

README.DOC

Read this file if:

- ? You want to use a Supra 1200 or Avatex 1200 baud modem.
- ? You want to use Subdirectories.
- ? You want to use ICD's SpartaDOS.
- ? You want to use ICD's SpartaDOS with subdirectories.
- ? You want to use ICD's R-Time 8 cartridge.
- ? You want to use ICD's P:R: Connection.
- ? You want to use a 1030 with ring-detector.

To use your 1030 ring detector, plug your connector into joystick port number one.

To use the R-Time 8 cartridge, plug it into the back, the top, or the side of your computer. MOE will know it is there and will utilize its abilities.

To use the P:R: Connection, use

the handler included on disk (not the one built into the P:R:).

Two extra files have been included on this disk called SUBDIR.ENT and SPASUBDR.ENT. These are ENTER files that allow you to use subdirectories for high-capacity drives. If you want to use subdirectories, load your File-Transfer module, then type...

ENTER "D:SUBDIR.ENT" (for MyDOS)

or

ENTER "D:SPASUBDR.ENT" (for SpartaDOS).

This will change the appropriate line numbers to accommodate for sub-directories. Don't forget to save this new File-Transfer module to disk.

To use this new configuration, all download files must reside inside a subdirectory (and must follow the rules for download files: LOCK THEM). Subdirectory should be named "A", "B", "C", and up to "Z". If you plan to use 2 or more drives with subdirectories, you would start over again with "A"... For example -

D1:A:
D1:B:
D1:C:

D2:A:
D2:B:

D3:A: <- Remember, you must use
subdirectories now even
if you only have one!
(assuming you want Uploads
going to this drive)

D4:A:
D4:B:
D4:C:
D4:D:

(With SpartaDOS it would be D1:A> etc.)

REMEMBER, THIS IS ONLY FOR
UPLOAD/DOWNLOAD FILES, NO OTHER
PART OF THE BBS WILL ACCESS THESE!

All upload files will now go
directly into the first subdirectory
with room on the upload drive
specified. The PRINT, DIRECTORY, and
DOWNLOAD commands will also only
access these subdirectories.

If you are planning on using
SpartaDOS, create a batch file called
STARTUP.BAT with the following
text in it (create this file with
a text editor).

KEY OFF

RS232

On your boot disk, you should then put your R: device handler on drive one and name it RS232.COM. Then rename the AUTORUN.SYS file included on your Carina disk to BBS.COM. You should only have two files with the .MOx extender; they are MOE and ANNEX. All of these files should be put on your boot disk. When you boot up, your batch file should automatically turn your keyboard buffer off, and boot your device handler. To run the board, you simply type BBS at the D1: prompt.

IT IS VERY IMPORTANT THAT YOU DO NOT PUT THE "BBS.COM" FILE IN THE BATCH FILE! I/O REDIRECTION MUST END BEFORE BOOTING MOE!

When using SpartaDOS, do not use the BOOTER.MO3 program, instead, use the batch file to copy the files into your ramdisk. Example -

KEY OFF

RD D8:

RS232

COPY * D8:

COPY *.TXT D8:

COPY *.ATA D8:

COPY *.ASC D8:

COPY *.DB? D8:

The "COPY * D8:" will copy all modules on your boot disk into your ramdisk (seeing that all modules have no extenders). If you have enough room, use the next three copy statements to copy your text files there also, and if you have more room yet, put your databases there (however, your ramdisk drive number should be the last drive in your system when putting databases in the ramdisk; for example, if you have 2 disk drives, your ramdisk will have to be drive 3. You can, however, have your ramdisk in between 2 existing drives).

If you want to use an Avatex 1200 or a Supra 1200 baud modem (with interface), you must first LOAD the WAITCALL module and then ENTER the AVATXFIX.ENT file (don't forget to save this after you are done). This will take care of the incompatibilities of this modem with Hayes type modems.

Carina BBS/MOE

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