

RL01/02 BAD SECTOR FILE UTILITY

ABSTRACT :

This program has the following utilities

1. REPORT CONTENTS OF THE BAD SECTOR FILE
2. ADD A SECTOR TO THE 'FIELD' BAD SECTOR FILE
3. DELETE A SECTOR FROM THE 'FIELD' BAD SECTOR FILE
4. VERIFY PACK - READ ONLY
5. WRITE PACK WITH WORST CASE DATA PATTERN AND VERIFY
6. MAKE A BAD SECTOR FILE
7. PRINT HELP MESSAGE

ENTER COMMAND (1 - 7) - (D) ?

Make sure you have a known good drive before using this utility.

The utility 4 is very usefull to verify any data pack with data on. It will report if any data on the pack cannot be read or the CRC on the end is bad. In this case put the drive into write protect mode.

The utility 5 is a good program to test a pack, but this one will read and write

OPERATING PROCEDURES :

.R ZRLMB1

*This program is running under the supervisory program.
This supervisory program will first talk to you.*

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DR>START <CR>

You have to answer the hardware questions.

This is a (mostly used) example :

Change HW (L) ? Y<CR>

UNITS (D) ? 1<CR>

UNIT 0<CR>

RL11 (L) Y ?<CR>

BUS ADDRESS (O) 174400 ? <CR>

VECTOR (O) 160 ? <CR>

DRIVE (O) 0 ? 1<CR>

DRIVE TYPE = RL01 (L) Y ? N

BR LEVEL (O) 5 ? <CR>

Then you get the menue, from that you have to select the utility.