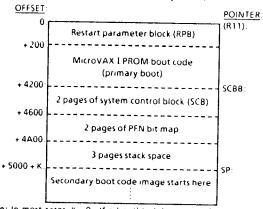
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Boot Flowchart



Memory Layout

(when control is passed to secondary boot)



Note: In most cases, K=0 If a bootblock boot is performed, K is the offset specified in LBN 0, and LBN 0 contains the bootblock format

Boot Command Flags (/n values)

Bit No.	Hex Flag Value	Flag Name and Meaning
3	00000008	BOOTBLOCK – Secondary boot from bootblock. When this bit is set, the primary bootstrap skips the normal operation, which is to search the volume as a files-11 volume. Instead, the primary bootstrap reads logical block number 0 of the volume and tests it for conformance with the bootblock format.
4	00000010	DIAGNOSTIC – Diagnostic boot. When this bit is set, the secondary bootstrap is the image called [SYS0 SYSMAINT]DIAGBOOT EXE
6	00000040	HEADER – Image header if this bit is not set, the primary bootstrap transfers control to the first byte of the secondary bootstrap file. If this bit is set, the primary bootstrap transfers control to the address of the secondary bootstrap obtained from that file's image header.
7	00000080	NOTEST – Memory test inhibit. This flag disables parity checking during boot.
8	00000100	SOLICT - Solicit file name. When this bit is set, the primary bootstrap prompts for the name of a secondary bootstrap file.
9	00000200	HALT – Halt before transfer. When this bit is set, it causes a Halt instruction to be executed before transferring control to the secondary bootstrap
31:28	X0000000	TOPSYS X can be any value from 0 through F (hex) The TOPSYS flag changes the top level directory name for system disks with multiple operating systems. For instance, if X = 1, the top level directory name is [SYS1]

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Restart Parameter Block

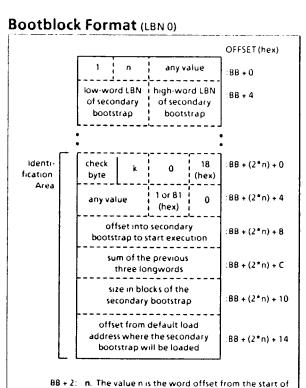
This table shows the contents of the RPB when the primary bootstrap transfers control to the secondary bootstrap

OFFSET				
00:	address of the RPB			
04	0			
08:	0			
OC:	0			
10:	PC at restart/halt			
14:	PSL at restart/halt			
18:	restart reason from microcode			
1C:	saved boot parameter R0			
20:	saved boot parameter R1			
24.	saved boot parameter R2			
28:	saved boot parameter R3			
2C:	saved boot parameter R4			
30:	saved boot parameter R5			
34:	two longwords reserved			
3C:	disk block address of secondary image			
40:	size of secondary bootstrap file			
44:	descriptor for PFN bitmap (two longwords)			
4C:	count of good physical pages			
50:	reserved			
54:	physical CSR address of boot device			
58:	four longwords reserved			
68:	boot file name in ASCII, up to 40 characters			
	(ten longwords)			
90:	eight longwords reserved			
B0:	system control block base address			

Secondary Bootstrap Argument List

This table shows the argument list prepared by the primary bootstrap for the secondary bootstrap

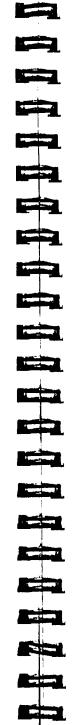
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(AP) + 0:	12
(AP) + 4:	reserved
(AP) + 8:	reserved
(AP) + C:	lowest valid PFN
(AP) + 10:	highest valid PFN
(AP) + 14:	PFN map byte size
(AP) + 18:	address of the PFN bitmap
(AP) + IC:	reserved
(AP) + 20:	reserved
(AP) + 24:	reserved
(AP) + 28:	7 (processor ID)
(AP) + 2C:	reserved
(AP) + 30:	reserved



the block to the identification area described below.

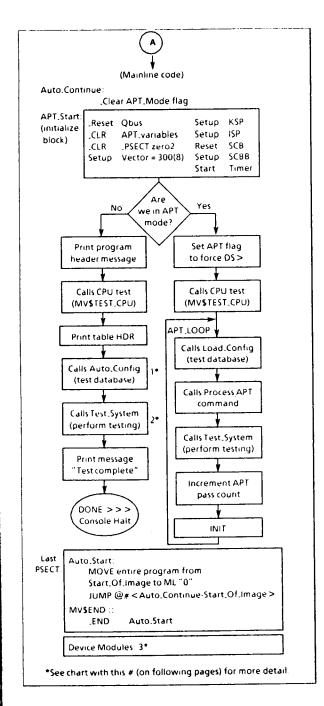
BB + (2*n) + 0: 18 (hex). This byte defines the expected instruction set; 18 means VAX

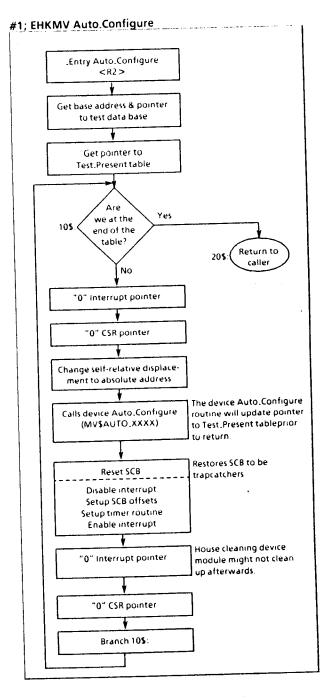
BB+(2*n)+5: 1 or B1 (hex). This byte defines the version number of the format standard and the type of disk. The version is 1. The high bit is 0 for single-sided and 1 for double-sided



Macroverify (EHKMV) Flowchart

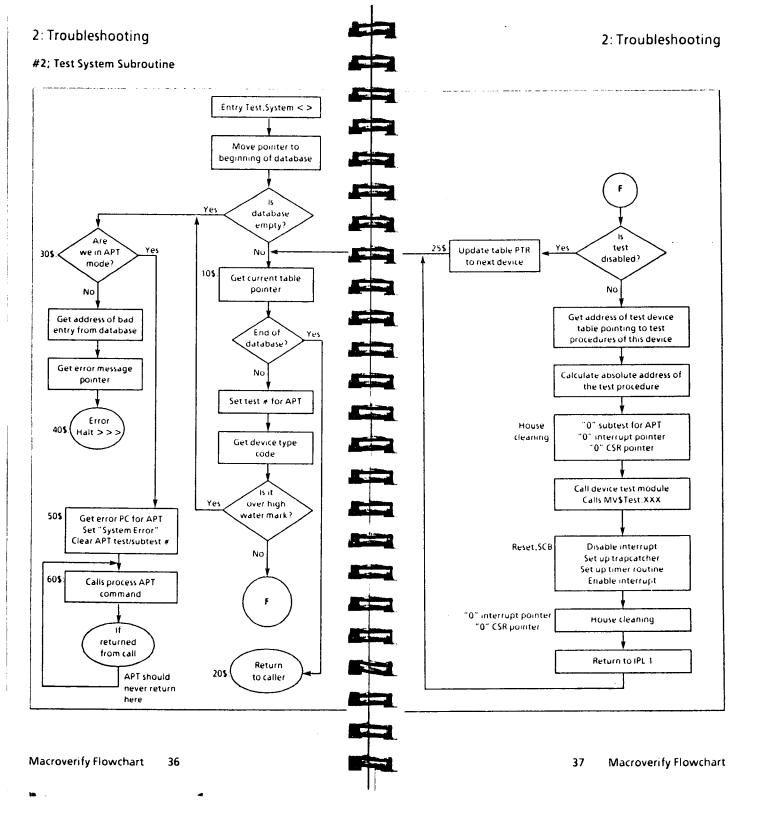
@ML '220' BRW Dump database; debugging entry STARTOF IMAGE @ "0" @ML "240"; APT debugging entry @ML "200"; BRW APT_Start "0": BRW Auto.Start Misc data Rev (EHKMV) Size # of devices Rev (CPU) APT table Program data storage Stacks PTRs Test data base Timer Test,Present Self relative offsets to MV\$ AUTO,XXX of each device module linked with EHKMV Test_Device Self relative offsets to MV\$ TEST.XXX of each device module linked with EHKMV SCB (400) Char string def





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Macroverify Flowchart



#3; Example of Flow Through a Module (DZV11 shown)

Miscellaneous definition:

APT constants
Test database format
Device Code

CPU related constants

Insertion into EHKMV
Test.Present &
Test.Device tables:
\$MVAUTOCONFIGURE
\$MVTESTDEVICE

Device-specific definition:

First CSR offset into I/O page Vector size (# of bytes) CSR size (# of bytes) Register offsets CSR bit definition RBUF bit definition LPR bit definition

Module data area:

Pointer to advisory string
Bit-map for loopback
connector
Messages:
Disconnect " "
Loopback " "
Vectors " "
Grant " "

Auto.Configure code:

.Entry MV\$AUTO.DZV11

RET

Test. Device code:

Entry MV\$TEST_DZV11

Print first part of message

Subtest 1: Verify CSR

Subtest 2: Verify master CSR

Subtest 3: Verify receiver channel is clean

Subtest 4: Verify loopback connectors are all installed

Subtest 5: Verify transmitter interrupt vector address

Subtest 6: Verify receiver interrupt vector address

Subtest 7: Data test maintenance loopback

Subtest 8: Data test external loopback

RET

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Commonly Used Console Commands

Finding the hardware address of a DEQNA module

The last two characters of each output string, when joined consecutively, form the DEQNA module's address

>>> E/P/W 2000F920

P 2001920 0000FFAA

>>> E+

P 200019220000FF00

>>> E+

P 20001924 0000FF03

_ _ _ _

P 20001926 0000FF**01**

>>> £+

P 20001928 0000FF12

>>> E+

P 2000192A 0000FF49

This DEQNA's address is AA-00-03-01-12-49

Examining the CPU microcode revision

>>> E/I 3E

I 0000003E 07010500

Byte 3 = 07; CPU type is MicroVAX 1

Byte 2 = 01; "D" floating format

00; "F" floating format

Byte 1 = 05; software revision level is 5

Byte 0 = 00; hardware revision level is 0

Example of 1 Mb Memory Test

This program puts a longword memory address into the corresponding longword memory location.

This program's memory section, ML"0" through ML "7", will be skipped

--DEPOSIT

8(hex) into R 0

; to skip this program.

-- DEPOSIT

3FFFF(hex) into R 1

; to load 1 Mb of memory with its own address.

80 50 D0 1\$: MOVL R 0, (R 0) + FA 51 F5 SOBGTR R 1, 1\$

00 Hal

>>> D/P/L 0 F58050D0

; deposit first 4 bytes into ML "0"

>>> D + FA51

; deposit next 4 bytes into memory

location "4"

>>> D/G/L 0 8

; deposit "8" into R 0

>>> D + 3FFFF

; deposit value of 256 K into R 1

>>> 50

; starts execution at ML "0"

These examples use a MicroVAX I with a DLVJ1 asynchronous serial line interface. There is a VT100 attached to line 0 on the

Examining and Depositing CSR of an I/O Device

>>> E/P/W 2000FD44

; examine XCSR channel 0 on DLV,

XCSR = 776504 (2000FD44)

P 2000FD44 00000080; transmit buffer is ready

>>> D + 41

; deposit ASCII "A" to channel 0

>>>

XBUF, XBUF = 776506(2000FD46); an "A" should appear at the

terminal

Loading Programs by Using the Deposit Command

This example types "ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ" on a terminal through a DLVI1 device

; R 4 = loop count (26)

; R 2 = ASCII "A"

; R 0 = DLV11 base address

 $(776500_{OCt} = 2000FD40_{hex})$

MOVLR4,R3

; R 3 <---- loop count

MOVW R 2, R 1

; R 1 <---- starting ASCII character

(A)

1\$: MOVW 4(R 0), R 5

; read XCSR status

BBC #7, R5, 1\$ MOVW R 1, 6(R0) ; loop if not ready

INCW R 1

; write character to XBUF

SOBGTRR3,1\$

; next character ; loop if not finished

HALT END

>>> D/G 4 1A

; R4 <---- character count

>>> D 2 41

; R 2 <---- ASCII "A"

>>> D 0 2000FD40

; RO <---- DLVJ1 base address

>>> D/P/L 0 B05354D0 ; start entering program

>>> D + A0805152

>>> D + 07E15544

>>> D + 5180F855

>>> D + 518606A0

>>> D + 00EF53F5

; program ends with a HALT

The program can be checked by using the EXAMINE command

>>> E/P/L 0

; examine a longword with physical

address

P 00000000 BO5354D0

>>> E +

; examine next (other attributes are

from previous console instruction)

P 00000004 A0805152

>>> E/B +

; examine a byte using next address

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The START command will run the program

00000018 06

>>>

If PC is set to point to the beginning of the program, the program can be stepped through using the NEXT command.

>>> D/GF0

; PC <---- 0

>>> N 00000003 BO5152B0 ; MOVW R 1, R 2

>>> N 00000006 5504A080 ; MOVW 4(R 0), 55

>>> N 0000000A F85507E1 ; BBC #7, R 5, 1\$

Option Module CSRs

Option	Module #	First CSR		Vector	
		Octal	Hex.	Öctal	
MSV11-PL	M8067-LA	772100	2000F440	••	
M\$V11-PK	M8067-KA	772100	2000F440	••	
DZV11	M7957	760010*	2000E008	300-760	
DLVJ1	M8043	776500	2000FD40	300-760	
RQDX1	M8639-YA	772150	2000F468	154	
DEQNA	M7054	774440	2000F920	120	

^{*}This is first CSR as the module is shipped. It must be changed to 760100 (2000E040) for first DZV11 in a MicroVAX I.

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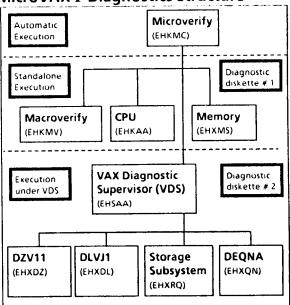
Option Module CSRs

Diagnostics Summary

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Diagnostic	Diskette	Space needed	Run time
Microverify	Noneexecut	ed automaticall	у
Macroverify	"1 of 2"	30 Kb	4 minutes
СРИ	"1 of 2"	196 Kb	2 minutes
Memory	"1 of 2"	30 Kb	12min/256 Kb full testing (default), 7 min/256 Kb no memory parity testing
DZV11	"2 of 2"	512 Kb	5 minutes
DLVJ1	"2 of 2"	512 Kb	10 min @ 150 baud 3 min. @ 38,400 baud
Storage Subsystem	"2 of 2"	512 Kb	< 10 minutes for any valid disk configuration
DEQNA	"2 of 2"	512 Kb	5 minutes
Item			Part Number
Diskette "1 of 2" Diskette "2 of 2" MicroVAX I field maintenance printset Diagnostics kit (both diskettes,			#BL-T856A-DE #BL-T857A-DE #MP-01896-01
	(both diskettes, Jal, MicroVAX I p	orint set)	#ZHO55-C3

MicroVAX I Diagnostics Structure



Microverify

Microverify consists of permanently resident microcode. It is executed automatically when system power is turned on

You may specifically invoke Microverify by issuing the TEST console command

Operation

Microverify has two modes of operation, single pass and infinite loop. A jumper on the Data Path Module (DAP) determines which mode is in effect

JUMPER

in single pass (default mode)

Out infinite loop

Macroverify (EHKMV.EXE)

Diskette	Space nee	ded	Run time
"1 of 2"	30 Kb		4 minutes

- All devices in the configuration must be powered up
- Set disk drives to write-enabled.
- Place diskettes in each diskette drive.
- Disconnect any external cables from the DLVII or DZVII patch panels. Loopback test connectors may be connected on the DLVII or DZVII patch panel lines; see the description of these diagnostics.

Booting

Insert diagnostic floppy "1 of 2" into the top or left floppy drive (this will usually be designated as drive 1) and type:

>>>B DUA1

Operation

Macroverify runs until completion without you having to intervene. When it has finished running, a HALT instruction is executed and the console command prompt (>>>) is displayed

If the diagnostic does not issue a message regarding the test status of any single device after the amount of time allotted in the test output has expired, you should assume there is a problem with the device and perform the replacement procedure described in "FRU Removal and Replacement."

NOTE: Testing will NOT destroy disk data.

CPU Diagnostic (EHKAA.EXE)

Diskette	Space needed	Run time
"1 of 2"	196 Kb	2 minutes

Booting

Insert diskette "1 of 2" into the first RX50 diskette drive (this will usually be designated as drive 1) and type:

>>>B/100 DUA1

Bootfile: [SYS0 SYSMAINT]EHKAA EXE

Operation

Once the diagnostic is bootstrapped, the tests are run continuously. After each 10 passes of the diagnostic (this takes approximately 20 seconds), a single line, containing the version number of the diagnostic, is listed. The diagnostic continues until an error is detected or until you terminate the program by pressing the Halt pushbutton.

Memory Diagnostic (EHXMS.EXE)

Diskette	space needed	Kun time		
"1 of 2"	30 Kb	12 min/256 Kb for full testing (default),		
		7 min/256 Kb with no		
		memory parity testing.		

Booting

Insert diskette "1 of 2" into the first RXSO diskette drive (this will usually be designated as drive 1) and type:

>>>B/100 DUA1

Bootfile: [SYS0 SYSMAINT]EHXMS EXE

Operation

Once the diagnostic is bootstrapped, it produces a header message which contains the diagnostic version number. You are then prompted to issue commands which control the diagnostic

Memory Diagnostic HELP File

The diagnostic's HELP file, printed below, contains a description of the diagnostic's commands, options, and syntax:

EHXMS > HELP

HELP Information for EHXMS - MSV11-PL/K Memory Diagnostic

Valid Commands:

DISABLE option Disables testing option (see below) ENABLE option Enables testing option (see below)

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HELP MEMORY SIZE [size] Output this message. Set expected memory size

START |test#|

(specified in Kb). Start testing at test 1 or specified test number

VIEW

Print status of testing options

Valid test options:

BELL	(enabled)	Sounds terminal bell on errors
ERRORS	(enabled)	Prints error message when hardware error is detected
HALT	(enabled)	Stops testing when hardware error is detected.
LOOP	(disabled)	Loop testing on any test that fails.
MAP	(enabled)	Prints memory map before starting test.
PARITY	(enabled)	Performs Force Bad Parity test during test process
RELOCATION	(enabled)	Relocates diagnostic to high

RELOCATION (enabled)

memory during testing.

TRACE

(disabled) Prints test name on terminal

before starting test.

Command and test options may be abbreviated to their first letter

NOTE: The following error message requires that you run the CPU diagnostic, recheck the memory, and replace any faulty memory modules. If the fault persists you may need to replace the CPU

 Unexpected trap or exception or interrupt via SCB vector [vector] Return PC would be [number]

DZV11 Diagnostic (EHXDZ.EXE)

Diskette

Space needed

Run time

"2 of 2"

512 Kb (includes VDS) 5 minutes

Setting Up

- Install a loopback test connector (H329) on the DZV11 module to run the complete diagnostic
- Install jumpers W1 W4 on each DZV11 under test (the DZV11 is shipped with these jumpers installed)
- Disconnect all external cables from the DZV11 patch panel before starting the diagnostic.

Booting

Insert diskette "2 of 2" into the first RX50 diskette drive (this will usually be designated as drive 1) and type:

>>> B/10 DUA1 VDS header

The following defines the first DZV11 installed (if no other device with a floating vector is installed):

D\$ > ATTACH DZV11 HUB TTA 760100 300

DS > SELECT TTA

DS > RUN EHXDZ

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Operation

Before running the diagnostic, ATTACH and SELECT all of the units to be tested. All four channels of each selected DZV11 will be tested. The following information is required in order to attach a DZV11. It must be supplied in the order shown (examples in brackets define the first DZV11 installed).

- The device type [DZV11].
- The link type [HUB]
- The device name {TTA}—This is specified as TTx, where x is either A, B, etc. for successive DZV11 modules under test
- The base control and status register (CSR) address (specified in octal) [760100]. This is the Q22 bus address of the group of 4 device registers that the DZV11 provides for programmed control.
- The base vector address (specified in octal) [300]. This is the base vector address of the group of two interrupt vectors that the DZV11 provides for programmed control.

DZV11 HELP File

The diagnostic's HELP file, printed below, contains a description of the DZV11 diagnostic's commands, options, and syntax:

DS > help ehxdz .

HELP EHXDZ

This program checks the functionality of the DZV11 providing error messages that may aid in the repair of the device. The diagnostic uses the internal loopback mode to check most of the circuitry of the device.

DEVICE

This program will be runnable only on a MicroVAX I computer and with a VAX Diagnostic Supervisor of version 6.12 or later. This program is a level 3 functional diagnostic and will not support any device other than the DZV11.

DEVICE

DZV11

Description: DZV11 Asynchronous four-line

communications interface

link: HUB

Generic name: TTa

Additional information:

QBUS CSR (octal 760000-777776) < 760100 >

QBUS vector loctal 2-776

Tested by EHXDZ

REQUIREMENTS

HARDWARE:

MicroVAX I processor with

512Kb of memory, DZV11 M7957

OPTIONAL HARDWARE: H329 turnaround connector,

another terminal

SOFTWARE:

VAX Diagnostic Supervisor V6.12

or later

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EVENT

There are no user-settable event flags

QUICK

This diagnostic does not use the VDS QUICK-pass flag

SUMMARY

This diagnostic does not produce a summary report

MANUAL

Test section ECHO (test 22) requires manual intervention A terminal must be connected to one of the channels and the operator must enter characters finishing with a control-z to complete the test

SECTIONS

This program consists of 22 tests in six sections. The default and "INTERNAL" sections include tests 1 thru 19. Section "ALL" includes tests 1 thru 21 and requires an H329 turnaround connector. Section "MODEM" is test 20 and requires an H329 turnaround connector. Section "STAGGERED" includes tests 20 and 21 and requires an H329 turnaround connector. Section "ECHO" is test 22 and requires manual intervention and a terminal connected to a DZV11 channel.

SECTIONS

DEFAULT

Used for minimal testing. This section includes tests 1 thru 19. Internal logic is tested.

SECTIONS

INTERNAL

Used for minimal testing. This section includes tests 1 thru 19. Internal logic is tested. This is exactly the same as the DEFAULT section.

SECTIONS

MODEM

Used to test the modem control feature. Requires an H329 turnaround connector. This section includes test 20 only.

SECTIONS

STAGGERED

Used to test staggered loopback mode Requires an H329 turnaround connector. This section includes tests 20 and 21.

SECTIONS

ALL

Used to test all internal circuitry Requires an H329 turnaround connector. This section includes tests 1 thru 21.

SECTIONS

ECHO

Used to verify communications with an external terminal. Requires manual intervention and a terminal. The operator is required to respond to one question on the console and to enter characters on the external terminal. The test completes when a control-z is entered. This section includes test 22 only.

ATTACHING

The following is an example of how to attach the device to be tested, and load and run EHXDZ (answers to hardware questions are typed in octal).

DS > LOAD EHXDZ DS > ATTACH DZV11 ; load the diagnostic ; attach the DZV11

Device link? HUB
Device name? TTA

; the uption is linked to HUB; the option is named unit A

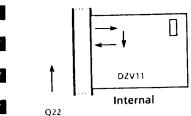
(range = A-Z)

CSR? 760100 Vector? 300 ; the CSR address is 760100 ; vector address is 300

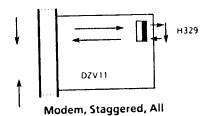
(range = 000-770); select device

DS > SEL TTA ; select device DS > START ; start the diagnostic

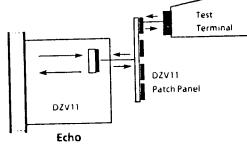
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bus



Q22 bus



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DLVJ1 Diagnostic (EHXDL.EXE)

Space needed Run time Diskette 512 Kb (includes VDS) 10 minutes if all lines are "2 of 2" at 150 baud, 3 minutes if all lines are at 38 400 baud

Setting Up

Note. Before testing a DLVI1 in a MicroVAX I, make sure:

- 1. The X to 1 wire wraps are removed from jumpers C1 and C2 Wire wraps from X to 0 are installed on C1 and C2.
- 2 The BREAK jumper wire wrap is removed from X to H
- 3. The X to 0 wire wrap is removed from jumper V5

All channels on each DLVJ1 module must be configured identically for each of the following parameters:

- Number of data bits (D jumpers)
- Number of stop bits (\$ jumpers).
- Parity detection (P jumpers).
- Even/Odd parity (E jumpers)

install the H315 loopback connector in order to run the complete

Disconnect all external cables from the DLVJ1 patch panel before running this diagnostic.

Booting

Insert diskette "2 of 2" into the first RX50 diskette drive (this will usually be designated as drive 1) and type:

>> 8/10 DUA1 VDS header

The following defines the first DLVJ1 installed:

DS > ATTACH DLVJ1 HUB TTA 776500 300 8 1 NO NO

DS > SELECT TTA

DS > RUN EHXDL

Operation

Before running the diagnostic, locate and install the H315 test connectors. Connect one H315 to each connector on the DLVI1 patch panel. ATTACH and SELECT all of the units to be tested. All four channels of each selected DLVJ1 are tested

DLVJ1 HELP File

The diagnostic's HELP file, printed below, contains a description of the DLVI1 Diagnostic's commands, options, and syntax

DS > help ehxd!

HELP

This program checks the functionality of the DLVJ1 providing error messages that may aid in the repair of the device. The diagnostic uses the internal loopback mode to check most of the circuitry of the device

DLVJ1 HELP

DEVICE

This program will run only on a MicroVAX I computer and with a VAX Diagnostic Supervisor of version 6.12 or later This program is a level 3 functional diagnostic and will not support any device other than the DLV11

DEVICE

DLVII

Description: DLVJ1 Asynchronous four-line

communications interface

link: HUB

Generic name: TTa Additional information:

QBUS CSR [octal 760000-777776] < 776500 >

QBUS vector [octal 2-776]

Number of data bits configured [7 or 8] < 8 >

Number of stop bits configured [1 or 2]<1> Parity detection enabled < no >

Even parity enabled < no >

Tested by EHXDL

REQUIREMENTS

MicroVAX I processor with HARDWARE:

512Kb of memory, DLVJ1 dual

size board

OPTIONAL

H315 turnaround connector, HARDWARE:

another terminal

VAX Diagnostic Supervisor V6 12 SOFTWARE:

or later

EVENT

There are no user-settable event flags.

This diagnostic does not use the VDS QUICK-pass flag

SUMMARY

This diagnostic does not produce a summary report.

Test section ECHO (test 9) requires manual intervention An additional terminal must be connected to one of the channels and the operator must enter characters finishing with a control-z to complete the test.

There are five sections in this diagnostic. Sections "LOOPBACK" and "ALL" require an H315 loopback connector. Section "ECHO" requires another terminal and manual intervention.

SECTIONS

DEFAULT

Used for minimal testing. This section includes tests 1, 2, and 4 Logic not requiring any loopback is tested

SECTIONS

REGISTER

Used for minimal testing. This section includes tests 1, 2, and 4 Logic not requiring any loopback is tested. This is exactly the same as the DEFAULT section.

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SECTIONS

LOOPBACK

Used to test internal loopback Requires an H315 loopback connector. This section includes tests 3, 5, 6, 7,

SECTIONS

ALL

Used to test all internal circuitry. Requires an H315loopback connector. This section includes tests 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8

SECTIONS

ECHO

Used to verify communications with an external terminal. Requires manual intervention and another terminal. The operator is required to respond to one question on the console and to enter characters on the external terminal The test completes when a control-z is entered. This section includes test 9 only

The following is an example of how to attach the device to be tested, and how to load and run EHXDL (answers to hardware questions are typed in octal)

DS> LOAD EHXDL DS > ATTACH DEVIT Device link? HUB

; load the diagnostic ; attach the DLVJ1 ; the option is linked to

HUB

Device name? TTA

; the option is named unit A (range = A-Z)

CSR? 776500

; the CSR address is 776500

Vector? 300

; vector address is 300 (range = 000-770)

Number of data bits? 8 Number of stop bits? 1

: 8 bits per character ; I stop bit

Parity detection enabled? YES Even parity enabled? NO

; parity enabled ; even parity not selected

DS > SEL TTA

(odd parity) : select device

DS > START ; start the diagnostic

Storage Subsystem Diagnostic (EHXRQ.EXE)

Diskette	Space needed	Run time		
"2 of 2"	512 Kb (includes VDS)	<10 minutes for any valid disk configuration Formatting: 11 min/RD51, 25 min/RD52.		

This diagnostic verifies the operation of the mass storage subsystem by exercising the drives (default). This diagnostic may also be used to format an RD51 or RD52 drive.

Setting Up

Any floppy unit to be tested by this diagnostic must contain

Booting

Insert diskette "2 of 2" into the first RX50 diskette drive (this will usually be designated as drive 1) and type:

>>> B/10 DUA1

VDS header

DS > LOAD EHXRQ

The following defines the RQDX1 controller and, as an example, an RD51 (drive 0) and an RX50 (drive 2):

DS > AFTACH RQDX1 HUB DUA 772150

DS > ATTACH RD51 DUA DUA0

DS > ATTACH RX50 DUA DUA2 DS > SELECT DUAG, DUAZ

DS > START

To format an RD51 or RD51 (RX50s cannot be fomatted by this diagnostic), type:

DS > START/SEC = FORMAT

Before running the diagnostic, ATTACH and SELECT all of the drives and the associated controller to be tested

First, attach the RQDX1 disk controller with the drives to be tested. The following information, supplied in the order shown, is required in order to attach each controller:

- The device name. This is specified as RQDX1
- The link name. This is specified as HUB
- The controller name. This is specified as DUA
- The base control and status register (CSR) address (specified in octal) This is the Q22 bus address of the group of two device registers that provides for programmed control

Then, attach each drive to be tested. The following information is required in order to attach the drives. It must be specified in the order shown:

- The device type. This is specified as RXS0, RDS1 or RDS2.
- TThe link type. This is specified as DUA.
- The device name. This is specified as DUAn, where n is 0, 1, 2, etc. for successive drives

DLVJ1 HELP

Storage Subsystem HELP File

The diagnostic's HELP file, printed below, contains a description of the Storage Subsystem Diagnostic's commands, options, and

DS > help ehxrq

HELP **EHXRQ**

This program checks the functionality of the RQDX1 disk controller and associated drives (RX50, RD51, and RD52) by exercising the drives in a manner similar to a typical user load. The default test section is a multi-drive disk exerciser. Additionally, the capability of formatting RD51 and RD52 disk drives is provided via a disk formatting test section This is a level 3 diagnostic

THE DEFAULT TEST OPERATION DESTROYS USER DATA ON A DISK IF THE DISK IS WRITE ENABLED WHEN THE DIAGNOSTIC IS STARTED. IF YOU WRITE-PROTECT ANY DISKS WITH MEANINGFUL DATA ON THEM BEFORE STARTING THE DIAGNOSTIC, THE TESTING ON THAT DRIVE WILL BE LIMITED TO READ-ONLY TESTING.

DEVICE

This program will run only on a MicroVAX I computer and with a VAX Diagnostic Supervisor of version 6.12 or later This program is a level 3 diagnostic.

This program will support the following devices ONLY.

DEVICE

RD51

Description: RD51 fixed media disk (RQDX1)

link: DUa

Generic name: DUan

Tested by: EHXRQ

DEVICE

RD52

Description: RD52 fixed media disk (RQDX1)

link: DUa

Generic name: DUan

Tested by: EHXRQ

DEVICE

RQDX1

Description: RQDX1 QBUS MSCP disk controller

link:HUB

Generic name: DUa

Additional information: QBUS IP register address

|octal 76000-777776| < 772150 >

Tested by: EHXRQ

DEVICE

RX50

Description: RX50 removable media disk (RQDX1)

link: DUa

Generic name: DUan

Tested by: EHXRQ

REQUIREMENTS

MicroVAX I processor with 512Kb of HARDWARE:

memory, RQDX1 disk controller (M8639),

One or more RD51, RD52, or RX50 drives

VAX Diagnostic Supervisor V6 12 or later SOFTWARE:

EVENT

There are no user-settable event flags

This diagnostic does not use the VDS QUICK-pass flag

SUMMARY

A summary report is generated when running the exerciser portion of the diagnostic. It is output at the end of testing or whenever a user issues a VDS SUMMARY command. No summary report is produced when the FORMATTER section is run

The summary report consists of a table with one line for each disk drive under test. The output looks like:

	Bytes	Bytes	Total	Soft	Hard	
Drive	Read	Written	<u>Bytes</u>	Errors	Errors	1
DUA0	123456	245677	369133	0 .	0	
DUA2	250456	0	250456	0	10	DROPPED

You can learn the meaning of each column by issuing a "HELP EHXRQ SUMMARY < topic > " command

SUMMARY

DRIVE

This is the name of the drive tested

SUMMARY

BYTES READ

The total number of bytes READ from, or ACCESS commands performed on, the drive during testing

SUMMARY

BYTES WRITTEN

The total number of WRITE commands performed on the drive during testing. Drives that are WRITE-PROTECTED when the program is started are READ-ONLY tested and this column will be zero for any such drives

SUMMARY

TOTALBYTES

The total of the "Bytes Read" and "Bytes Written" calumns

SUMMARY

SOFTERRORS

The total number of write errors detected by the software after rereading the data written and discovering a mismatch

SUMMARY

HARD ERRORS

The total number of hardware-detected errors on the drives. Typical errors include drive-not-ready and/or RQDX1-detected data compare failures. These errors are a result of the controller returning a non-zero packet status in a command response or are the result of an operation timing out.

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SUMMARY

COMMENTS

This last unlabeled column may contain the word "DROPPED" to denote a drive that has been dropped from testing as the result of an excessive number of errors detected during testing

MANUAL

All test sections should be considered manual intervention sections in that the user must ensure that the appropriate media are loaded into each SELECTED drive before starting the program

THE DEFAULT TEST OPERATION DESTROYS USER DATA ON A DISK IF THE DISK IS WRITE-ENABLED WHEN THE DIAGNOSTIC IS STARTED WRITE-PROTECT ANY DISKS WITH MEANINGFUL DATA ON THEM BEFORE STARTING THE DIAGNOSTIC AND THE TESTING ON THAT DRIVE WILL BE LIMITED TO READ-ONLY TESTING

There are three sections provided in this diagnostic: the EXERCISER section, the FORMATTER section, and the **DEFAULT section**

Note that the DEFAULT section is exactly the same as the **EXERCISER section in this diagnostic**

SECTIONS

DEFAULT

The DEFAULT section is the same as the EXERCISER section in this diagnostic. Enter "HELP EHXRQ SECTIONS EXERCISER" for more information.

SECTIONS

EXERCISER

This section is used to simulate a typical I/O load on the user's disk drives. All selected disk drives are subjected to a series of random READ, WRITE (if disk is write enabled), and ACCESS commands

NOTE THAT DISKS THAT ARE WRITE-ENABLED MUST BE SCRATCH, AS ALL DATA ON THEM WILL BE DESTROYED AS THE RESULT OF THE TESTING OPERATION. WRITE PROTECT ANY SENSITIVE DISKS (INCLUDING THE DIAGNOSTIC DISTRIBUTION DISKS) ON DRIVES THAT ARE SELECTED BEFORE STARTING THIS TEST SECTION

Note that the EXERCISER section is also the DEFAULT section in this diagnostic

After starting this section, the user is asked to confirm write testing on a disk drive for each disk drive that is write enabled when the diagnostic is started. Answering in the negative causes the test to be aborted.

SECTIONS

FORMATTER

This test section is used to hardware-format RD51 and RD52 drives Formatting RX50 floppy diskettes is NOT SUPPORTED. Attempting to format an RX50 will result in a fatal error message being output by the diagnostic

FORMATTING A DISK DESTROYS ANY EXISTING DATA ON THE DISK. You will be asked to confirm destroying any existing data on the disk for each drive selected.

Formatting an RD51 disk takes approximately 11 minutes Formatting an RD52 disk takes approximately 25 minutes.

ATTACH

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The following is an example of how to attach the RQDX1 and disks to be tested or formatted. The RQDX1 controller is first ATTACHED to the HUB, and the drives to be tested or formatted are ATTACHED to the RQDX1. The drives to be tested are then SELECTED and the diagnostic is started.

D\$ > LOAD EHXRO Device link? HUB Device name?DUA

DS > ATTACH RODX 1 IP? 772150

DS > ATTACH RD51 Device link? DUA Device name? DUA0

DS > ATTACH RX50 Device link? DUA

Device name? DUA2

DS > SELECT DUAG DUAZ DS > START

; load the diagnostic

; attach the RQDX1

; the option is linked to HUB ; the option is named "DUA"

; the IP CSR address is

772150(8)

; attach the RD51

; the option is linked to above RQDX1

; the option is named

"DUA0"

; attach the second RX50

; the option is linked to

above RQDX1

; the option is named

"DUA2"

; select the drives to be tested

; start the exerciser running

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DEQNA Diagnostic (EHXQN.EXE)

Diskette

Space needed

Run time

"2 of 2"

512 Kb (includes VDS) 5 minutes

Setting Up Procedures

Install the loopback connector (part number 70-21489-01) on the DEQNA module to run the complete diagnostic

Booting

Insert diskette "2 of 2" into the first RX50 diskette drive (this will usually be designated as drive 1) and type:

>>>8/10 DUA1

VDS header

The following defines the first DEQNA installed:

DS > ATTACH DEQNA HUB XQA 774440

DS > SELECT XQA

DS > RUN EHXQN

Operation

Before running the diagnostic you must ATTACH and SELECT all of the units to be tested. The following information is required in order to attach a unit. It must be supplied in the order shown.

- The device type. This is specified as DEQNA
- The link type. This is specified as HUB
- The device name. This is specified as XQx, where x is either A,
 B, C, etc. for successive modules under test
- The base control and status register (CSR) address (specified in octal). This is the Q22 bus address of the group of four device registers that the DEQNA provides for programmed control

DEQNA HELP File

The diagnostic's HELP file, printed below, contains a description of the DEQNA Diagnostic's commands, options, and syntax:

DS > help ehxqn

HELP

EHXON

This program checks the functionality of the DEQNA Ethernet-QBUS communications interface—It does so by utilizing the DEQNA built-in loopback testing modes: Setup mode, Internal loopback mode, internal-Extended loopback mode, and External loopback mode. In addition, a simple network confidence test is provided to loopback data over a working Ethernet to a remote system—This is a level 3 diagnostic.

DEVIC

This program will run only on a MicroVAX I computer and with a VAX Diagnostic Supervisor of version 6.12 or later. This program is a level 3 diagnostic.

This program will support the following device ONLY:

DEVICE

DEONA

Description: DEQNA Ethernet-to-QBUS communications

interface

link: HUB

Generic name: XQa

Additional information:

QBUS CSR [octal 760000-777776] < 774440 >

Tested by: EHXQN

REQUIREMENTS

SOFTWARE:

HARDWARE: MicroVAX I processor with

512Kb of memory, module loopback connector (part number 70-21489-01)

VAX Diagnostic Supervisor V6.12

orlater

EVEN'

Setting event flag one causes the diagnostic to suppress the printout of the module's Ethernet physical station address during test 3. The default setting for this event flag is "cleared."

OUICE

This diagnostic does not use the VDS QUICK-pass flag.

SUMMARY

This diagnostic does not produce a summary report

MANUAL

The default test section may be run on a DEQNA module without any external cabling required. The internal loopback test section (INTERNAL) may also be run with no special setup required.

The external loopback test section (EXTERNAL) requires that a DEQNA module loopback connector (part number 70-21489-01) be installed on the module before testing is started

The network confidence test section (NETWORK) and loopback assistant utility test section (LOOPBACK) require that the unit under test be completely connected to a functioning Ethernet. This setup includes a bulkhead assembly, transceiver cable, and an installed transceiver on an Ethernet Cable.

SECTIONS

There are five sections provided in this diagnostic, the INTERNAL loopback section, the EXTERNAL loopback section, the NETWORK confidence section, the LOOPBACK assistant section, and the DEFAULT section.

Note that the DEFAULT section is exactly the same as the INTERNAL section in this diagnostic

SECTIONS

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The DEFAULT test section is the same as the INTERNAL test section in this diagnostic. Enter "HELP EHXQN SECTIONS INTERNAL" for more information.

SECTIONS

INTERNAL

This test section consists of those tests that can be run on a UUT without any special setup. Testing includes device register testing, boot/diagnostic ROM access testing, interrupt sanity testing. Setup mode testing, internal loopback mode testing, internal-extended loopback mode testing, and Ethernet address filtering testing.

SECTIONS

EXTERNAL

This test section consists of external mode loopback testing. This test section requires that a DEQNA module loopback connector (part number 70-21489-01) be installed on the module before testing is started.

SECTIONS

NETWORK

This test section is used to perform loopback data operations to a remote system on the Ethernet Ethernet Configuration Testing Protocol packets are used to perform the test. This test may be run on an Ethernet that is being used for normal data transfers at the same time; its operation is transparent to other Ethernet stations.

This test is intended to be a simple test of confidence that data may be successfully transferred from the system under test to another system.

This test section requires that the unit under test be completely connected to a functioning Ethernet. This setup includes a bulkhead assembly, transceiver cable, and an installed transceiver on an Ethernet cable.

Additionally, this test requires the presence on the network of a remote system that will respond to loopback requests directed to the "loopback assistant" multicast address (CF-00-00-00-00). This requirement may be met by running the LOOPBACK test section of this diagnostic on another system on the network before starting the network confidence test section on the system under test.

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LOOPBACK

This test section is not a test section, per sell it is a utility that allows the current node to function as a loopback assistant, responding to the "loopback assistant" multicast address. It is for use with the network confidence test section (NETWORK) in the situation where no loopback assistant is found on the network

To use this test section in conjunction with the network confidence test section, you must first start the loopback test section running on one system in the network and then start the network test section running on the system you wish to test. After the network confidence test section completes, you will then be required to manually stop the loopback test section running on the remote node.

This test section requires that the unit under test be completely connected to a functioning Ethernet. This setup includes a builthead assembly, transceiver cable, and an installed transceiver on an Ethernet cable.

ATTACHING

The following is an example of how to run this diagnostic:

DS > LOAD EHXQN
DS > ATTACH DEQNA
Device link? HUB

; load the diagnostic ; attach the DEQNA ; the option is linked to HUB

; the option is named

Device name? XQA CSR? 774440

"XQA" ; the CSR address is

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DS > SELECT XQA
DS > START

; select the device to test ; start the internal tests

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