S-100 Expansion Unit Technical Manual

By the Sorcerer of



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FOREWORD

The S-100 bus is a collection of 100 information lines which carry address, data, status, control and power signals between a microcomputer (such as the Sorcerer) and other computers or special devices (such as memory expansion cards, music synthesizers, input/output devices, etc.). The Exidy S-100 Expansion Unit lets your Sorcerer use this bus to communicate with as many as six different devices.

An industry standard for the S-100 bus has recently been proposed; previously, each manufacturer used his own version, although these versions are all generally compatible. Table 2 lists the pinouts for both the Exidy S-100 bus and the standard S-100 bus proposed by a committee of the Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (IEEE). The timing diagrams starting on page 8 give the complete signal timing for the bus, for users who wish to design their own S-100 devices.

Use the performance tests on page 14B to determine whether your S-100 Expansion Unit is working properly. However, the diagnostic tests starting on page 14A are intended for experienced service technicians. We strongly recommend that owners not attempt to service their own units.



NOTE

All service should be done by an authorized Exidy dealer; unauthorized service will void our warranty.

We refer to an IC device by its location on the board. Thus, 1A is the device in column 1, row A of the board.

We refer to a pin of an IC device (and sometimes the signal at that pin) by a hyphenated number following the location. Thus, 1A-5 is pin 5 of device 1A.

If an IC chip contains more than one device, we refer to each by one of its pins. Thus, 1A-5 also designates one of the devices on chip 1A — the one containing pin 5. Context will make clear whether a designation such as 1A-5 refers to a pin or to a device.

MECHANICAL LAYOUT

To open the S-100 Expansion Unit, unscrew the four screws that secure the cover (two on each side) and lift the cover off. To insert an S-100 card into an empty slot, fit the side edges of the card into the plastic guides, with the card's edge connector down, and its components facing toward the front of the S-100 unit. Then lower the card and push its edge connector firmly into the female edge connector on the mother board. **Do not force.** To remove an S-100 card, simply lift it out of the slot.

In time the contacts may loosen in a female connector. This causes no trouble when a card is in the connector, but when there is no card in place, the contacts on opposite sides of the connector may touch, shorting two bus lines together. If this happens, insert a strip of cardboard into the connector to keep the pins apart.

The 4.5" round hole in the back of the chassis is for a fan. If you decide you need one, use a standard 4.7" 110V 60Hz fan, ROTRON Whisper (WR2H1) or equivalent. The fan should move 65 to 75 cubic feet per minute — anything more powerful will also be noisier. Tie the fan into the AC power line between the power switch and the line filter.

Next to the fan hole there are six D-shaped holes for mounting standard 25-pin D-sockets. Such sockets can be tied to the input or output of S-100 cards, or can be tied directly into the S-100 bus.

Figure 1. Interior of Expansion Chassis



110V-220V CONVERSION

The S-100 Expansion Unit's power supply transformer has two primary windings. For 110V use, these windings are connected in parallel; for 220V use, the primary windings must be connected in series (see Figure 2).



TABLE 1 Sorcerer 50-Pin Edge Connector Pinout Table

Pin #	Signal	Pin #	Signal	Pin #	Signal	Pin #	Signal
$\begin{array}{c} \sqrt{1} \\ \sqrt{2} \\ \sqrt{3} \\ \sqrt{4} \\ \sqrt{5} \\ \sqrt{6} \\ \sqrt{7} \\ \sqrt{8} \\ \sqrt{9} \end{array}$	PRESET (out of Sorcerer) INT WAIT Data Bus Enable (into Sorcerer) BUSRQ NMI BUSACK Data Bus <i>KD</i> Direction (into Sorcerer) RAM DR or	<pre>/11 /12 /12 /13 /14 /15 /16 /17 /18 /19 /20 /21 /22</pre>	ROM PRE Reset Acknowledge $\phi 2$ (Clock out) UP8K MREQ MI RD IORQ RFSH WR Address bit 8 HALT	 ✓ 25 ✓ 26 ✓ 27 ✓ 28 ✓ 29 ✓ 30 ✓ 31 ✓ 32 ✓ 33 ✓ 34 ✓ 35 ✓ 36 	Address bit 15 Address bit 11 Address bit 13 Address bit 13 Address bit 14 Address bit 12 Address bit 2 Address bit 2 Address bit 1 Address bit 3 Address bit 3 Address bit 6 Address bit 5	 ✓ 39 ✓ 40 ✓ 41 ✓ 42 ✓ 43 ✓ 44 ✓ 45 ✓ 46 ✓ 47 ✓ 48 ✓ 49 	Data bit 2 Data bit 1 Data bit 4 Data bit 3 Data bit 5 RESET (into Sorcerer) Data bit 7 Unused I/O
^J 10	ROM ENABLE \$\phi_1\$	√ 23 √ 24	Address bit 10 Address bit 9	√37 √38	Data bit 0 Address bit 7	×50 ∫	Ground

ATTACHING THE RIBBON CABLE

The ribbon cable has a large female edge connector at one end, and a smaller female pin connector at the other. The smaller connector at taches to the S-100 mother board. There is a slot at the bottom front of the S-100 unit, next to the 50-pin male connector on the mother board. Push the smaller cable connector up through the wide part of the slot, from the bottom of the S-100 unit. Then slide the cable into the narrow part of the slot and plug the cable connector onto the mother board; **do not force.** Plug the large cable connector onto the Sorcerer's 50-pin edge connector.

CAUTION

When you connect the S-100 Expansion Unit to the Sorcerer, the connecting cable must lie *flat*. If it is twisted, the Sorcerer's 50-pin edge connector will be *cross-connected* to the S-100 unit's 50-pin connector.



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The following table gives the pinouts of the Exidy S-100 bus, together with the proposed IEEE standard for S-100. The 100-pin connectors are not numbered in the usual way (odd numbers on one side and even on the other). Instead, the numbers run 1 to 50 on one side of the connector and 51 to 100 on the other, with 51 opposite 1 and 100 opposite 50; the pins are on .125 centers. Over-barred signals (such as \overline{SWO}) are negative-active; all others (except the -16V utility) are positive-active. For explanation of the signal types, see p. 11B.

TABLE 2

		Exidy S	-100 Bus	Proposed	IEEE Standard
Pin #	Type	Name	Function	Name	Function
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1	В	+8V	Unregulated input to +5V regulators. Minimum available under full load.	+8V	Instantaneous minimum greater than $+7V$, instantaneous max less than $+35V$, average max less than $+11V$.
2	В	+16V	Unregulated input to +12V regulators. Minimum available under full load.	+16V	Instantaneous min greater than $+14V$, instantaneous max less than $+35V$, average max less than $+20V$.
3	s	XRDY	Ready input to current bus master. The bus is ready when both XRDY and PRDY are true.	XRDY	Same
4)			24-1	VIO)	E BAN DR. M. MARINE
to { 11 }	S	Unused	A second second second second	to VI7	Vectored interrupt lines
12	S	NMI	Non-maskable interrupt	2 nili sembi	Unspecified
13 to 17		Unused	 All points (1) Pression (1) permitted 		Unspecified
17,	M	Unused	HE RIBBON CARLE	STAT DSB	Control signal to disable status signals
19	M	Unused	a Diversal being the bound of one	C/C DSB	Control signal to disable command/control signals
20	horne	Unused	the star pay of the ball of a 101 and the	UNPROT	Unspecified
21	d one	Unused	the second second of the S-100 and Trans of	SS	Unspecified
22	M	Unused		ADD DSB	Control signal to disable address signals
23	M	Unused	110V-220 mini	DO DSB	Control signal to disable data-out signals
24	В	φ2	The master timing signal for the bus	φ2	Same
25	1.000	φ1	TTL clock	Here sale of born	Unspecified
26	М	PHLDA	Used together with PHOLD to coordinate DMA	PHLDA	Same
27	М	PWAIT	Wait acknowledge	PWAIT	The acknowledge signal to either of the bus ready signals XRDY, PRDY, or to a HALT struction.
28	M	PINTE	Interrupt enable	PINTE	Unspecified
29	M	A5 \		A5	1
30	M	A4	and the second se	A4	00042
31	M	A3	and the second second	A3 (Same
32	M	A15	Address bits	A15 (Same
33	M	A12	Constant Samoota	A12	escrossfer 0.
34	M	A9 /		A9 /	and the second s
35	M	DO1		DO1)	Same
36	M	DO0	Data-out bits	DO0 5	Same
37	M	A10	Address bit	A10	Same
38	M	DO4		DO4)	-
39	M	DO5	Data-out bits	DO5	Same
40	M	DO6	they eight	DO6)	a shirt a shir

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			6-100 Bus	Proposed IEEE Standard			
Pin #	Туре	Name	Function	Name	Function		
41	S	DI2	SOC STREET	DI2	and you and the score M DR		
42	S	DI3	Data-in bits	DI3	Same		
43	S	DI7)	Distance in the second	DI7)	2		
44	M	SM1	DIS	SM1	Current Bus Signal Isan OF-C		
45	M	SOUT	Dis Same	SOUT	Out instruction being execute		
46	M	SINP >	Status signals; indicate current status of bus	SINP >	Same on instruction being executed		
47	M	SMEMR	DIO	SMEMR	Current Bis Signal Isan OP-a Out instruction being execute Same In instruction being executed memory read Cycle HLT instruction specuted		
48	M	SHLTA	ATV82 - 199	SHLTA	HLT instruction specified		
49	В	CLOCK	2MHz local clock	CLOCK	Unspecified		
50	В	GND	Signal and power ground	GND	Same		
51	В	+8V	Same as pin 1	+8V	Same		
52	В	-16V	Unregulated input to $-12V$ regulators. Max available under full load.	-16V	Instantaneous max less than $-14V$, instantaneous min greater than $-35V$, average min greater than $-20V$.		
53		Unused	dND To an and a dND	SSWI	Unspecified		
54	М	RESET	Reset from Sorcerer	EXT CLR	Unspecified		
55)	13 1/3		Litt oLit			
to 65	}	Unused			Unspecified		
56	М	RFSH	Refresh signal from CPU		Unspecified		
57	0101	Unused	NORA 820 001 828 001 928 PROV	PHANTOM	Unspecified		
68	В	MWRITE	Memory write enable	MWRITE	The logical negation of \overline{PWR} and \overline{SOUT} ; must follow \overline{PWR} by no more than $30ns$. \overline{MWRITE} is if the Both B		
69)			PS)	DAL P		
70	2	Unused		PROT }	Unspecified dro O		
1)			RUN)	Figure 4. Thesing Disgress, Clock I		
72	M	PRDY	See pin #3	PRDY	See pin #3		
3	S	PINT	Interrupt request	PINT	Same		
4	М	PHOLD	See pin #26	PHOLD	See pin #26		
75	В	PRESET	Clear CPU	PRESET	Reset signal for bus masters; must stay low for at least three bus cycles		
76	М	PSYNC	Indicates the beginning of each machine cycle	PSYNC	Indicates the beginning of each bus cycle		
77	M	PWR	Write enable	PWR	Signifies valid data on DO bus		
8	M	PDBIN	Data bus in	PDBIN	Requests data from current slave, on the DI bus		
9	M	A0 \		A0			
30	M	A1	(m/s)	A1			
31	M	A2		A2			
2	М	A6		A6			
3	M	A7 >	Address bits	A7	Same		
4	M	A8		A8			
5	M	A13		A13			
6	M	A14	100	A14			
		A11 /		A11			

TABLE 2 (continued)

	all will	Exidy S	-100 Bus	Proposed	IEEE Standard
Pin #	Type	Name	Function	Name	Function
88	м	DO2)	TASTA	DO2)	
89	M	DO2	Data-out bits	DO3	Same
	M		Data-out oits	DO3)	Same
90	S	DO7)	City and a second se	DI4	43 S DIZ
91		DI4	SNG / C	DI4 DI5	44 M SMI V
92	S	DI5		1	Company of the second sec
93	S	DI6	Data-in bits	DI6	Same
94	S	DI1	en march 1 acara	DI1	47 M SMEMA
95	S	DIO)	Chryslene start in a transferrer a	DIO)	Contraction and Restantial Table 1
96	M	SINTA	Interrupt acknowledge	SINTA	Identifies the instruction fetch following an accepted PINT interrupt
97	M	SWO	Indicates data transfer bus cycle	SWO	Same
98		Unused	Indicates data transfer bus cycle Marsfro tab from Bus Marly	SSTACK	Unspecified
99	В	POC	Power-on clear	POC	Same; must stay low for at least three bus states
100	В	GND	Same as pin #50	GND	Same as pin #50
		1.2.2	EXT CLR Unspected		54 M RESET Reset from Soloen

NOTE

The proposed IEEE standard requires XRDY, STAT DSB, C/C DSB, ADD DSB, DO DSB, PRDY, PINT, PHOLD, and PRESET, (pins #3, 18, 19, 22, 23, 72, 73, 74, and 75) to be generated by open collector bus drivers capable of sinking at least 20 mA at no more than .5V.











PROPOSED IEEE STANDARD FOR THE S-100 BUS

Signal Types

There are three types of signal on the S-100 bus:

- Bus master signals, designated M. Each bus master must generate *all* of these signals while controlling the bus.
- Bus slave signals, designated S. A bus slave generates only those slave signals it needs to communicate with bus masters.
- Bus signals, designated B. This is the default type; any signal not of type M or S.

Device Types

By definition, a bus master is a device which generates at least all of the M signals, and a bus slave is a device which generates some slave signals. A device can be both a master and a slave.

Signal Subsets

- There are eight status signals (prefix S): SMEMR, SINP, SM1, SOUT, SHLTA, SSTACK (unspecified), SWO, and SINTA.
- There are six command and control signals (prefix P): PHLDA, PSYNC, PDBIN, PINTE (unspecified), PWR, and PWAIT
- There are sixteen address signals A15 through A0, with A15 the most significant bit, and A0 the least.
- There are eight data-out signals DO7 through DO0, with DO7 the most significant bit and DO0 the least. These are the data transmitted by the current bus master.
- There are eight data-in signals, DI7 through DI0, with DI7 the most significant bit and DI0 the least. These are the data received by the current bus master.

Signal Characteristics

Bus drivers must sink at least 24mA at no more than .5V and (except for open collector drivers) must source at least 2mA at no less than 2.4V.

Bus receivers must sink no more than $80\mu a$ at 2.4V and source no more than .8mA at .5V. They must interpret any signal less than .8V as logic 0, and any signal greater than 2V as logic 1. They must be diode clamped to prevent negative excursions, and must load the input no more than 25pF.

Bus States

A bus cycle is a sequence of three or more of the following states. The basic cycle is BS1, BS2, BS3; any number of BSw states may be inserted between BS2 and BS3, and one, two, or three BSi states may follow BS3.

- BS1 The first state of any bus cycle. The address lines are unstable; PSYNC goes high during the second half.
- BS2 The second state of any bus cycle. Address, data, status, and ready signals stabilize.
- BSw may occur between BS2 and BS3 to synchronize bus masters and slaves.
- BS3 the data transfer state.
- BSi the bus-idle state.

Figure 8. Bus Exchange Timing



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DIRECT MEMORY ACCESS (DMA)

Bus Exchange

DMA is the process a bus master (the DMA device) uses to take control of the bus from the CPU, and read or write in memory. The cycle begins when the DMA device signals PHOLD. This signal must be given only when PHLDA is false. The CPU interprets PHOLD as a bus request (BUSRQ).

The proposed IEEE standard assumes that the <u>DMA device will</u> <u>disable the CPU's</u> bus <u>drivers</u> with the signals ADD DSB, <u>DO</u> DSB, <u>STAT DSB</u>, and <u>C/C DSB</u>. The Sorcerer does not handle DMA in this manner. Instead, the CPU disables its own drivers (but **not** the buffers to the 50-pin edge connector) when it responds to the bus request. The CPU acknowledges the bus request with a <u>BUSAK</u> signal, and the S-100 unit responds to the <u>BUSAK</u> by giving the bus to the DMA device.

To keep the bus signals stable, the CPU and the DMA device must **both** drive the bus at two periods during the DMA cycle: when the DMA device takes control of the bus, and when it returns control to the CPU. During these two periods, the CPU and DMA device must both drive the command and control signals for at least 200ns and the command and control signals must have these values:

- PSYNC = 0
- PWAIT = 0
- PHLDA = 1
- PDBIN = 0
- $\overline{PWR} = 1$

Proposed DMA Sequence

The following DMA sequence is part of the proposed IEEE standard for the S-100 bus. To start the sequence, the DMA device must send the PHOLD signal; PHLDA will then go true during BS3 of the last CPU cycle (the S-100 unit interprets the CPU's BUSAK signal as PHLDA). The exchange starts at the falling edge of $\phi 2$ while PHLDA is true, and the entire cycle is controlled by the edges of $\phi 2$.

- φ2 edge 1: CPU address and data bus drivers disabled; DMA command and control drivers on. CPU and DMA command and control signals as described above.
- ϕ 2 edge 2: CPU status and command and control drivers off; DMA address, data-out, and status drivers on. PSYNC = 1.

 ϕ 2 edge 3: No change.

- ϕ 2 edge 4: <u>PSYNC</u>=0; PDBIN=1 if memory read or PWR=0 if memory write.
- ϕ 2 edge 5: No change.
- ϕ 2 edge 6: PDBIN = 0 and \overline{PWR} = 1.
- \$\phi2\$ edge 7: CPU command and control drivers on; DMA address and data-out drivers off.
- ϕ 2 edge 8: DMA device sends $\overrightarrow{PHOLD} = 1$. CPU address, data, and status drivers on; DMA status and command and control drivers off.



Theory of Operation

When the S-100 bus was created, bi-directional ICs were uncommon. Therefore, the address bus is assumed to function in one direction only, and there are two data buses — one for data out of the CPU, and another for data into the CPU.

The circuitry on the S-100 Expansion Unit mother board translates between the Sorcerer's bi-directional data signals and the uni-directional signals required by S-100 devices. It will also drive the address bus in reverse during a direct memory access (DMA).

The bus controller enables and controls the direction of the data and control signal buffers. This is analogous to the function of the Screen Controller on the Sorcerer logic board. The 6331 PROM at 5B (Program #S-100) controls the data-in and dataout buffers (4A and 5A) and the Sorcerer's bi-directional data buffer (the control signals pass through the S-100 CPU control buffer 1A, and the Sorcerer's CPU control buffer). The address buffer (2A and 3A) is always enabled; it takes its direction signal directly from the Sorcerer's bus request acknowledge (BBUSAK, buffered through 1B).

Table 3 gives the input signals to 5B. A memory address is assumed to be in the S-100 unit, if it is not on the Sorcerer (i.e., *not* in the ROM PAC, internal RAM, or the upper 8K of memory). Similarly, any I/O port other than FCH, FDH, FEH, or FFH is assumed to be in the S-100 unit. Any I/O device other than a cassette recorder, Centronics printer, or RS232 is assumed to be in the S-100 unit. During an I/O request, the I/O port number appears on the lower half of the address bus; it is *not* duplicated on the upper half of the bus.

Table 3 Input to 6331 PROM Conditions for High and Low Input Signals

Pin #	Low	High
/ 14	When CPU is servicing a bus request	Otherwise
013	During a read or interrupt	No read or interrupt
/ 12	Address in S-100	Address in Sorcerer
/ 11	During refresh	Otherwise
10	I/O port in Sorcerer	I/O port in S-100

Besides controlling the buses, the S-100 unit also provides three clocks. A local 2MHz oscillator generates a clock signal for S-100 devices which cannot use the Sorcerer's 2.106MHz clock.

The other clock signals are $\phi 1$ and $\phi 2$, generated by the Sorcerer.

There are thirty-two possible combinations of signals to 5B's five inputs. We consider each of these combinations to be a five-bit binary number; pin 5B-14 is the most significant bit, and pins 13, 12, 11, and 10 are the other bits, in decreasing significance. For example, 10011 signifies pins 14, 11, and 10 high, and pins 13 and 12 low. The S-100 program in 5B divides these thirty-two possible inputs into five cases:

Case 1 — DMA read (inputs 00010, 00110, and 00111; output 101011)

- The Sorcerer data buffer is enabled high.
- 4A is enabled high.
- 5A is disabled.
- Data flows into the controlling device through the data-in bus.

Case 2 - DMA write (inputs 01010, 01110, and 01111; output 001100)

- The data buffer is enabled low.
- 4A is disabled.
- 5A is enabled low.
- Data flows from the controlling device through the dataout bus.

Case 3 — Normal read (input 10011; output 000011)

- The Sorcerer data buffer is enabled low.
- 4A is enabled low.
- 5A is disabled.

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• Data flows into the CPU on the data-in bus.

Case 4 — Normal write (input 11011; output 101110)

- The Sorcerer data buffer is enabled high.
- 4A is disabled.
- 5A is enabled high.
- Data flows out of the CPU on the data-out bus.

Case 5 — Default (all other inputs; output 111111)

• The Sorcerer data buffer, 4A, and 5A are all disabled.

Note that during DMA the BBUSAK signal to 5B-14 also enables 2B and reverses the direction of the address bus (2A and 3A).

DIAGNOSTIC TESTS

These tests will locate malfunctions in the S-100 unit. You will need the following equipment:

- A dual-trace externally triggered scope (Tektronix 465 or equivalent).
- A known good Sorcerer.
- A known good RAM card, DIP switch addressable.
- Six double-ended clip-on test leads.
- 1. Power Supply and Clock test
 - a. Pull all S-100 cards out of the unit. Then test for these voltages on the 100-pin bus:

Pin #	Voltage
1	+11±1VDC+13.0V
2	+18±1VDC HEFV
51	Same as pin 1 +13.0
52	-18±1VDC -186V

- b. Put the local clock (pin #49) on the scope and check for 2MHz frequency (500ns cycle time). 2/2 cryle
- c. Put the $\phi 1$ and $\phi 2$ clocks (pins #25 and 24) on the scope, triggering on the edge of $\phi 2$. Compare to the timing diagram (Figure 4); verify 2.106MHz frequency for ϕ^2 (450ns cycle time). Geo Figure 4 for Address and Data Bus Read/Write Test, Part I: Rosul //s (450ns cycle time).
- - a. Check the mother board visually for shorts or open lines in the buses.
 - Remove the ROM PAC from the Sorcerer, and remove all b. S-100 cards from the S-100 Expansion Unit, except the RAM card. Address the RAM card to 8000H.
 - c. Load program 1 (address and data line send and receive) into the Sorcerer at address 0000, and run it with the Monitor GO command. This program tests selected addresses from 8000H to C000H; if your RAM card is smaller than 16K, you must re-address it and rerun the program to cover the entire area tested.
- Example: If you have a 4K RAM card (1000H addresses), you must run the program four times, with the RAM card assigned to these blocks of addresses:

8000H to 8FFFH 9000H to 9FFFH A000H to AFFFH C000H to C000H

- 1) Check for bad data in the block of addresses actually covered by the RAM card (for example, 8000H to 8FFFH for a 4K card). Ignore any bad data at other addresses.
- 2) Check all address failures, even those outside the area covered by the RAM card.
- d. This program tests all the data lines, and all address lines A0 to A14.
 - 1) If the Sorcerer is an 8K or 16K model, you can also check A15. Address the RAM card to 4000H and run program 1. Check only for bad addresses.
 - 2) If you have a 32K Sorcerer, you must check A15 manually. Pull 2A-1 high and low with a clip lead, and check whether the signal passes to 2A-19. Also check the line for shorts and open circuits.

- e. Use ESC or RUN/STOP to momentarily pause the program; use CTRL C to stop it. You can restart it with the Monitor command GO 0000.
- Address and Data Bus Read/Write Test, Part II: (Do this part 3 of the test only if your unit fails Part I)
 - a. Remove all S-100 cards from the unit. Load program 2 (address and data-out bus exerciser) into the Sorcerer at address 0000, and run it with the Monitor command GO 0000.
 - Set the scope sweep to .2ms/division. Put probe #1 on pin b. 2A-19 and trigger on that signal. Use probe #2 to check all address lines (pins 12 through 19 on 2A and 3A).
 - On each address line you should see a group of eight C. pulses (one pulse for each data line) lasting about $94\mu s$ total.(See Figure 10.) Each address line is pulsed about $120\mu s$ earlier than the next higher address line.
 - The pulses on the lower order address lines A0 to A6 (chip 3A) are superimposed on the refresh signal. You will probably not be able to read lines A0 to A5; check these lines with a logic pulser.
 - e. Reset the scope sweep to 10μ s/division but keep probe #1 and the triggering as before. Test each data-out line with probe #2 (all pins on 5A). You should see a 1.5μ s pulse on each line; each line is pulsed about 13μ s earlier than the next higher line (see Figure 11).
 - If the address and data-out lines pass the test, reset the f. Sorcerer and load program 3 (data-in bus exerciser) at address 0000. Insert the RAM card, and address it to 8000H; then run program 3 with the Monitor command GO 0000.
 - Trigger the scope on 2A-12; put probe #1 on 2A-19 and g. use probe #2 to test the data-in lines (pins 1 through 8 and 12 through 19 on 4A). You should see a 1.5μ s pulse on each data-in line; each line is pulsed about 11.5µs before the next higher line (see Figure 12).

Bus Controller Test 4

- Using clip leads to pull the input signals high and low, test a. the gates leading into 5B (gates 6A-6, 7A-3, 8C-11, 9B-6, and 9C-6).
- b. Simulate a normal read by using clip leads to put 10011 on the input of 5B. Check whether the output is 000011; also check whether 4A and 5A are enabled and disabled as described in Theory of Operation, Case 3.
- Use the clip leads to simulate a normal write, a DMA read, c. and a DMA write. Check that the outputs of 5B are as described in Theory of Operation, Cases 4, 1, and 2. In each case, check that 4A and 5A are enabled and disabled correctly. When 5B-14 is pulled low (Cases 1 and 2, DMA read and write) check that 2B is enabled high, and 2A and 3A are driven low.
- d. Using the clip leads, check that all other inputs to 5B produce the output 111111.
- 5. Status and Control Bus Test
 - a. Check that 1A, 1B, and 3B are enabled high.
 - Using clip leads or a logic pulser, verify that 1A, 1B, and b. 3B will pass data from each input pin to the corresponding output pin.
 - Using a clip lead, pull the BBUSAK signal low; check c. whether 6C and 7C are enabled high. Then pull BBUSAK high, and check whether 6C and 7C are disabled.

PERFORMANCE TESTS

If your unit passes these tests, you have a good assurance that it functions correctly; if it fails one or more tests, the test results will indicate which part of the unit is malfunctioning.

You will need a known good Sorcerer and the following S-100 plug-in cards, also known good:

- A RAM card, DIP switch addressable
- An I/O device and interfacing card
- A DMA device and interfacing card (optional).
- 1. RAM Test: This tests the address bus, both data buses, parts of the status and command buses, and the bus controller.
 - a. Address the RAM card to an S-100 area (that is, between the bottom of the ROM PAC area and the top of internal RAM). Run the Power-On Monitor bit test (TE) on these addresses.
 - / b. Re-address the RAM card to all parts of the S-100 area and repeat the bit test.
 - c. Address the RAM card so that part of it lies inside the ROM PAC area and part of it lies outside. Repeat the bit test with the ROM PAC inserted, and again with it removed.
 - d. All addresses should pass the bit test, except addresses in the ROM PAC area; those addresses should pass the test when the ROM PAC is removed. If any address fails this test, proceed to the diagnostic tests, giving special attention to the read/write tests.

NOTE

If only some of the S-100 addresses fail the test, the data buses are probably not malfunctioning. The problem probably lies in the address bus or the bus controller.

- 2. I/O Test: This tests the bus controller, and portions of the status and command buses which are not tested by the RAM test.
 - a. Address the I/O device to any I/O port other than FCH, FDH, FEH, or FFH.
 - b. Enter and run a short program which reads or writes data (whichever is appropriate) to your device. You can do this in BASIC, using the INP function or the OUT command; you can also do it in Z80 machine language.
 - c. The data sent or received by the I/O device should be the same as that received or sent by the Sorcerer. If your unit fails this test, proceed to the diagnostic tests, giving special attention to the bus controller test and the status and command bus test. If the unit has already passed the RAM test, you may skip the diagnostic read/write test.
- 3. DMA Test (optional): This tests the bus controller, and portions of the status and command buses which are not tested by the RAM test or the I/O test.
 - a. If you have a DMA device, interface it to the Sorcerer through the S-100 unit. Follow the manufacturer's instructions for addressing, I/O port assignment, etc.
 - Initiate a DMA read or write (whichever is appropriate), and check whether data is being read or written correctly.
 - c. If your unit fails this test, go to the diagnostic tests, giving special attention to the bus controller test and the status and command bus tests. If your unit has already passed the RAM test, you may skip the read/write test.





PROGRAM 1 (continued)

Address and Data Line Send and Receive

Address	Obj Code	Label	Mnen	nonic	Comment
0005	A7	Z2:	AND	A	;CLEAR CARRY
0006	ED 6A		ADC	HL,HL	SHIFT HL LEFT
0008	7C		LD	A,H	SET MOST SIGNIFICANT BIT
0009	FE 80		CP	80H	
000B	28 F3			Z,START	
000D	F6 80		JR		CET MOST
0000			OR	80H	;SET MOST
000F	67		LD	H,A	; SIGNIFICANT BIT
0010	3E 01	Z3:	LD	A,01H	
0012	18 04		JR	Z4	
		;SEND ANI	D RECEIV	E, AND CHEO	CK IF OTHER
		;ADDRESS			
0014	CB 27	Z1:	SLA	Α	
0016	28 ED		JR	Z,Z2	
0018	4F	Z4:	LD	C,A	
0019	CD 15 E0	Z6:		QUIKCK	;CHECK
001C	FE 1B	20.	CP	1BH	FOR
001E	28 F9		JR	Z,Z6	; PAUSE
0020	FE 03		CP	03H	
0020	CA 03 E0				; OR ABORT
			JP	Z,WARM	
0025	11 00 20		LD	DE,2000H	
0028	CD 4E 00			SDCAD	
002B	11 00 40		LD	DE,4000H	
002E	CD 4E 00		CALL	SDCAD	
0031	11 00 80		LD	DE,8000H	
0034	CD 4E 00			SDCAD	
0037	79		LD	A,C	
0038	46		LD	B,(HL)	
0039	B8		CP	B,(I IL)	
0039 003A	28 D8				
005A	28 08	DDINIT AD	JR DDDCCC D	Z,Z1	
0000	45	PRINT AD			AND BAD DATA RECEIVED
003C	4F		LD	C,A	
003D	CD 64 00		CALL		;PRINT ADDRESS
0040	79		LD	A,C	
0041	CD 1C E2		CALL	HEXSPC	;PRINT DATA SENT
0044	78		LD	A,B	
0045	CD 1C E2		CALL	HEXSPC	;PRINT DATA RECEIVED
0048	CD 05 E2		CALL		
004B	79		LD	A,C	
004C	18 C6		JR	Z1	
0040	10 00	;SUBROUT		21	
				ND CHECK	
0045	A.C.	SEND IES			FOR ADDRESSES DISTURBED
004E	AF	SDCAD:	XOR	A	;CLEAR ADDRESS POINTED
004F	12		LD	(DE),A	; TO BY DE REG.
0050	71		LD	(HL),C	;SEND TEST DATA
0051	1A		LD	A,(DE)	
0052	B9		CP	C	;RETURN IF DIFFERENT
0053	C0		RET	NZ	; FROM DATA SENT
0054	CD 6A 00			SPACE	, Inori Drith OLIVI
0057	CD 64 00		CALL		;PRINT HL (ADDRESS REQUESTED)
005A	CD 64 00			SPACE	, INTITL (ADDINESS REQUESTED)
005D					
	CD E8 E1			ADDOUT	;PRINT DE (ADDRESS DISTURBED)
0060	CD 05 E2		CALL	CKLF	
0063	C9		RET		
		;PRINT HL			
0064	EB	PRHL:	EX	DE,HL	
0065	CD E8 E1			ADDOUT	
0068	EB		EX	DE,HL	
0069	C9		RET		
		PRINT SPA			
006A	3E 20	SPACE:		A,20H	
006C	CD 1B E0	STACE.			
				VIDEO	
006F	C9		RET END		

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Addresses Tested by Program 1

Hexadecimal	Binary															
	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
8001	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
8002	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
8004	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
8008	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
8010	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
8020	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
8040	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
8080	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
8100	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
8200	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
8400	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
8800	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
9000	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
A000	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
C000	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

TABLE 5

Test Data Sent to Each Test Address

Hexadecimal	Binary								
	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0	
01	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	
02	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	
04	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	
08	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	
10	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	
20	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	
40	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	
80	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	

PROGRAM 1 Address and Data Line Send and Receive

Address	Obj Code	Label	Mnemonic	Comment	
		MONITOR	SUBROUTINE EQUA	ATES	
	E1E8	ADDOUT:	EQU E1E8H		
	E205	CRLF:	EQU E205H		
	E21C	HEXSPC:	EQU E21CH		
	E015	QUIKCK:	EQU E015H		
	E01B	VIDEO:	EQU E01BH		
	E003	WARM:	EQU E003H		
		;MAIN PROC	GRAM		
			ORG 0		
0000	21 01 80	START:	LD HL,8001H		
0003	18 OB		JR Z3		
		; SET UP HI	. TO POINT TO NEX	XT ADDRESS	
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HOW TO INTERPRET THE ERROR MESSAGES

- The address/data line send and receive program only gives an error message when data sent to one address goes to a different address, or when the data received from an address differs from the data sent to that address.
- 2. If the data buses pass incorrect data, the program will print the address of each malfunction, followed by the data sent, followed by the data received, all in hexadecimal.

Example:

8001 10 00

This means that 10H was sent to address 8001H, but 00 was received.

This will detect malfunctions in the data buses, but will not determine whether the malfunction is in the data-out or the data-in bus.

To find which lines are malfunctioning, convert the data sent and data received to binary, and compare them.

Example:

data sent: 10H which is 0001 0000 binary

data received: 00 which is 0000 0000

The malfunction is in data bit 4 (recall that bit 0 is the least significant bit, and bit 7 is the most significant).

- Bad or nonexistent RAM addresses will usually show as FFH received. This does not indicate a malfunction unless the address involved actually has RAM assigned to it.
- If the address bus malfunctions, the program will print the address intended, followed by the address actually reached.

Example:

8020 8000

This means that data was sent to address 8020H, but actually went to 8000H_{\odot}

These error messages are indented one space, to make it easier to tell an address error from a data error.

To find which address lines are malfunctioning, convert the addresses to binary and compare them.

Example:

address intended: 8020H which is 1000 0000 0010 0000 binary address reached: 8000H which is 1000 0000 0000 0000 binary The malfunction is in address bit A5.

ILLUSTRATIVE EXAMPLES

These examples show the results Program 1 will give for some typical address and data bus malfunctions. We assume a 4K RAM card.

Example 1:

Malfunction — A14 shorted to ground RAM card addressing — 8000H to 8FFFH Program results:

•	•	•
A000	80	FF
C00	0 800	00
9000	01	FF

Example 2A:

Malfunction — A15 held high (you must use an 8K or 16K Sorcerer)

RAM card addressing - 4000H to 4FFFH

 $\label{eq:program results: No error indication (Program 1 doesn't send any data to addresses lower than 8000H).$

Example 2B:

Malfunction — Same as 2A. RAM card addressing — C000H to CFFFH Program results:

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C000 4000
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When the program tries to read address 4000H, it actually gets C000H (since A15 is held high). The data went to C000H as intended. The result is that the program thinks the data intended for C000H went to 4000H.

Example 3A:

Malfunction — A15 held low
RAM card addressing - 4000H to 4FFFH
Program results:

C000 4000

Example 3B:

Example 4:

Malfunction: Same as 3A RAM card addressing - C000H to CFFFH Program results:

•	•	•
•	•	•
•	•	
C000	01	FF
C000	02	FF
•	•	•
•	•	•
•	•	•
C000	80	FF
•	•	•
•	•	•
•	•	

8001 80

8002 80

8004 80

8008 80

8010 80

8020 80

8040 80

8080 80

8100 80

8200 80

8400 80

8800 80

9000 01

00

00

00

00

00

00

00

00

00

00

00

00

FF

Example 5:

Malfunction - DOX or DIO shorted to ground RAM card addressing - 8000H to 8FFFH Program results:

8001	01	00	
8002	01	00	
•			
	•	•	
	01	00	
9000	01	FE	
9000	02	FE •	
•	•		
•	•	•	
C000	80	FE	

1000

Example 6:

Malfunction — D7X shorted to DOX or DO7 shorted to DO0 or DI7 shorted to DI0 RAM card addressing - 8000H to 8FFFH

Program results:

Malfunction — A14 shorted to DO7			8001	01	00	
RAM card addressing - 8000H to 8FFFH			8001	80	00	
Program results:			8001	80	00	
A000 80 FF / May be 7F instead of FF, if A14			8002	01	00	
C000 8000 is capable of pulling DO7 low						
C000 01 FF			•	•		
C000 8000			•	•	•	
C000 02 FF			8800	01	00	
C000 8000						
C000 04 EE			8800	80	00	
C000 8000						
C000 08 FF			9000	01	FF	
C000 8000			•	•	•	
C000 10 FF			•	•	•	
C000 8000			•	•	•	
C000 20 FF						
C000 8000	Exan	nple 7:				
C000 40 FF (No addressing error, since						
C000 80 FF DO7 is high here	M	alfunction	on — D	000	shorte	ed
0001 00 00						

Malfunction - DO0 shorted to ground RAM card addressing - 8000H to 8FFFH Program results:

8001	01	00
8002	01	00
•	•	
	•	•
•	•	•
8800	01	00
9000	01	FF
•	•	•
•	•	•
•	•	•

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PROGRAM 2 Address and Data-Out Bus Exerciser

Address	Obj Code	Label	Mner	nonic	Comment
0000	21 20 00	START:	LD	HL,0020H	START WITH ADDRESS LINE A5
0003	3E 01	Z1:	LD	A,01H	START WITH DATA-OUT LINE DOO
0005	77	Z2:	LD	(HL),A	SEND DATA TO ADDRESS
0006	CB 27		SLA	А	SHIFT 1-BIT TO NEXT HIGHER DATA LINE
0008	20 FB		JR	NZ,Z2	;REPEAT UNTIL DATA=0
000A	A7		AND	А	;CLEAR CARRY
000B	ED 6A		ADC	HL,HL	SHIFT 1-BIT TO NEXT HIGHER ADDRESS LINE
000D	20 F4		JR	NZ,Z1	;REPEAT UNTIL ADDRESS=0
000F	18 EF		JR	START	

PROGRAM 3 Data-In Bus Exerciser

Address	Obj Code	Label	Mnemonic		Comment	
0000	26 80	DIN:	LD	H,80H	;INITIALIZE ADDRESS	
0002	2E 01		LD	L,01H	;INITIALIZE DATA	
0004	75	Z1:	LD	(HL),L	;SEND DATA TO ADDRESS	
0005	CB 25		SLA	L	;INCREMENT DATA AND ADDRESS	
0007	C2 04 00		JP	NZ,Z1	;REPEAT FOR EACH DATA LINE	
000A	2E 01	Z2:	LD	L,01H	;RE-INITIALIZE	
000C	7E	Z3:	LD	A,(HL)	READ DATA	
000D	CB 25		SLA	L	;MOVE TO NEXT DATA LINE	
000F	C2 0C 00		JP	NZ,Z3	;REPEAT FOR EACH DATA-IN LINE	
0012	32 00 C0		LD	(C000H),A	;SYNC POINT FOR SCOPE	
0015	C3 0A 00		JP	Z2	;REPEAT DATA-IN READ	

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74LS02	2	7B, 8A	SE48-2301	28,000μF 15 WVDC radial cap.	2	rsed direction SDV, include	SE25-1008
7404	1	9A	SE48-2302	220 ohm 1W resistor	1	atory profits	SE57-5004
74LS04	1	8B	SE48-2302	470 ohm ¹ / ₄ W resistor	2	The Contract of the Contract o	SE59-5135
74LS08	2	7A, 8C	SE48-2312	510 ohm 1W resitor	2		SE57-5005
74LS10	1	9C	SE48-2306	2.2K ¹ / ₄ W resistor	8		
74LS32	1	6A	SE48-2315		8		SE59-5110
74LS74	1	6B	SE48-2305	100-pin edge connector	6	-	SE61-8015
74S241 (74LS241)	7	1A, 1B, 2B, 3B, 5C, 6C, 7C	SE48-2328	Male 50-pin wirewrap header AMP #2-87227-5	1		SE61-8005
8304	4	2A, 3A, 4A, 5A	SE48-2327	5-pin male Molex header			
LM323K	1	8D	SE48-2336	09-65-1051	1		SE61-8073
60S1 diode	4	8J	SE46-3016	09-65-1059			
2.0MHz crystal	1	9A	SE45-3040	Heatsink, Thermaloy 6013	1		SE68-8000
$.01\mu F 16V \pm 10\%$ mylar cap.	2		SE25-1013	Thermolog 0010			

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or	or	or	6-23 x ³ / ₄ " phil	- connector	415 284.90 Q40	
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2KI line filter	1	SE90-3000	machine screws	05	V2+	
Power switch	1	SE72-3052	6-32 kep nuts	25	DID IAA D GMD	
Power cord	1	SE71-2328	#6 flat washer	6		
2 amp SB fuse	1	SE60-6004	6-32 x ¼" phil	32	92 +	
2 amp fuse holder	1	SE60-6005	pan head machine screws	52	Dif. (46-3) OHD	
12" Ribbon cable assembly with connectors	1	SE71-2022	$6-32 \times \frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ phil pan head	10	V3 +	
5-pin female Molex			machine screws	4	017 (4.4-1) G10	
connector 09-50-3051	1	SE61-8074	6-32 x 1¼" phil pan head	6		
#8 ring lug P18-8R-C			machine screws			
Panduit (or equiv.)	2	SE74-5153	8-32 x ³ ⁄4" phil	5		
.250 fast-on			pan head machine screws			
(insulated push-on connector)	11	SE61-8049	$6.32 \times \frac{1}{4}$ " black iron oxide button head	4	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
18 ga insulated butt splice	1	SE74-5154	phil machine screws			
Fan finger guard	1	SE74-5149	6-32 x ³ / ₄ " black iron oxide button head	4	and the second	
Rubber feet	4	SE82-1009	phil machine screws			
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