# GCLOGATOR

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It is a near certainty that many Elf owners have found themselves in the position where it is necessary to add some additional code inside an existing machine language program either because during development an ommission occurred or just to bring about improvements in an existing program. At that point two options generally exist:

- Replace two or more bytes with a jump or branch to the new routine which is somewhere else in memory, then restore the last bytes at the end of the new routine and jump back at a point past the patch. This is not always acceptable.
- 2. Manually relocate the existing code to make space for the new routine. This involves rewriting the program out on paper and adjusting the branch instructions, and then reentering it. Again it is far from optimal.

The solution to this dilemma was to write a machine language program which performs the second type of relocation quickly and painles sly. It requires 11 bytes of information as follows:

- A. Function select 00 fix references only
  - 01 move block and fix references
  - 02 move block only
- B. Starting address of (2 bytes A1-Hi address code to be relocated A2-Lo address).
- C. Ending address of (2 bytes B1-Hi address code to be relocated B2-Lo address).

- D. Destination address (2 bytes D1-Hi address for code to be relocated to D2-Lo address).
- E. First address to (2 bytes F1-Hi address have references fixed F2-Lo address).
- F. Last address to have (2 bytes F3-Hi address references fixed F4-Lo address).

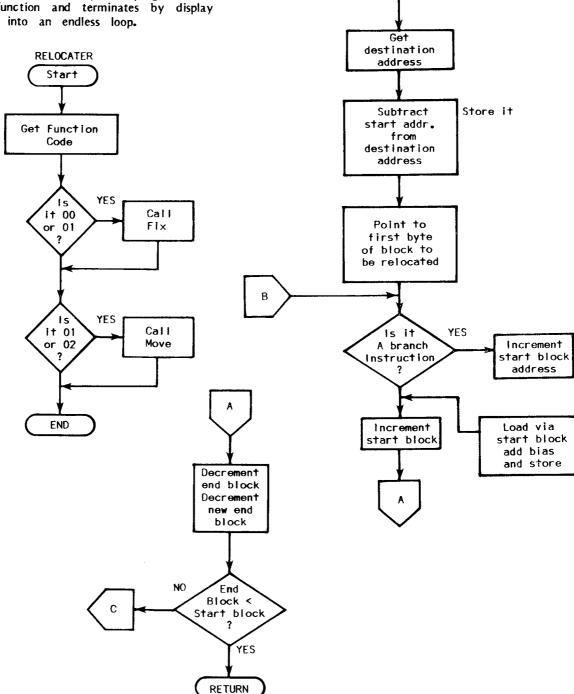
The relocator uses the technique of immediate data display to prompt for each of the various parameters it needs. That is, the output display of the Super Elf will display 'FC' when a function code is required at which time the appropriate keys are pressed followed by 'l'. Elf will accept it and delay before prompting for the next parameter.

The relocator performs a block move if function code 00 is entered. The relocator both moves the block and fixes branch references if code 01 is selected. If 02 is selected, only the branch references are fixed (i.e. no block move).

The relocator fixes references by first calculating the offset to add to the branch reference by computing offset equals (b-d). Then, it searches through the specified fix reference range (e through f) for branch instructions and when one is found it adds the offset to the next byte and replaces that byte.

It must be noted that the relocator does not adjust load immediate (F8) instructions so register set-ups using the technique must be manually changed. Additionally, the relocator performs a block move by moving a block end first.

The program begins at 0400 (assumes that the PC is R3). When all the indicated parameters have been entered, the program does the indicated function and terminates by display 'AA' and going into an endless loop.



Module Fix

Start

Get Start

of block

to be

relocated

Get end

to be

relocated

of block

#### REGISTER USAGE:

R2 - Stack R3 - PC

R4 - First address of block to be relocated

R5 - Last address of block to be relocated

R6 - Destination Addr.

R7 - First address to have references fixed

R8 - Last addr. to have references fixed.

R9 - Function Code. RA - 2 byte code table

RB - 3 byte code table

RC - CALL FIX RD - CALL MOVE

RE - INPUT ROUTINE

	<b>A</b> DDR	COL	)E	LADEL	ODCOL	יב	ODED AND	COMMENT
	0400			LABEL START:	UPCOL	JE.	OPERAND	R2 - Stack
	0402		04	JIMNI.				NZ - STACK
	0403		F0	A2				*
	0406			-				RE-Input routine
	0409	F8	01	ΑE				*
	040C							RC-Fix reference
	040F							*
	0412			_				RD-Move routine
	0415		-	AD				*
	0418 041B		- •	FC				Get Function code
	04 1D			Δ1				Get address of 1st
	0420			,,,				Block to be
	0422			A2				relocated
	0425	DE	A4					
	0427	£3	64	B1				Get last addr. of
	042A							block to be
	042C			B2				relocated.
	042F			D.1				
	0431 0434			1) [				Get destination address
	0436			D2				# # # # # # # # # # # # # # # # # # #
	0439			172				*
	043B	E3	64	F1				Get first address
	043E	DE	В7					to have ref.
	0440			F2				fixed and last
	0443							
	0445			F 3				
	0448 044A			ГА				
	044A			Γ4				
	044F		,,,,					Get function code
	0450		02					oci iunciion code
	0452	33	5B		BGE		CONT	
	0454							CALL FIX
	0457		D0	AA				
	045A				01.0		50	
	095B 045C		07		GLO		R9	Get function code
	045E		07	RETURN:	BR SEP		FINISH R3	
		E2	85	MOVE:	SEX		R2	Get low end
	J 1 J.		.,,	11012.	JEX			address
	0461	52	84		STR	1	R2	Get low start
								address
	0463				SD			Subtract
	0464				PLO		RF	Store in RF.O
	0465 0467	95			GHI R			
	J40 I	94	15		GH1 R	(4	SUD B	Sub. high start
	0469	BE			PHI		RF	from high GHI Store in RF.0
	046A				GLO		R6	Get low destin-
								ation addr.
	046B	52			STR 2			Store
		8F			GLO R	F		
		F4			ADD			
	046E	AF 06			PLO		RF	O-4 L!-L 4 4!
•	)46F	96			GHI	1	₹6	Get high destin.

	ADDR	CO	DE	LABEL	OPCODE	OPERAND	COMMENT	ADDR	COF	DE.	ı	LABEL	OPCC	DF	OPERAND	COMMENT
	0470	52			STR v	ia R2		0544								All table entries
	0471	9F	74		GHI	RF ADC		0546		171		JIILONZ.	GLO	1 \ 1	R1	Checked?
	0473				PHI	RF		0547		25			BNZ			No branch
	0474				DEC	R6					A 1	2 BYTE		ΛΛ	PLO R1	Load number no
	0475			ANOTHER		,,,	Load via end addr.	0,547	, 0	On	/ (	(NON)	CD,	On	I LO KI	effect 2 byte
	0476			STORE	RF		Store via mod.					(HON)				codes
	7470	١,		31011	131		"TO" address	0540	r- A			LOA LAL	CEV		D.4	
	0477	25	25		DEC DE	DEC RF	Dec. to address	054C 054D			r	AGAIN:	SEX		RA	RA is index
	0479				GHT R6		Dec. 10 address						LD7			Load from block
	047B				GHI RE			05 <b>4</b> E	FD				XOR			Check if 2 byte
	047D				BNZ	ANOTHER		OSAE	7.6	67			DNZ		CHECKS	
	047F				GLO R6			054F	ЭM	07			BNZ		CHECK3	No go check other
	0481				GLO RE			0551	17				LNIC		0.7	codes
	0483				BNZ	ANOTHER		0551	17				LNC		R7	Yes, just
	0485				BR	RETURN		0550		~~			05.4		0111 00	increment
	0487			FINISH	BZ	SK1P		0552							GHI R8	At end of
	0489		OA	1 1111 311				0554		97				ΚZ	GHI R7	reference fixing?
	048A				CALL M		Dissipation and at	0556					XOR		=	*
	048B		ΔΔ		SEX OUT 4	R3	Display end of	0557					BNZ	~~	N FIN.	
	048D			LOOPA:	BR	LOOPA	program 'AA'	0559							STR R2	
	0500		OU	RETURN:	SEP	R3	· AA ·	055B					GLO	R/		
	0501		0.1	INPUT:	BN4	CA	Wait for	0550					BNZ		NFIN	N
	0503			INFUI:				055F	30	1.5			BR E	ND	FIX	*Yes_return_from
					B4	LND 4 OLD	*Input	0541								routine
	0505		bC	64			'4 Display input	0561					INC		R7	inc. block pointer
	0508				DEC	R2	*	0562	F 8	1)0	AA		LDI	XX	PLO RA	Reset table
	0509			BT		PHI R1	Delay before									pointer
	0506					DEC R1	Returning	0565	30	22			BR		CYCLE	Go process
	050E		OC		BNZ		<b>*</b>									(through table)
	0510	02			LD2		Put_input in D	0567		1.4	C	CHECK3:	DEC	R1	INC RA	All table entries
							register	0569	81				GLO		R1	checked?
	0511		00		BR	RETURN	Return	056A					BNZ		AGAIN	No! Branch
	0513			RETURN	SEP	R3		0560	F8	07	A 1	3 BYTE	LDI	07	PLO R1	Yes, check 3 byte
	0514	86	52	FIX:	GLO R6	STR 2	Get destination					(ACT)				
							low address	056F	EΑ		M	MANY	SEX		RA	Opcode tables
	0516				GLO	R7	Get fix start(low)	0570	07				LD7			Load from clock
	0517	F5	ΑF		SD	PLO RF	Subtract and store	0571	F3				XOR			Check if 3 byte
							in F.O									opcode
	0519	96	52		GHI R6	STR R2	Get destination	0572	3A	81			BNZ		CHECK 4	No! Branch
							address (high)	0574			1.7		LNC	R7	INC 17	Yes! Point to low
	051B	97	75		GHI R7	SDB	Get fix start									address
							(high)	0577	8F	F4	73		GLO	RF	ADD	Add bias to it
	051D	ΒF			PHI	RF	Subtract and store									and change it
							in F.1	057A	9F	74	57		GHT	RF	ADC ST7	Add bias to high
	051E	87	73		GLO R7	STX D	Push fix start on						J			and change it
	0520				GHT R7		Stack	057D	17	C4			SEX		R2	g
	0522	F8	0F	A1 CYCLE:	LDI OF	PLO R1	Load number	057F	30	2F			BR	BLC	CKEND	
							affected 2 byte	0581	21	1A	81	CHECK4:	DEC	R1	LN	
							ops	0584					BNZ		MANY	
	0525			ANOTHER:	: SEX	RA	RX is now A	0586	17				INC		R7	
	0526	07			LD7		Load from block	0587	F8	D0	AΑ		INC		R7	Reset table
	0527	F3			XOR		Check if 2 byte	058A	30	22			BR		CYCLE	
							(Aff.) code						-			
	0528	3A	44		BNZ	CHECK2	No, go check other									
							tables	ADDR	COD	E						LABEL
	052A	E 7	17		SEX R7	INC R7	Yes! Point to				32	33 34 3	5 36	37		TWO BYTE
							branch value					3C 3D 3				*
					GLO	RF	Get bias value					F8 F9 F		FC		TWO BYTE
	052C	8F											_			
	052C 052D		57		ADD	STR7	Add to value:	05E 7								INO attect)
			57		ADD		Add to value, change value				C2	C3 C9 C	Α			(No affect)
		F4		BLOCK END:			change value				C2	C3 C9 C	Α			(NO affect)
	052D	F4 E2		BLOCK END:	SEX	R2	change value´ R2-Index				C2	C3 C9 C	Α			(NO affect)
	052D 052F	F4 E2 98	52	BLOCK END:	SEX	R2 STR R2	change value				C2	C3 C9 C	Α			(NO arrect)
ej.	052D 052F 0530	E2 98 97	52 F 5	BLOCK END:	SEX GHI R8	R2 STR R2	change value R2-Index All block bytes				C2	C3 C9 C	A			(NO arrect)
icense.	052D 052F 0530 0532	E2 98 97 33	52 F 5 3E	BLOCK END:	SEX GHI R8 GHI R7	R2 STR R2 SUB MORE	change value R2-Index All block bytes Looked at?				C2	C3 C9 C	Α			(NO arrect)
rted License.	052F 052F 0530 0532 0534	E2 98 97 33 88	52 F 5 3E 52	BLOCK END:	SEX GHI R8 GHI R7 BNZ	R2 STR R2 SUB MORE STR 2	change value' R2-Index All block bytes Looked at? *				C2	C3 C9 C	Α			(NO arrect)
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ribution-NonCommercial-ShareAlike 3.0 Unported License.	052D 052F 0530 0532 0534 0536 0538 053A 053C	E2 98 97 33 88 87 33 30	52 F5 3E 52 F5 3E 13	MORE:	SEX GHI R8 GHI R7 BNZ GLO R8 GLO R7 BNZ BNZ BR	R2 STR R2 SUB MORE STR 2 XOR MORE ENDFX R7	change value R2-Index All block bytes Looked at? * * Yes, return from routine Increment block pointer				C2	C3 C9 C	Α			(NO arrect)
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## Q\*BUG

Welcome to the QUEST BASIC USERS GROUP.
(Here after known as QBUG)

Hopefully, this will be a regular feature of QUEST DATA devoted to users of the QUEST SUPER BASIC VERSION 5.0 program. Emphasis will be on machine language enhancements to SUPER BASIC. My aim will be to pass along any improvements that you, the readers of this column, contribute and a few of my own. Since this is a USERS group column, it is your input that will support future columns. Please send in any ideas, suggestions, questions, or what have you, so that we can keep the column rolling.

I am a self-taught machine language tinkerer and am not a real hotshot programmer. However, with a little patience and some hand disassemblying of SUPER BASIC, I feel anyone can learn the fundamental workings of SUPER BASIC and come up with some useful gimmicks even if they only satisfy some personal whim.

First thing, let me explain the format in which I will write numbers in this and any future columns.

By now, hopefully, you know that the internal workings of the 1802 microprocessor are expressed in hexidecimal format numbers (hex). This means that any reference to register contents, memory contents, addresses, etc. should and will henceforth be in hex form. If I write "Page 3500" or "Address 2345", these will always be hex numbers. I will not show an "M" prefix for an address or an "H" suffix for a number.

Of course, any number within a Basic program, unless preceded by a # or a @, will be in decimal format.

Also, SUPER BASIC VER. 5.0 will henceforth be called simply "Super" which it surely is!

Because my setup consists of an ELF II with the Netronics Video Board and terminal, some of my changes to SUPER are made to satisfy the limitations imposed by the quirks in the ELF II equipment. I do not do much original programming in BASIC and usually concentrate on converting published programs for TRS or other computers to a format usable in SUPER or machine language programming.

Now, let me present a method for providing a little quicker start up for SUPER.

SUPER 5.0, as presently configured and written, requires that the user respond with a C/R or 'M' when first bringing up SUPER. This is to allow SUPER to measure the terminal time constants and 'stuff' them into work page 0000 at locations 00E7 and 00E8. This routine is included so that SUPER will be somewhat hardware independent and can be used on any terminal.

Once the user has run SUPER on his terminal, these constants are available for reuse and the initial C/R or M' response can be eliminated. Also, the initialization routine occupies memory location 3493 to 34CC and this program space can be used for other routines.

The key to eliminating the initialization routine is the inclusion of work page 0000 to 00FF in the taped master SUPER program. This will insure that the work page and the time constants and other data recorded on the work page will be loaded into memory when SUPER is loaded. Thus, SUPER, when first re-recorded to your backup tapes, should be recorded from memory location 0000 to the end of your particular version of SUPER. This will include the time constant location 00E7 and 00E8 and allow us to completely eliminate the initialization routine at 3493.

SUPER vectors to the Serial I/O initialization routine with a long branch at location 3300 to location 3400. The final long branch to the initialization routine is CO 34 93 at location 3400. For ELFII users, this should be changed to CO 31 48 (the actual CLS routine) to clear the screen and return to the C/W prompt. I presume that non ELFII owners can merely change location 3400 to a D5 instruction but cannot guarantee the results.

Finally, for this column, we should discuss procedures for providing cassette tape deck control on an ELF II using the Netronics motor control board.

Although the manual for SUPER 5.0 states that cassette tape deck control can only be accomplished with a hardware change, I find that a simple software change in SUPER will provide motor control without any hardware changes. Page 3200 of SUPER contains most of the cassette in/out routines. Simply stated, although not exactly step by step, non-ELF II deck control uses the byte 00 to turn off the input and output decks, byte 01 to turn on the input deck,

and byte 02 to turn on the output deck. The ELF II uses byte 00 to turn on both decks, byte 01 to turn on the output deck, and byte 02 to turn on the input deck. Additionally, byte 03 will turn off both decks.

The first change to be made will insure that both decks are turned off when SUPER is first entered. Since we will be using and saving work page 0000 as part of the SUPER program, we can put a simple little routine at location 0000 to turn the decks off and then jump to the Cold Start routine at location 0100. This change is:

0000 - E0 67 03 (Output byte 03, turn off decks) 0003 - CO 01 00 (Jump to Cold Start)

The next change is to the byte at location 32AO. This is the byte to turn off both decks after a Pload, Psave, Dload, or Dsave and is presently '00'. Change this byte to '03' and you now turn off the ELF II decks.

Next, we will change the bytes which turn on the input or output decks. This is presently controlled by a tricky routine at location 321E thru 3225.

Apparently, SUPER enters the cassette 1/O routines with the DF register set to 1 if it is in the Dsave or Psave mode. DF is tested and if it is 1, execution jumps to location M 321EH. SUPER will then load D with 01 (F8 01 at 321E), add (7C) D, DF, and the 00 byte at 3221, and put the results in D and on the stack(52). D is then shifted to the right (F6) and DF is tested for 0.

If SUPER did come in with DF set to 1, adding the 01 in D and the 1 in DF and putting the result in D will make D=2. Shifting 02 (0000 0010 in binary) to the right would leave D=01 and force DF=0 (0000 0001(0 to DF)). The DF test at 3224 (3B) would be true and execution would branch to location 32B5. This is the cassette output routine and the byte 02 on the stack would eventually be sent to the output deck by the 63 instruction at location 32C1.

If SUPER entered the cassette I/O routines in the Pload or Dload mode, DF will be set to 0. The 01 at 321E would be added to DF (0) and the result put in D. Shifting 01 right would force DF=1 and the DF test at 3224 would fail and execution would continue at 3226. This is the cassette input routine and the 01 would be sent to the input deck by the 63 instruction at location 3226.

To make the changes necessary for the ELF II, we will simplify the routines somewhat. Since locations 3200 to 3205 are actually unused, we will use them for part of our changes. First, at location 321E, we will put a

short branch to location 3200 (33 00). This branch is conditional, based on the state of DF. If DF=1, the test is true and execution will branch to 3200. Thus, if SUPER enters in the Dsave or Psave mode, we will branch to 3200. At location 3200, we will load D with 01 (F8 01), put 01 on the stack (52) and unconditionally branch (30 B5) to location 32B5, where the 01 byte will be sent to the output deck and execution in the output mode will continue.

If SUPER entered in the input mode, the conditional branch at 320E will not take effect since DF will equal 0. We will then want to load D with 02 (F8 02) at location 3210, put 02 on the stack, and continue execution at 3226, the cassette input routine. The 02 in D will be sent to, and turn on, the input deck and execution in the input mode will continue.

Incidentally, ELF 11 owners, don't forget to change the 63 instructions at 3226, 32A2, and 32C1 to 67.

In summary, the cassette changes are:

0000 E0 67 03 0003 C0 01 00 3200 F8 01 52 30 B5 C4 321E 33 00 3220 F8 02 52 C4 C4 C4 67 32A0 03 52 67 32C1 67

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### THE COSMAC KID

By Mark Wendell

It had been a great day. I had just finished killing off seventeen Klingons in the computer of a local college. When I got home, I checked the mail. Waiting for me was Popular Electronics and I read the article and was completely blown away, being relatively new to micros and the language, but my interest had been caught, the seed was planted. I read up as much as I could on micrcomputers in general, and I got out all of my back issues of Popular Electronics, Radio-Electronics, and Elementary Electronics, trying to find as much as I could about the elusive 1802.

Having just graduated from junior high, my finances were almost non-existant (have you ever seen a rich just-graduated junior high schooler?). So I had to start scrimping and saving, working my fingers to the bone, and weaseling as much as I could from my parents. And then came my birthday. Since I had been such a good kid all year (heh, heh), my dad decided to split the cost with me. I was almost there.

Now I had to figure out which kit to get. After price-comparing and writing some letters, I decided on Quest.

There was only one more obstacle to overcome: my mother, who hates machines with a passion. The following is a conversation between myself and the matriarch of the household on the day I finally had all the money raised.

"Yes, but what can it do? What is it good for?!"
"Well---er---it can count. And it can make sounds!" I gulped, the slow terror of rejection rising in my gut.

"It can count and make noise, and it costs over a hundred bucks!" Oh.

"Well, it also can...uh...make neat pictures on the TV!"

"I just don't know, it just doesn't sound like its worth it..."

And suddenly I had it, I'd stick her with education!

"Its also educational! It can teach me logic,

and Boolean algebra, and electronics, and number systems, and programming!" I had her by the er all sure had her now.

"Well, if you think its worth it, but...ah... what can it do?" You get the picture.

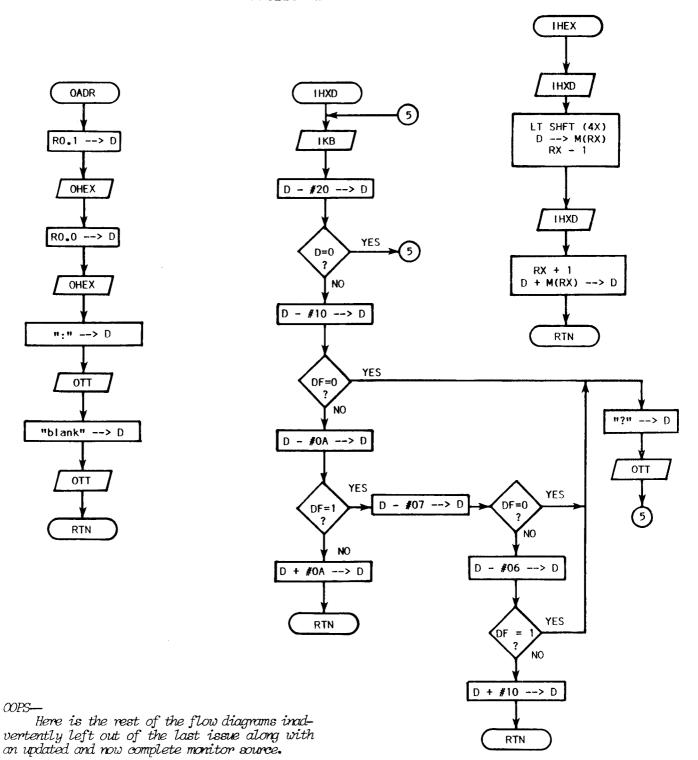
Three days later, weary and worn, but happy at my eventual victory, I sent out my order for a Super Elf kit.

A little less than a week later I got it via UPS and eagerly looked it over. After going through two rolls of solder, I viewed my creation and took the big step: I plugged it in. And. And. And took the big step: I plugged it in. And. The point of suicide, I wrapped it up and sent it back the next day for repairs. Time munched onward.

A month later, my Elf came back home with a doctor's bill attached. I paid the bill and looked it over. Apparently, I had made a few construction errors (I'm only human), but it was better now. Again I plugged it in, only this time I saw the most glorious pair of red zeroes that I had ever seen in my whole life, and these were flanked by magnificient stars that shone brilliantly, expressing the 1802's mode and state of mind. Since I had read up on programming, I loaded my first program; 7B00! Boy! Another star blinked into life! Totally overjoyed, I ran the gamut of programs listed in Popular Electronics. When I came to the sound generators, I became ecstatic-it was the most incredibly fantastic thing in the whole world! But even that didn't last forever. My software was definitely sparse, so I began looking Suddenly, there was a glimmering lighta ray of hope befell my eyes as I received the first complimentary issue of QUESTDATA. was where it was at! I readily subscribed, and am now happily feeding my Elf wondrous programs. The little Elf greedily accepts all programs with open RAM and churns out results perfectly. The COSMAC is a willing jinni and joyfully serves any lucky soul fortunate enough to own the microprocessor of microprocessors: the 1802.

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