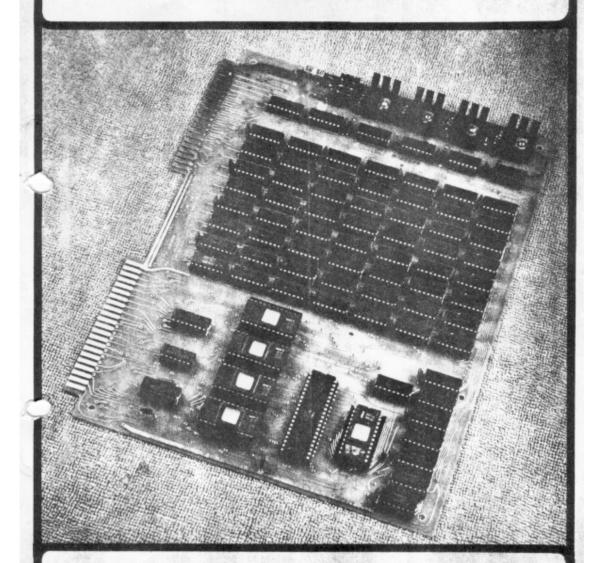
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FOR THE KIM-I

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Warranty and Service

Should you experience difficulty with your MEMORY PLUS board and be unable to diagnose or correct the problem, you may return the board to The COMPUTERIST for repair. MEMORY PLUS is warranted by The COMPUTERIST against defects in workmanship and materials for a period of ninety (90) days from date of delivery. During the warranty period, The COMPUTERIST will repair or, at its option, replace at no charge components that prove to be defective provided that the board is returned, shipping prepaid, to:

MEMORY PLUS Service Department The COMPUTERIST, Inc. 56 Central Square Chelmsford, MA 01824

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This warranty does not apply if the board has been damaged by accident or misuse, or as a result of repairs or modification made by other than authorized personnel at the above service facility. No other warranty is expressed or implied. The COMPUTERIST is not liable for consequential damages.

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# MEMORY PLUS<sup>tm</sup> and Accessories

MEMORY PLUS is a KIM-1 shaped and sized board for extending the capabilities of the KIM-1. It contains 8K RAM (low power 2102 static); provision for up to 8K EPROM (Intel-type 2716 2K by 8-bit); a Versatile Interface Adapter with two 8-bit I/O ports, two timers, and a serial-to-parallel shift register (MOS Technology 6522); and an on board EPROM Programmer. RAM and ROM are each addressable at any 8K (2K hex) boundary and may both be used simultaneously (this is really a 16K board!). Other features are: on board regulators for +5V and +25V, EPROM Programming Program and Memory Test Program on cassette tape, all chips socketted, fully assembled and tested. Connectors, mounting hardware, 60 page manual, etc. included.

Price: \$245.00 with everything except the EPROMs.

\$40.00 per EPROM

\$10.00 for the 60 page Manual (deductable from MEMORY PLUS purchase price). \$10.00 for two Connector Cables ordered with MEMORY PLUS (otherwise \$15.00).

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Price: \$30.00 for complete enclosure.

\$10.00 for bottom section only which will permit you to use your existing Enclosure Group SKE 1-1 top section with MEMORY PLUS.

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## Set Up and Check Out

The quickest way to get your new MEMORY PLUS board "up and running" with your KIM-1 is to take your time and follow <u>all</u> of the steps outlined below.

- 1. Carefully unpack your MEMORY PLUS board from its individual box, padding, and protective anit-static wrapping. While none of the components on this board are unusally susceptible to static, any chip can be damaged (destroyed) by a large static shock. So, take some care about avoiding static buildup.
- Examine the board for an visible damage which may have occured in shipping. Push all IC's firmly into their sockets. Unbend any capacitors which have been bent.
- 3. Read briefly the entire MEMORY PLUS manual. Pay particular attention to the main sections on "POWER", "RAM Memory", "EPROM Memory", and "VERSATILE INTERFACE ADAPTER", but do not try to memorize everything.
- 4. Build the required connector cables following the wiring list labelled "MEMORY PLUS to KIM-1 Connections". If you are only planning to use the RAM memory to start, then only the expansion connector cable is required, plus a wire running from pin E-16 of MP to A-K of KIM for the DECODE. Remember to remove the wire you currently have between pin A-K of KIM and pin A-1 of KIM which grounds the DECODE signal for an unexpanded system.
- 5. Carefully check the cable you built for any errors or bad connections.
- 6. Set up your power for MEMORY PLUS in one of the following ways:
  - a. If your have a single +5V supply which is going to run both the KIM-1 and MEMORY PLUS (it must be capable of about 3.5 amps), then the following connections should be made:

MP E-21 to KIM E-21 MP E-Y to KIM E-21 MP A-A to KIM A-A

The Header should be positioned with the notch at pin 9.

- b. If you have a separate +5V regulated supply for MEMORY PLUS, then the above connections must <u>not</u> be made. The header should be positioned with the notch at pin 9. Attach supply to MP E-21/E-Y.
- c. If you have a +8 to +10 unregulated supply, then the above connections must <u>not</u> be made. The header should be positioned with the notch at pin 1. Attach supply to MP E-19/E-20.
- 7. Connect the KIM-1 and MEMORY PLUS together via the cables you have made.
- 8. Set the RAM Select Switch to the 2000 position.
- 9. Turn on the power supply. Using the KIM-1 monitor, examine and modify a few RAM locations to verify that they basically work. With the RAM switch set to 2000, locations 2000 through 3FFF are accessible. If you are unable to examine and modify these locations, then check steps 2 to 8 for any errors. If you can not find anything you did wrong, then go to the section on "MEMORY PLUS Testing and Field Repair" on page 16.

- 10. If the above preliminary examination of RAM memory is successful, then you are ready to run a more rigorous memory test. Follow the instructions in the section on "RAM Memory Test". If these tests work, and all you plan to use on MEMORY PLUS is the RAM, then you are done with initial set up and check out.
- 11. If you plan to use the Versatile Interface Adapter and/or the EPROM Programmer, you must build the cable that goes between the KIM-1 and MEMORY PLUS application connectors if you have not already done so. Follow the wiring list labelled "MEMORY PLUS to KIM-1 Connections". Carefully check the cable you built and review the power connections as discussed in step 6 above.
- 12. Connect the KIM-1 and MEMORY PLUS together with the application cable.
- 13. No specific tests are provided for testing the VIA. If you wish to test this chip, read the section on "VERSATILE INTERFACE ADAPTER" and the "MCS6522 VERSATILE INTERFACE ADAPTER Data Sheet" appendix. You may then devise your own tests dependent on how you intend to use the VIA chip.
- 14. The only simple way to test the EPROM Programmer is to program an EPROM. The EPROM Programmer requires a +25 volts at 30 milliamps. The best way to provide this is by using the on board regulator circuit. A +27 to +30V unregulated supply can be connected to pin E-3 of the MEMORY PLUS expansion connector. See the section on "EPROM Programming" for details. This will provide about +24.7V for EPROM programming and will prevent over voltages which can destroy an EPROM. Follow the instructions in the "EPROM Programming" section and program an EPROM.
- 15. Once you have a programmed EPROM, you can place it into the correct EPROM socket and try to use it. The "standard" addresses for the MEMORY PLUS board are COOO C7FF, C800 CFFF, D000 D7FF, and D800 DFFF. Set the ROM Select Switch to the desired 8K starting address. Since the EPROM Programmer Program verified as it programmed, the contents should be correct. If not, then there is probably a problem in where you have placed the EPROM (wrong socket) or which direction you have inserted the EPROM (pin 1 goes upper right corner). If the contents of the EPROM look okay, then execute the code to determine if it runs correctly. If the code looks correct, then it should run properly.
- 16. You may now wish to mount the working MEMORY PLUS board under the KIM-1. Use the mounting bolts, nuts, stand-offs and rubber feet provided.
- 17. Congratulations. You now have an expanded KIM-1 system with a lot of new capabilities. You should now make yourself more familiar with the MEMORY PLUS facilities by re-reading the documentation, particularly the VIA Data Sheet.

# MEMORY PLUS to KIM-1 Connections

	MEMORY PLUS	KIM-1	Expansion Connector	MEMORY	KIM-1
Function	Pin#	Pin#	Function	PLUS Pin#	Pin#
Ground	E-1	E-22	Ground	E-A	E-22
+5V Battery	E-2		ABO	E-B	E-A
+27 Unreg.	<b>E-</b> 3		AB1	E-C	E-B
TRQ	E-4	E-4	AB2	E-D	E-C
•	E-5		AB3	E-E	E-D
	E-6		AB4	E-F	E-E
RST	E-7	E-7	AB5	E-H	E-F
DB7	E-8	E-8	AB6	E-J	E-H
DB6	E-9	E-9	AB7	E-K	E-J
DB5	E-10	E-10	AB8	E-L	E-K
DB4	E-11	E-11	AB9	E-M	E-L
DB3	E-12	E-12	AB10	E-N	E-M
DB2	E-13	E-13	AB11	E-P	E-N
DB1	E-14	E-14	AB12	E-R	E-P
DBO	E-15	E-15	AB13	E-S	E-R
DECODE	E-16		AB14	E-S E-T	
DECODE	E-17	A-K	AB15		E-S
	E-18		_	E-U	E-T
+8V Unreg.	E-19		Phase 2	E-V	E-U
+8V Unreg.	E-20		Read/Write	E-W	E-V
+5V Regulated		E 21	Phase 2	E-X	E-Y
Ground		E-21	+5V Regulated		E-21
Ground	E-22	E-22	Ground	E-Z	E-22
	MEMORY	KIM-1	Application Connector	MEMORY	KIM-1
	MEMORY PLUS	KIM-1	Application Connector	MEMORY PLUS	KIM-1
Function		KIM-1 Pin#	Application Connector Function		KIM-1 Pin#
Ground	PLUS Pin# A-1			PLUS	
Ground MPA1	PLUS Pin# A-1 A-2	Pin#	Function	PLUS Pin#	Pin#
Ground	PLUS Pin# A-1 A-2 A-3	Pin#	Function +5V Regulated	PLUS Pin# A-A	Pin#
Ground MPA1 MPA2 MPA3	PLUS Pin# A-1 A-2 A-3 A-4	Pin#	Function +5V Regulated	PLUS Pin# A-A A-B	Pin#
Ground MPA1 MPA2 MPA3 MPA4	PLUS Pin# A-1 A-2 A-3	Pin#	Function +5V Regulated	PLUS Pin# A-A A-B A-C	Pin#
Ground MPA1 MPA2 MPA3 MPA4 MPA5	PLUS Pin# A-1 A-2 A-3 A-4 A-5 A-6	Pin#	Function +5V Regulated MPB6	PLUS Pin# A-A A-B A-C A-D	Pin#
Ground MPA1 MPA2 MPA3 MPA4	PLUS Pin# A-1 A-2 A-3 A-4 A-5 A-6 A-7	Pin#	Function +5V Regulated MPB6	PLUS Pin# A-A A-B A-C A-D A-E	Pin#
Ground MPA1 MPA2 MPA3 MPA4 MPA5	PLUS Pin# A-1 A-2 A-3 A-4 A-5 A-6	Pin#	Function +5V Regulated MPB6 MCA1 MCA2	PLUS Pin# A-A A-B A-C A-D A-E A-F	Pin#
Ground MPA1 MPA2 MPA3 MPA4 MPA5 MPA6	PLUS Pin# A-1 A-2 A-3 A-4 A-5 A-6 A-7	Pin#	Function +5V Regulated MPB6  MCA1 MCA2 MCB1	PLUS Pin# A-A A-B A-C A-D A-E A-F A-H	Pin#
Ground MPA1 MPA2 MPA3 MPA4 MPA5 MPA6 MPA7	PLUS Pin# A-1 A-2 A-3 A-4 A-5 A-6 A-7 A-8	Pin#	Function +5V Regulated MPB6  MCA1 MCA2 MCB1 MCB2	PLUS Pin# A-A A-B A-C A-D A-E A-F A-H A-J	Pin# A-A
Ground MPA1 MPA2 MPA3 MPA4 MPA5 MPA6 MPA7 MPB0	PLUS Pin# A-1 A-2 A-3 A-4 A-5 A-6 A-7 A-8 A-9	Pin#	Function +5V Regulated MPB6  MCA1 MCA2 MCB1 MCB2 DECODE	PLUS Pin# A-A A-B A-C A-D A-E A-F A-H A-J A-K	Pin# A-A A-K
Ground MPA1 MPA2 MPA3 MPA4 MPA5 MPA6 MPA7 MPB0 MPB1	PLUS Pin# A-1 A-2 A-3 A-4 A-5 A-6 A-7 A-8 A-9 A-10	Pin#	Function +5V Regulated MPB6  MCA1 MCA2 MCB1 MCB2 DECODE	PLUS Pin# A-A A-B A-C A-D A-E A-F A-H A-J A-K A-L	Pin# A-A A-K
Ground MPA1 MPA2 MPA3 MPA4 MPA5 MPA6 MPA7 MPB0 MPB1 MPB2	PLUS Pin# A-1 A-2 A-3 A-4 A-5 A-6 A-7 A-8 A-9 A-10 A-11	Pin#	Function +5V Regulated MPB6  MCA1 MCA2 MCB1 MCB2 DECODE	PLUS Pin# A-A A-B A-C A-D A-E A-F A-H A-J A-K A-L A-M A-N	Pin# A-A A-K
Ground MPA1 MPA2 MPA3 MPA4 MPA5 MPA6 MPA7 MPB0 MPB1 MPB2 MPB3	PLUS Pin# A-1 A-2 A-3 A-4 A-5 A-6 A-7 A-8 A-9 A-10 A-11 A-12	Pin#	Function +5V Regulated MPB6  MCA1 MCA2 MCB1 MCB2 DECODE	PLUS Pin# A-A A-B A-C A-D A-E A-F A-H A-J A-K A-L A-M	Pin# A-A A-K
Ground MPA1 MPA2 MPA3 MPA4 MPA5 MPA6 MPA7 MPB0 MPB1 MPB2 MPB3 MPB4	PLUS Pin# A-1 A-2 A-3 A-4 A-5 A-6 A-7 A-8 A-9 A-10 A-11 A-12 A-13	Pin#	Function +5V Regulated MPB6  MCA1 MCA2 MCB1 MCB2 DECODE	PLUS Pin# A-A A-B A-C A-D A-E A-F A-H A-J A-K A-L A-M A-N A-P	Pin# A-A A-K
Ground MPA1 MPA2 MPA3 MPA4 MPA5 MPA6 MPA7 MPB0 MPB1 MPB2 MPB3 MPB4 MPA0	PLUS Pin# A-1 A-2 A-3 A-4 A-5 A-6 A-7 A-8 A-9 A-10 A-11 A-12 A-13 A-14	Pin#	Function +5V Regulated MPB6  MCA1 MCA2 MCB1 MCB2 DECODE	PLUS Pin# A-A A-B A-C A-D A-E A-F A-H A-J A-K A-L A-M A-N A-P A-R A-S	Pin# A-A A-K
Ground MPA1 MPA2 MPA3 MPA4 MPA5 MPA6 MPA7 MPB0 MPB1 MPB2 MPB3 MPB4 MPA0 MPB7	PLUS Pin# A-1 A-2 A-3 A-4 A-5 A-6 A-7 A-8 A-9 A-10 A-11 A-12 A-13 A-14 A-15	Pin#	Function +5V Regulated MPB6  MCA1 MCA2 MCB1 MCB2 DECODE	PLUS Pin# A-A A-B A-C A-D A-E A-H A-H A-J A-K A-L A-M A-N A-P A-R A-S A-T	Pin# A-A A-K
Ground MPA1 MPA2 MPA3 MPA4 MPA5 MPA6 MPA7 MPB0 MPB1 MPB2 MPB3 MPB4 MPA0 MPB7	PLUS Pin# A-1 A-2 A-3 A-4 A-5 A-6 A-7 A-8 A-9 A-10 A-11 A-12 A-13 A-14 A-15 A-16	Pin#	Function +5V Regulated MPB6  MCA1 MCA2 MCB1 MCB2 DECODE	PLUS Pin# A-A A-B A-C A-D A-E A-F A-H A-J A-K A-L A-M A-N A-P A-R A-S A-T A-U	Pin# A-A A-K
Ground MPA1 MPA2 MPA3 MPA4 MPA5 MPA6 MPA7 MPB0 MPB1 MPB2 MPB3 MPB4 MPA0 MPB7 MPB5	PLUS Pin# A-1 A-2 A-3 A-4 A-5 A-6 A-7 A-8 A-9 A-10 A-11 A-12 A-13 A-14 A-15 A-16 A-17 A-18	Pin#	Function +5V Regulated MPB6  MCA1 MCA2 MCB1 MCB2 DECODE	PLUS Pin# A-A A-B A-C A-D A-E A-H A-H A-J A-K A-L A-M A-N A-P A-R A-S A-T A-U A-V	Pin# A-A A-K
Ground MPA1 MPA2 MPA3 MPA4 MPA5 MPA6 MPA7 MPB0 MPB1 MPB2 MPB3 MPB4 MPA0 MPB7 MPB5	PLUS Pin# A-1 A-2 A-3 A-4 A-5 A-6 A-7 A-8 A-9 A-10 A-11 A-12 A-13 A-14 A-15 A-16 A-17	Pin# A-1	Function +5V Regulated MPB6  MCA1 MCA2 MCB1 MCB2 DECODE	PLUS Pin# A-A A-B A-C A-D A-E A-H A-H A-J A-K A-L A-M A-N A-P A-R A-S A-T A-U A-V A-W	Pin# A-A A-K
Ground MPA1 MPA2 MPA3 MPA4 MPA5 MPA6 MPA7 MPB0 MPB1 MPB2 MPB3 MPB4 MPA0 MPB7 MPB5	PLUS Pin# A-1 A-2 A-3 A-4 A-5 A-6 A-7 A-8 A-9 A-10 A-11 A-12 A-13 A-14 A-15 A-16 A-17 A-18 A-19	Pin# A-1 A-9	Function +5V Regulated MPB6  MCA1 MCA2 MCB1 MCB2 DECODE	PLUS P1n# A-A A-B A-C A-D A-E A-F A-H A-J A-K A-L A-M A-N A-P A-R A-R A-S A-T A-U A-W A-W	Pin# A-A A-K
Ground MPA1 MPA2 MPA3 MPA4 MPA5 MPA6 MPA7 MPB0 MPB1 MPB2 MPB3 MPB4 MPA0 MPB7 MPB5 MCB2 PRA8 PRA9	PLUS Pin# A-1 A-2 A-3 A-4 A-5 A-6 A-7 A-8 A-9 A-10 A-11 A-12 A-13 A-14 A-15 A-16 A-17 A-18 A-19 A-20 A-21	Pin# A-1 A-9 A-10	Function +5V Regulated MPB6  MCA1 MCA2 MCB1 MCB2 DECODE	PLUS Pin# A-A A-B A-C A-D A-E A-H A-H A-J A-K A-L A-M A-N A-P A-R A-S A-T A-U A-V A-W	Pin# A-A A-K

<sup>\*</sup> One of the two DECODE lines must be connected to the KIM-1.

### POWER

The power requirements for MEMORY PLUS are simple and on-board regulators are provided to make powering the board even easier. Essentially the board requires only +5 volts at about 2.0 amps. While the actual current requirements will vary slightly with the particular components on any board, the table below shows the individual and collective power requirements.

Component	#	Typical	Maximum	Measured	Max Total	Meas.	Total
74LS00	1		8 8	3 4	8 8	3	
74LS04 74LS32	1	5	10	2	10	2	
74LS138	3	7	10	6	30	18	
74LS367	3	14	24	17	72	51	
2716	4	57	105	45	420	180	
6522	1	50 [	[A] 60	52	60	52	
2102L [B]	32	14	22	14	704	448	
ر _`2L	32	14	22	14	704	448	
Total System	m				2016	1206	[C]

Notes: All current values in milliamps.

- [A] Value as estimated by an engineer at MOS Technology.
- [B] 2102Ls are split into two sections of 4K RAM each in the table for purposes of discussion below.
- [C] Measurements were taken with an inexpensive meter and should be only used as a guide to the system current requirements.
- [D] The above values were obtained with Fairchild 21L02s. The values may vary with other 21L02s produced by other manufacturers and supplied with your MEMORY PLUS board.

Regulated +5 Volt Supply. If the MEMORY PLUS is to be powered by regulated +5 volts, then the supply should be connected to pins E-21 and E-Y on the MEMORY PLUS expansion connector. The supply should be capable of supplying at least 2.0 amps in addition to any other board it is driving such as the : I-1. The Header at the top of the board should be positioned so that the bus wires are away from the top of the board and the Header notched corner is positioned at pin 9.

Unregulated +8 to +10 Volt Supply. If the MEMORY PLUS is to be powered by unregulated +8 to +10 volts, then the supply should be connected to pins E-19 and E-20 on the MEMORY PLUS expansion connector. The supply should be capable of supplying at least 2.5 amps. This supply is distributed to three +5 volt regulators which each handle a separate section of the board.

Regulator Q4 supplies the high 4K of 2102L RAM with 448 to 704 milliamps. Regulator Q5 supplies all support chips, the 2716s and the 6522 with 310 to 608 milliamps.

Regulator Q6 supplies the low 4K of 2102L RAM with 448 to 704 milliamps.

The Header at the top of the board should be positioned so that the bus wires are near the top of the board and the Header notched corner is positioned a pin 1.

The only other power requirement for the MEMORY PLUS board is +25 volts at 30 milliamps during programming of an EPROM. This voltage may be provided as either regulated +25 volt or unregulated +28 to +30 volts.

Regulated +25 Volt Supply. Programming of the INTEL 2716 EPROM requires +25V. This may be attached to pin A-22 of the MEMORY PLUS application connector. Care must be taken to assure that the voltage is within the limits of +24 to +26 volts. A higher voltage will destroy the EPROM as both the INTEL documentation and my own personal experience can attest.

Unregulated +27 to +30 Volt Supply. MEMORY PLUS provides a circuit with a +24 volt regulator and a diode to produce a regulated +24.7 volts from an unregulated +27 to +30 volt supply. The unregulated supply, which may be three +9 volt transistor radio type batteries, is attached to pin E-3 of the MEMORY PLUS expansion connector. Since the programming voltage is so critical and since an over voltage can destroy an EPROM, use of this on board regulator is recommended. The three battery clips provided in the Accessory Bag are for the purpose of hooking up three +9 volt batteries.

Battery Backup. Since it is often desirable to be able to protect the contents of the RAM memory during a transient power interruption, or for longer periods of time, a provision has been made for battery backup to be connected to the MEMORY PLUS board. The batteries must be capable of providing between about 3.5 and 4.5 volts. They are connected to pin E-2 of the MEMORY PLUS expansion connector. There are diodes in the circuit which prevent current from being drawn from the batteries during normal system functioning. When the power drops, however, the batteries will automatically start supplying the required current. The amount of current will depend on the basic system configuration. If the MEMORY PLUS board is being run from +5 volts, then the batteries must supply the entire board. If the board is being run from the +8 to +10 volt regulators, then the battery backup will only run the RAM memory chips. This will result in a lower current drain on the batteries. The length of time that the system will retain its RAM contents on battery power will be a function of the configuration and the capacity of the batteries.

## Cassette Loading Instructions

The user is assumed to know the basics of loading cassette tape into a KIM-1. If you are not certain of the procedures, see pages 12 through 16 of the KIM-1 User Manual.

The MEMORY TEST is the first program on the tape. It has Program ID = 10. It loads into locations 0000 through 0092. It is set up to test memory from 2000 to 3FFF. The starting address of the program is 0003. See pages 20 and 21 of this manual for the MEMORY TEST Source Listing and page 19 for instructions on using the program.

The PROM PROGRAMMER is the second program on the tape. It has Program ID = 20. It loads into locations 0000 through 0098. The programming parameters must be set up in locations 0000 through 0005 as outlined in the section on EPROM Programming, pages 11 to 13. The starting address of the program is 0006.

## RAM Memory

The Random Access Memory (RAM) used with MEMORY PLUS is 2102-type static RAM. This is the same type of RAM used for the main memory on the KIM-1, and is the type of memory that was used in the KIM-2 and KIM-3 memory boards which were offered by MOS Technology. Each 2102 chip contains 1024 bits of memory. Any single bit is directly addressable. By addressing eight chips in parallel, an eight bit word is accessed. It takes eight 2102 chips to provide 1024 8-bit bytes. The MEMORY PLUS provides 8K bytes of 8-bit RAM (actually 8192 bytes). This requires 64 2102 chips: eight chips per 1K times eight K.

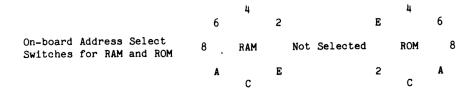
The 2102 chips used with MEMORY PLUS are Synertek 21L02B or equivalent. This version of 2102 has the following basic parameters:

SPEED: 450 nanosecond access time

POWER: 30 milliamp worst case (these are "low power" chips)

single +5 voltage required

The MEMORY PLUS RAM is organized into a single contiguous 8K block of memory. The location of the RAM in the KIM-1 addressing space is defined by a switch—which may be set to start at any 8K boundary (2K hex boundary). Looking at board with the regulators at the top, The RAM select switch is the left switch of the pair of rotary switches. Using the flat side of the switch as the position indicator, the addresses are set as follows:



The address associated with each position is:

2 <b>K</b>	2000	to	3FFF	Assumed as the RAM address in this manual.
4K	4000	to	5FFF	
6K	6000	to	7FFF	
8K	8000	to	9FFF	
AK	A000	to	BFFF	
CK	C000	to	DFFF	Assumed as the ROM address in this manual.
EK	E000	to	FFFF	Not normally used for RAM since interrupt vectors must be defined in FFFA to FFFF if this memory is addressed. See note in EPROM Memory about using this space for EPROM.

The exact layout of the individual RAM chips may be found in a diagram in the section on "MEMORY PLUS Testing and Field Repair".

#### EPROM Memory

The Erasable Programmable Read-Only Memory (EPROM) used with MEMORY PLUS is an ultraviolet erasable and electrically programmable 2716 type ROM. This is a fairly new memory chip. The version used in MEMORY PLUS is made by INTEL. It is not compatible with the 2716 made by some other manufacturers such as Texas Instruments. It may be second sourced by other manufacturers, but be certain that any EPROM you purchase is at least INTEL 2716 compatible. Each 2716 chip contains 16,384 bits of memory. The addressing of the chip is such that data is accessed eight bits at a time. The organization is 2048 bytes of eight bits each. A single 2716 provides 2K bytes of memory. The MEMORY PLUS board has provision for up to four 2716 chips providing for a maximum of 8K bytes of EPROM.

The 2716 chips required for MEMORY PLUS are INTEL 2716 or equivalent (not Texas Instrument 2716). This chip has the following basic parameters:

SPEED: 450 nanosecond access time

POWER: 105 milliamp worst case current, and

single +5 volt required

The MEMORY PLUS EPROM is organized into a single contiguous 8K block of memory. The location of the EPROM in the KIM-1 addressing space is defined by a switch which may be set to start at any 8K boundary (2K hex boundary). See the chart of switch positions on the preceding page. The position is determined by the flat section of the switch.

If, and only if, the "EK" address is used, then the jumper "J1" (located on the top side of component U4) must be changed. The existing jumper etched on the board must be cut and a wire run from the hole nearest the "J" to the hole nearest the "1". This will cause interrupts to be serviced by the FFFx vectors instead of the 1FFx KIM-1 vectors.

The EPROM sockets are addressed such that the socket nearest the edge of the board has the lowest address. The exact layout of the individual EPROM chips may be found in a diagram in the section on "MEMORY PLUS Testing and Field Repair".

## VERSATILE INTERFACE ADAPTER

The MOS Technology 6522 Versatile Interface Adapter is one of the important pluses of MEMORY PLUS. This sophisticated chip has the following basic features:

I/O: Two 8-bit parallel I/O ports with additional handshaking control lines. This more than doubles the basic KIM-1 I/O capabilities.

TIMERS: Two powerful interval timers which have a number of operating modes permitting them to be used as counters, "free-running" timers, "one-shot" timers, and more.

SHIFT REGISTER: Perform serial I/O under control of a timer, the system clock or an external signal. Serial-to-parallel and parallel-to-serial conversions take place within the 6522 without involving the KIM-1 on a bit-by-bit basis.

INTERRUPTS: The many different devices on the 6522 can cause interrupts to signal the completion of activity. These interrupts can be individually enabled, disabled and tested

The 6522 chip has two functions on MEMORY PLUS. The first is to provide all of the 6522 capabilities to the user as an extension of the KIM-1. The second is to control the EPROM Programmer. The 6522 is the heart of the EPROM Programmer. When the system is being used to program EPROMs, then the 6522, as well as several I/O lines from the basic KIM-1, is dedicated to this task. See the section on "EPROM Programming" for details.

The addressing of the 6522 is determined by the K5 signal generated by the KIM-1, and the AB8 and AB9 address signals. The sixteen internal registers of the 6522 have the following addresses and functions:

```
1600
       ORB Output Register B/Input Register B
       ORA Output Register A/Input Register A With Handshake
1601
1602
       DDRB Data Direction Register B
1603
       DDRA Data Direction Register A
1604
       T1C-L
                 Timer/Counter 1 Low
1605
       T1C-H
                 Timer/Counter 1 High
1606
       T1L-L
                 Timer/Counter 1 Low
1607
      T1L-H
                 Timer/Counter 1 High
1608
                 Timer/Counter 2 Low
       T2C-L
1609
      T2C-H
                 Timer/Counter 2 High
160A
      SR
                 Shift Register
160B
       ACR
                 Auxiliary Control Register
160C
       PCR
                 Peripheral Control Register
160D
      IFR
                 Interrupt Flag Register
160E
      IER
                 Interrupt Enable Register
160F
                 Output Register A/Input Register A Without Handshake
       ORA2
```

See the "MCS6522 VERSATILE INTERFACE ADAPTER" Preliminary Data Sheet included with this documentation for details on the 6522 operations.

#### EPROM Programming

The usefulness of the EPROMs on the MEMORY PLUS board is enhanced by the inclusion of on board EPROM programming facilities. The INTEL 2716 EPROM is electrically programmable and ultraviolet light erasable. The user can buy or build an ultraviolet light eraser. MEMORY PLUS provides the parts required for the programming of the EPROMs. These parts consist of the following items:

- EPROM Programming Socket: Socket 79 is a 24 pin socket located toward the lower right hand corner of the board. The EPROM to be programmed is placed in this socket.
- +25 Volt Regulator: +25 volts is required for programming the 2716. This may be provided directly by the user at pin A-22 of the MEMORY PLUS application connector. Since this voltage is so critical, and since an over voltage can destroy an EPROM, an on board regulator circuit is provided. This will provide about 24.7 volts when supplied with +27 to +30 volts at pin E-3 of the MEMORY PLUS expansion connector.
- Control Lines: The EPROM requires eleven (11) address lines, eight (8) data lines, and two (2) control lines. All but three of these lines are provided by the MEMORY PLUS VIA 6522. The remaining three lines come from the KIM-1 port B: PBO, PB1, and PB2.
- Timing: EPROM programming requires a 50 millisecond pulse be applied to the EPROM. The VIA 6522 includes a timer which is used for timing this interval.
- EPROM Programming Program: The control of the programming is handled by a program run on the KIM-1. This program is provided in the form of a source listing in this manual and as a cassette tape included in the MEMORY PLUS package.

The 2716 EPROM may be programmed one location (byte) at a time, or the entire EPROM may be programmed. The steps required to program the EPROM are:

- With the power off, insert the EPROM to be programmed into the Programming Socket.
- 2. Turn on the power and load the data to be copied into the EPROM into any portion of memory. This may be RAM memory loaded from cassette (or by hand) or may be another EPROM which is going to be copied.
- Load the EPROM Programming Program from cassette (or by hand) into memory (locations 0000 to 0094)
- 4. Make sure the following application connector connections are in place: KIM A-9 to MP A-19; KIM A-10 to MP A-20; KIM A-11 to MP A-21; KIM A-H to MP A-L.

5. Set up the following parameters for the EPROM Programming Program:

0000 and 0001 Starting address of memory to be copied from.
0002 and 0003 First address in EPROM to be copied to.
0004 and 0005 Last address +1 of memory to be copied from.

For example, to copy from RAM locations 2000 through 217A into the EPROM starting at location 0300, the following values would be set:

0000 00 Low byte of Starting address 2000 0001 20 High byte of Starting address 2000 0002 00 Low byte of First address in EPROM 0300 0003 03 High byte of First address in EPROM 0300 0004 7B Low byte of Last address +1 217A = 7B 0005 21 High byte of Last address +1 217A

- 6. Turn on +25 volt supply connected to MP A-22 or unregulated +27 to +30 volt supply connected to MP E-3.
- 7. Set the program starting address of 0006 via the keypad or the terminal and then press GO or type G.
- 8. It will take about 50 milliseconds per location for programming. This means about 100 seconds to program an entire 2K EPROM. When the program is done it will return to the KIM Monitor with address 0081 and data 1C. This indicates successful completion of the requested programming.
- 9. Turn off the +25 volt (or +27 to +30 volt) supply and the rest of the power to the system. Then remove the EPROM from the programming socket. The EPROM may now be placed in its operational socket and used.
- 10. The EPROM Programming Program performs several tests and may exit to the KIM Monitor at a location other than 0081 to indicate an error.
  - 0067 A Verify error. The correct data has not been programmed into the EPROM. This may be caused by:

An EPROM which was not "clean" (all 1's) to start. A defective EPROM. One or more address lines from the KIM-1 not properly hooked up or not properly functioning.

0072 A Starting address error. The memory address pointer has tried to go beyond location FFFF. This may be caused by:

Providing an incorrect Starting address in locations 0000 and 0001.

Providing an incorrect Last address in locations 0004 and 0005.

008C An EPROM address error. The EPROM address pointer has tried

to go beyond location FFFF. This may be caused by:

Providing an incorrect First address in locations 0002 and 0003.

Providing an incorrect Last address in locations 0004 and 0005.

The following connections must be made between the KIM-1 and the MEMORY PLUS board before any EPROM Programming can take place:

```
KIM A-9 to MP A-19
KIM A-10 to MP A-20
KIM A-11 to MP A-21
KIM A-H to MP A-L

Port B Bit 0 (PB0) Address Bit 8 for EPROM
Port B Bit 1 (PB1) Address Bit 9 for EPROM
Port B Bit 2 (PB2) Address Bit 10 for EPROM
K5 which is used in conjunction with the address bus to select the VIA at addresses 160x.
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If the MEMORY PLUS board is mounted in its normal position, directly below the KIM-1, it may be difficult or impossible to get access to the EPROM socket for programming. There are two ways around this problem.

- 1. Use a 24 pin header to bring wires directly from the EPROM Programming Socket out to a more accessible location.
- Attach wires for an additional EPROM Programming Socket directly to the MP application connector. All of the lines necessary for attaching an external EPROM Programming Socket are available:

EPROM S	Socket MP Ap Co	oplication onnector	Function
1		A-15	Address bit 7 from VIA PB7
2		A-B	Address bit 6 from VIA PB6
3		A-16	Address bit 5 from VIA PB5
3 4 5		A-13	Address bit 4 from VIA PB4
5		A-12	Address bit 3 from VIA PB3
6		A-11	Address bit 2 from VIA PB2
7 8		A-10	Address bit 1 from VIA PB1
8		A-9	Address bit 0 from VIA PB0
9		A-14	Data bit 0 from VIA PAO
10		A-2	Data bit 1 from VIA PA1
11		A-3	Data bit 2 from VIA PA2
12		A-1	Ground
13		A-4	Data bit 3 from VIA PA3
14		<b>A-</b> 5	Data bit 4 from VIA PA4
15		A-6	Data bit 5 from VIA PA5
16		A-7	Data bit 6 from VIA PA6
17		A-8	Data bit 7 from VIA PA7
18		A-18	Program Pulse Inverted from VIA CB2
19	[KIM A-11]	A-21	Address bit 10 from KIM PB2
20		A-F	Chip Select from VIA CA2
21		A-22	+25V direct or from +27 to +30 regulator
22	[KIM A-10]		Address bit 9 from KIM PB1
23	[KIM A-9]	A-19	Address bit 8 from KIM PBO
24	[KIM A-A]	A-A	+5V regulated

The addressing for the EPROM Socket only consists of eleven (11) bits. This means that addressing for programming purposes runs from 0000 to 07FF, regardless of the actual address that the EPROM will eventually reside at. The high order five (5) bits of EPROM address are totally defined by which socket the EPROM is placed in and where the set of EPROMs are switched to: 2000, 4000,..., E000.

# PROM PROGRAMMER 29 MAY 1978

		PROM	ORG	\$0000	
		ORB ORA DDRB DDRA TTWOL TTWOH PCR IFR IER	* * * * * * *	\$1601 \$1602 \$1603 \$1608 \$1609 \$1600 \$160D	OUTPUT REGISTER B OUTPUT REGISTER A DATA DIRECTION REGISTER B DATA DIRECTION REGISTER A TIMER TWO LOW TIMER TWO HIGH PERIPHERAL CONTROL REGISTER INTERRUPT FLAG REGISTER INTERRUPT ENABLE REGISTER
		PBD PBDD			PORT B DATA ON KIM-1 PORT BE DATA DIRECTION
		MONTOR	•	\$1C05	KIM MONITOR ENTRY
0000 00 0001 00 0002 00 0003 00 0004 00 0005 00		PRMLOW	=	\$00 \$00 \$00	STARTING ADDRESS LOW STARTING ADDRESS HIGH EPROM LOW ADDRESS EPROM HIGH ADDRESS END ADDRESS LOW END ADDRESS HIGH
0006 A9 0008 48 0009 28 000A A9 000C 8D 000F A9 0011 8D 0014 A9 0016 8D 0019 A9 0018 8D 0023 A9 0025 8D	8D FE 17 00 FF 17 7F 0E 16 FF 0D 16 A0 0E 16 EC		PLP LDAIM STA LDAIM STA LDAIM STA LDAIM STA LDAIM STA	INTRPT \$17FE INTRPT \$17FF \$7F IER \$FF IFR \$AO IER \$EC	CLEAR ALL STATUS BITS BY PUSHING OO ON STACK AND POPPING TO STATUS SET INTERRUPT VECTOR TO POINT TO INTERRUPT ROUTINE / PAGE NUMBER  DISABLE INTERRUPTS  CLEAR INTERRUPTS PENDING  NOW ENABLE TIMER TWO  SET PROGRAM LOW, VERIFY MODE
0028 A9 002A 8D 002D 8D 0030 8D 0033 A5 0035 8D 0038 A5 003A 8D 003D A0 003F B1 0041 8D	02 16 03 16 03 17 02 00 16 03 02 17 00 00 01 16		STA STA STA LDAZ STA LDAZ STA LDYIM LDAIY STA	DDRB DDRA PBDD PRMLOW ORB PRMHGH PBD \$00 SAL ORA	SET DATA DIRECTION REGISTERS FOR OUTPUT  OUTPUT NEXT EPROM ADDRESS LOW VIA ORB OUTPUT HIGH PROM ADDRESS VIA PBD GET BYTE OF DATA VIA POINTERS OUTPUT VIA ORA
0044 A9		TIMER	LDAIM STA	\$50 TTWOL	

```
LDAIM $C3
                                      SECOND BYTE OF TIMING COUNT
 0049 A9 C3
                              TTWOH OUTPUT TO TIMER TWO HIGH
 004B 8D 09 16
                        STA
 004E A9 CE
                                      SET PROGRAM HIGH, PROGRAM MODE
                        LDAIM $CE
                                      START PROGRAMMING
 0050 8D 0C 16
                        STA
                              PCR
                                      TEST FOR INTERRUPT SERVICED
                        CPYIM $00
 0053 CO 00
                 TIAW
                        BEQ WAIT
                                      ELSE, WAIT FOR IT
  0055 F0 FC
                 VERIFY LDAIM $00
                                      VERIFY PROGRAMMING
  0057 A9 00
                              DDRA
                        STA
                                      SET ORA FOR INPUT
  0059 8D 03 16
                        LDYIM $00
                                      SETUP POINTER
  005C AO 00
  005E AD 01 16
                        LDA
                              ORA
                                      READ FROM PROM
  0061 D1 00
                        CMPIY SAL
                                      COMPARE
  0063 F0 03
                        BEQ
                              OKAY
                                      GOOD IF MATCH
  0065 20 05 1C
                        JSR
                              MONTOR ELSE PROM ERROR
                        INCZ
                                      BUMP DATA POINTER
  0068 E6 00
                 OKAY
                              SAL
                                      BRANCH IF NOT ZERO
  006A DO 07
                        BNE
                              TEST
                                      BUMP HIGH DATA POINTER
  006C E6 01
                        INCZ
                              SAH
 006E DO 03
                        BNE
                              TEST
                                      BRANCH IF NOT ZERO
  0070 20 05 1C
                        JSR
                              MONTOR ELSE BAD
                        LDAZ
                              EAH
                                      TEST ALL DONE
  0073 A5 05
                 TEST
                                      BY COMPARING SAL, SAH AND
                        CMPZ
                              SAH
  0075 C5 01
                              MORE
  0077 DO 09
                        BNE
                                      EAL, EAH VECTORS
                        LDAZ
                              EAL
  0079 A5 04
                        CMPZ
                              SAL
  007B C5 00
                        BNE
                              MORE
  007D D0 03
  007F 20 05 1C
                        JSR
                              MONTOR
                        INCZ
                              PRMLOW BUMP PROM POINTERS
  0082 E6 02
                 MORE
                                      READY IF NOT ZERO
  0084 DO A2
                        BNE
                               NEXT
                              PRMHGH BUMP HIGH POINTER
  0086 E6 03
                        INCZ
                                      OKAY IF NOT ZERO
  0088 DO 9E
                        BNE
                               NEXT
  008A 20 05 1C
                        JSR
                              MONTOR ERROR
  008D AC OD 16 INTRPT LDY
                               IFR
                                      CLEAR INTERRUPT
  0090 8C 0D 16
                        STY
                               IFR
                                      VIA SNEAKY TRICK
                                      RESET PROGRAM LOW, VERIFY MODE
  0093 AO EC
                        LDYIM $EC
                              PCR
  0095 8C 0C 16
                        STY
  0098 40
                        RTI
                                      RETURN FROM INTERRUPT
SYMBOL TABLE
                                              EAL
                                                      0004
               DDRB
                      1602
                               EAH
                                      0005
DDRA
       1603
       160E
                      160D
                               INTRPT 008D
                                              MONTOR 1C05
IER
               IFR
                                              ORA
MORE
       0082
               NEXT
                      0028
                               OKAY
                                      0068
                                                      1601
                                              PCR
                                                      160C
ORB
       1600
               PBDD
                      1703
                               PBD
                                      1702
                                                      0001
                                              SAH
PRMHGH 0003
               PRMLOW 0002
                               PROM
                                      0000
                                              TIMER
                                                     0044
                               TEST
SAL
       0000
               SETUP 0006
                                      0073
                                              WAIT
TTWOH 1609
               TTWOL
                      1608
                               VERIFY 0057
                                                      0053
```

## MEMORY PLUS Testing and Field Repair

Your MEMORY PLUS board has been burned in and tested before shipment. If, after following the steps outlined in the "Setting Up MEMORY PLUS" section, the board does not seem to work properly, or if it ever seems to stop functioning correctly, then the following steps should be taken.

1. Check that the board is receiving adequate power.

Place the ground lead of a voltmeter or 'scope on any convenient ground on the board (the left lead of the large capacitor at the upper left hand corner of the board is handy) or on the connector (A-1, E-1, E-22, E-A, or E-Z).

Measure the +5 volts at each of the four jumpers on the Header located near the voltage regulators. If you are providing unregulated +8 to +10 volts, then the top jumper should have this value. If you are using regulated +5 volts, then the top jumper should show +5V. The bottom three jumpers should show +5V in any case. If not, check your supply. If one of the three shows a voltage other than +5, it indicates a problem with the associated voltage regulator which might require replacement. The bottom jumper comes from Q6, the next jumper from Q5, and the next to top jumper from Q4. (See diagram on page 23).

Measure the +25 volts at pin A-22 of the MEMORY PLUS application connector. If you are providing unregulated +27 to +30 volts, the output of the +25 volt regulator circuit should show about +24.7V. If you are providing regulated +25 volts at this pin, it will show the output of your power supply. If the value for the unregulated situation is not +24.7, then check your unregulated voltage at pin E-2 of the MEMORY PLUS expansion connector. It must be +27 to +30V.

- Check that all IC chips are firmly in their sockets. It is possible for chips to come loose during handling and shipping. Push each chip firmly into its socket.
- 3. Check that the Header is in the proper position for the method of providing +5 volts. If you are providing +5 at pins E-21 and E-Y, then the Header should have its notched corner at pin 9 and the jumper wires should go from pins 2 15, 4 13, 6 11, and 8 9. If you are providing unregulated +8 to +10 volts at pins E-19 and E-20, then the Header should have its notched corner at pin 1 and the jumper wires should go from pins 1 16, 3 14, 5 12, and 7 10.
- 4. Check all of the connections between the KIM-1, MEMORY PLUS, and the power supplies.
- Follow the instructions in the "RAM Memory Test" section if the RAM Memory appears to be having problems.
- 6. Check the KIM-1 or try MEMORY PLUS with a different KIM-1. For EPROM Programming it is absolutely essential that bits 0, 1, and 2 of the KIM-1 Port B are functioning properly (PBO, PB1, and PB2). A quick test of Port B may be made by putting FF in location 1703 and then trying to write 07 in location 1702. If this does not work, then you have a problem and should <u>not</u> attempt to program any EPROMs until you have the KIM-1 serviced.

Remember that you are exercising your KIM-1 in ways you may have never tried before. This will, in some cases, uncover faults that have existed undetected in a KIM-1. For example, my own "reliable" KIM-1 which I have been using extensively for well over a year, turned out to have a defective Port B. Bits 0 and 1 which I had been using for cassette control worked fine, but bit 2 did not. I zapped a few EPROMs, not fatally thank goodness, before discovering this. Another KIM-1 I used had flakey memory in Page Zero such that the RAM Memory Test would not work. So, it really can happen.

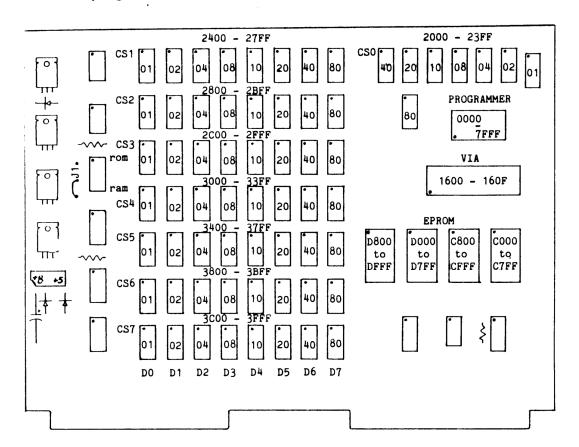
7. Check all MEMORY PLUS switches and jumpers. In addition to the Header which was discussed in 1. and 3. above, there are two switches and a jumper to be concerned with:

The RAM Address Select Switch (see page 8) must be set to "2K" for the Memory Test to work as documented. Actually, the memory test will work with any addresses, as long as the correct parameters are set in page zero location 0000 - start page number = first page to test and location 0001 - end page number = last page to test. The RAM switch must be selecting the bank of memory you are attempting to test, and it may not be selecting the same chunk of memory as the ROM select switch.

The ROM Address Select Switch (see page 8) must not be set to the same starting address as the RAM switch. If the ROM switch is set to "EK", then there will be conflict with the KIM-1 Monitor interrupt vectors unless the jumper changes discussed on page 9 have been made, since the board comes with the jumper set so that interrupts will be decoded by the KIM-1 Monitor locations 1FFA through 1FFF. If you put ROM in E000 to FFFF, then this jumper must be changed. Otherwise any address in this range will be decoded twice: as E000 to FFFF and 0000 to 1FFF.

8. Check that all EPROMs are inserted in the proper direction. Pin 1 in the EPROM Programming Socket is in the upper left corner. Pin 1 in the EPROM normal sockets is in the upper right corner.

MEMORY PLUS was designed for easy field repair. It is, of course, hoped that no repair will ever be required on your unit. If some repair is required, then it is hoped that it can be done by the user or some local source. The unit should only have to be sent back for factory servicing in rare circumstances. This means that your MEMORY PLUS board should never be down very long.



The dot in one corner of each IC chip and Header indicates the proper location of pin 1. The Header has two corners marked, one labelled +5 and one labelled +8. These indicate the proper orientation of the Header when the power supply is providing a regulated +5 volts or an unregulated +8 to +10 volts.

 ${\tt ROM}$  and  ${\tt RAM}$  show the location of the switches used to select the base address for the ROM and RAM memories.

J1 marks the location of the jumper which must be changed if ROM is placed to start at E000. The line shown is the etched jumper which causes interrupt addresses (FFFA to FFFF) to select the KIM-1 Monitor interrupt vectors (1FFA to 1FFF). This jumper must be removed and replaced by a jumper from the dot near the J to the dot near the 1 if interrupts are to be decoded by the high addresses.

### RAM Memory Test

You should test the MEMORY PLUS RAM when you initially set up your system. You may also want to test it from time-to-time to make sure it is all still working properly. And, of course, you will want to test it whenever you have any reason to suspect that it may not be working right. The following memory test is copied from the work cited under "NOTES" on page 22.

"Testing RAM isn't just a question of storing a value and then checking it. It's important to test for interference between locations. Such tests often involve writing to one location and then checking all other locations to see they haven't been disturbed; this can be time consuming.

This program checks memory thoroughly and runs exceptionally fast. It is adapted from an algorithm by Knaizuk and Hartmann published in "IEEE Transactions on Computers", April 1977.

The program first puts value FF in every location under test. Then it puts 00 in every third location, after which it tests all locations for correctness. The test is repeated twice more with the positions of the 00's changed each time. Finally, the whole thing is repeated with the FF and 00 values interchanged.

To Run: Set the addresses of the first and last memory pages you wish to test into locations 0000 and 0001 respectively. Start the program at address 0002; it will halt with a memory address on the display. If no faults were found, the address will be one location past the last address tested. If a fault is found, its address will be displayed."

The MEMORY PLUS version of the memory test is set up to test from page 20 (2000 hex) through page 3F (3FFF hex). After loading the program from the cassette tape (or by hand), set address 0003 and press GO. If the memory checks out completely, then after a few seconds the display will show the address 4000 in the address portion of the display. If an error is detected, then the address containing the error will be displayed. Since the program will halt at the first detected error, there is no way to test for additional errors within a page beyond the first error. You can test other pages by changing the starting and ending page addresses in locations 0000 and 0001, and run the test multiple times by setting location 0003 to 02 through 0F. The rightmost digit on the display will downcount the passes through the test until 00 is reached.

Once a bad location has been detected, you can examine the location via the KIM Monitor and perhaps determine the problem. For example, if the location has a data value of 7F, it would indicate that the most significant bit was not working. Refering to the Memory Organization drawing you could determine which 2102 chip was responsible for this bit. Since the RAM chips are all socketted, it is a simple matter to remove the suspect chip and replace it with another chip. Even if you do not have any spare 2102 chips handy, you can swap the suspect chip with another chip and see if the problem moves with the chip or stays in the same location. <a href="IMPORTANT NOTE:">IMPORTANT NOTE:</a> Turn the power off when removing any chips, otherwise you may destroy the memory chips. If the problem moves with the chip, then the solution is to get a replacement chip. If the problem does not move with the chip, then you must look elsewhere for the solution.

The next test would be to swap the 74LS367 chips and see if the problem shifted. Then the 74LS138 chips could be swapped. Finally you could replace the 74LS00, 74LS32, or 74LS04 chips. Note that the replacements do not have to be "LS" type. One of the above chip replacements should solve 99% of the problems which occur in the field.

# MEMORY TEST - 15 MAY 1978

BASED ON "MEMORY TEST" BY JIM BUTTERFIELD IN "THE FIRST BOOK OF KIM".

				MEMORY	ORG	\$0000	
				SADD SBD SBDD GOKIM	•	# OOPP	DISPLAY POINTERS DISPLAY DATA REGISTER  DISPLAY DIGIT REGISTER  ENTRY INTO KIM MONITOR DISPLAY CONVERSION TABLE IN KIM
0000 0001 0002	20 3F 05			BEGIN END TIMES	=	\$20 \$3F \$05	STARTING PAGE FOR TEST ENDING PAGE FOR TEST NUMBER OF PASSES THROUGH TEST
0005 0008 000A 000D 000F	8D 8D 8D 8D 8D	41 1E 43 12 42	17 17 17		STA LDAIM STA LDAIM STA	SADD \$1E SBDD \$12 SBD	SET UP DATA DIRECTION PORTS FOR OUTPUT TO DISPLAY  SELECT RIGHTMOST DIGIT OF KIM DISPLAY FOR COUNTER SETUP COUNTER  ZERO POINTERS CLEAR STATUS FLAGS BY PUSHING ZERO ON STACK AND PULLING TO STATUS
0021 0024 0027	BD 8D A2	E7 40 02	1F 17		LDAX STA LDXIM	TABLE SAD \$02	= 00 FIRST PASS, = FF SECOND PASS DISPLAY COUNTER AFTER CONVERSION TO SEGMENTS SET 3 TESTS EACH PASS
002D 002F 0031 0033	85 A6 A5 49	FB 01 90 FF			STAZ LDXZ LDAZ EORIM	POINTH END FLAG \$FF	SET POINTER TO START OF TEST AREA REVERSE FLAG = FF FIRST PASS, OO SECOND PASS
0037 0039 003A 003C 003E 0040	C8 D0 E6 E4	FB FB FB		;	INY BNE INCZ CPXZ	POINTL CLEAR POINTH POINTH CLEAR	WRITE FLIP VALUE INTO ALL LOCATIONS
				FLIP VA	LUE IN	ALL LO	CATIONS. NOW CHANGE 1 IN 3
0042 0044 0046	A5	00		1		BEGIN	SET POINTER BACK TO START

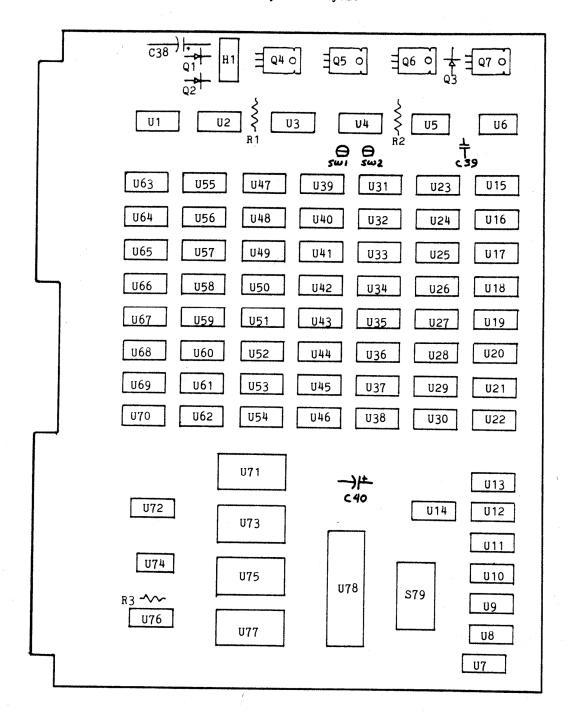
	FILL TOP	DEX		
004B 10 04 004D A2 02 004F 91 FA	SKIP	LDXIM	\$02 POINTL	SKIP 2 OUT OF 3 RESTORE 3 COUNTER CHANGE 1 OF 3
0051 C8 0052 D0 F6 0054 E6 FB 0056 A5 01	DRII	BNE INCZ	TOP POINTH	NEW PAGE HAVE WE PASSED
0058 C5 FB 005A B0 EC		CMPZ	POINTH	END OF TEST AREA? NO. KEEP GOING
	MEMORY	SET U	P. NOW	TEST IT.
005C A5 00 005E 85 FB 0060 A6 91		STAZ	POINTH	SET POINTER BACK TO START SET UP 3 COUNTER
0062 A5 8F 0064 CA		DEX		TEST FOR FLIP VALUE 2 OUT OF 3 TIMES
0065 10 04 0067 A2 02		BPL	SLIP	OR
0069 A5 90		LDAZ	FLAG	1 OUT OF 3 TIMES TEST FOR FLAG VALUE
006D DO 1B	SLIP	CMP1Y BNE	POINTL OUT	HERE IS THE TEST BRANCH IF FAILED
006F C8 0070 D0 F0		INY	POP.	BRANCH IF FAILED BUMP POINTER IF NOT DONE KEEP GOING
0070 DO FO		INCZ	POINTH	TEST END
0072 E6 FB 0074 A5 01 0076 C5 FB				
0078 BO E8		BCS	POINTH POP	
	ABOVE	TEST O	KAY. CI	HANGE AND REPEAT
007A C6 91				CHANGE 1 IN 3 POSITION
007C 10 AD		BPL LDAZ	NPASS FLAG	AND DO NEXT PASS INVERT FLAG
0080 49 FF		EORIM	\$FF	INVERT FLAG FOR PASS TWO
0082 30 99		BMI STYZ	BIGLP POINTL	AND REPEAT BIG LOOP SAVE LOW ORDER ADDRESS
007E A5 90 0080 49 FF 0082 30 99 0084 84 FA 0086 C6 92 0088 D0 93				SAVE LOW ORDER ADDRESS DECR. TIMES COUNTER
0088 DO 93		BNE	BIGLP	IF NOT TO ZERO, GO AGAIN
008A 84 FA 008C 4C 4F 1C	OUT	STYZ JMP	POINTL GOKIM	PUT LOW ORDER ADDRESS TO DISPLAY AND GO TO KIM
008F 00	FLIP	=	\$00 \$00	
0090 00 0091 00	FLAG Pass	=	<b>\$00</b>	
0092 00	TCOUNT	=	\$00	
SYMBOL TABLE BEGIN 0000	BIGLP	001D	CLEA	
FILL 0048 MEMORY 0000	FLAG NPASS	0090 002B	FLIP OUT	008F GOKIM 1C4F 008A PASS 0091
POINTH OOFB	POINTL	OOFA	POP	0062 SADD 1741
SAD 1740	SBDD Start	1743 0003	SBD TABL	1742 SKIP 0051 E 1FE7 TCOUNT 0092
SLIP 006B TIMES 0002	TOP	004A	INDL	L ILEI TOOURI OOJE

## MEMORY PLUS Parts List

EM	PART	Qty.	DESCRIPTION
1.	U1, U2, U72	3	IC 74LS367 Hex Bus DRiver with 3-state outputs
2.	U3, U4, U76	3	IC 74LS138 3-to-8 Line Decoder
3.	U5	1	IC 74LS00 Quad 2-Input Positive NAND Gates
4.	U6	1	IC 74LS32 Quad 2-Input Positive OR Gates
j.	U74	1	IC 74LS04 Hex Inverter
· .	U7 - U70	64	Memory Element 2102 450 nanosec, low power
7.	SW1, SW2	2	1-of-7 Rotary Switch
3.	R1 - R3	3	Resistor 3.3K, 1/4 watt
€.	C1 - C37	37	Capacitor .01 MFD, 50WV DC
).	C38	1	Electrolytic Capacitor 22 - 25 MFD, 25V
1.	C39	1	Capacitor .001 MFD
2.	C40	1	Electrolytic Capacitor 3 - 5 MFD, 35V
3.	Q1, Q2, Q3	3	Diodes 1N4001 Rectifier 50V
<b>+</b> .	Q4, Q5, Q6	3	Voltage Regulator LM340T-5, +5V, 1.0A
5.	Q7	1	Voltage Regulator LM340T-24, +24V, 1.0A
).	HS1 - HS3	3	T220 Heat Sink (Large)
	HS4	1	T220 Heat Sink (Small)
3.	S1 - S4, S7 - S70, S72, S76, S80	71	IC Socket 16 pin
7.	S5, S6, S74	3	IC Socket 14 pin
).	S71, S73, S75, S77, S79	5	IC Socket 24 pin
i.	S78	1	IC Socket 40 pin
. •	H1	1	IC Socket Header 16 pin
3.	U78	1	VIA 6522 Versatile Interface Adapter
	Accessories Package		
٠.		3	Connector 44 pin (dual 22) (NOT included if a Cable has been ordered.)
· .		3	Battery Clip 9V transistor battery type
, .		,	Misc. Hardware

# IOTES:

- 1. The Memory Test is adapted from "Memory Test" by Jim Butterfield which appears on pages 122 and 123 of THE FIRST BOOK OF KIM, edited by Butterfield, Ockers and Rehnke, published by Hayden Book Company. The book sells for \$9.00 and is a must for any 6502 user.
- 2. The program listings in this manual were produced by the Micro-ADE Assembler on a KIM-1 with a MEMORY PLUS board. The COMPUTERIST version of Micro-ADE includes a cassette tape with two versions of Micro-ADE. One has the program in 2000 to 2FFF and uses 3000 to 3FFF for the Source and Symbol working areas. The other has the program in C000 to CFFF and uses 2000 to \$FFF for the Source and Symbol working areas. This second version is ready to be placed into EPROM and left resident in your MEMORY PLUS board. Micro-ADE costs \$25.00 for the Operators Manual and Cassette Tape. This Manual includes most of the Input/Output Source Listings so that the user can customize the package to his type of terminal. Complete Source Listings are available for an additional \$25.00.



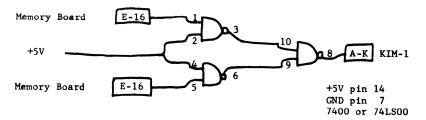
## Application Note #1

## Adding Multiple Memory Boards

Adding multiple memory boards, be they MEMORY PLUS or a mixture of MEMORY PLUS and KIM-2 or KIM-3's, is quite straightforward. Memory boards may be either connected directly to the KIM or may be connected via a bus driver/receiver such as the KIM-4.

Adding Multiple Memory Boards without a bus interface:

- 1. Keep the connecting leads as short as possible (6-8" maximum).
- Bus the GROUND with heavy wire (eg. 18 gauge) because power supply currents as well as signals must be transmitted. This is a common cause of problems in microprocessor systems.
- 3. If the multiple memory boards are all <u>always</u> going to be in the system, then use the DECODE output from any <u>one</u> of them to drive the KIM-1 via pin K of the KIM-1 application connector. The DECODE output of Memory Plus, KIM-2, or KIM-3 is pin 16 of the memory expansion connector. On Memory Plus this signal is called DECODE and is also available at pin K of the application connector. On the KIM-2/KIM-3 boards this signal is called BOARD SELECT.
- 4. If the configuration of memory boards is going to change from time-to-time, then every board should have its DECODE connected to the KIM-1 so that whatever board is in the system will be able to generate the DECODE. To accomplish this, the DECODE signals from each memory board connector must be OR'd together so that the KIM-1 receives one signal. See the following diagram:



Adding Multiple Memory Boards with KIM-4 bus interface:

- Do not connect DECODE to anything. The KIM-1 memory is selected by logic on the bus interface.
- Make sure that Memory Plus's +5V BATTERY and +27V UNREG. lines don't get connected to the KIM-4 bus. Traces must be cut on one board or the other.

### Limitations:

- The limiting factor on adding boards is the drive of the KIM-1. This is capable of driving at least two memory boards. Three or more boards may require additional buffering between the KIM-1 and the memory boards.
- Each 6522 VIA chip requires a different select signal from the KIM-1. The standard signal is the K5 which causes the VIA to be addressed at 1600-160F. Others that can be used are: K1 0600-060F; K2 0A00-0A0F; K3 0E00-0E0F; or, K4 1200-120F. These can not be used if memory has been placed from 0400 to 13FF.

