

SECTION I

The menu generator allows the user to create menus to fit his particular applications and thus make his system easier for nondata processing personnel to use.

PRODUCT FEATURES

The menu generator enables the user to create, modify, and display menus. When the user creates a menu, he is actually creating three components, all of which fit together to make up a working menu. These three components are the menu screen, the menu action table, and the HELP screens that may be created with the menu.

The menu screen is the first component the user creates. This is the display presented to the user whenever the menu is requested. It is created by the user specifying, through a series of screen displays, the attributes and contents of the menu. Once the menu screen display has been created, the user creates the action table.

The action table indicates what action the system is to take when a particular menu item is chosen. These actions can include any system command, including RUN or RV to run a job, and special menu function commands to execute and display other menus. The user may also create menus that can return constant data to a program.

The third component is the group of HELP screens the user provides for a menu. The HELP screens are optional, but important because they provide explanations of each choice on the menu. If the user does not choose to provide a HELP screen for a particular choice on a menu, the menu generator automatically supplies a screen that says "HELP NOT AVAILABLE, SORRY", so as not to strand the menu user.

The menu generator provides dialogs with the user. The dialogs are structured to enable both novice and experienced users to create menus. The novice is led through the menu creation process one question at a time. The more experienced user can bypass the question and answer dialogs, thus reducing the time required to create a menu.

SOFTWARE REQUIREMENTS

The menu generator requires the following OS/3 software products for operation:

SCS - OS/3 System Control Software

HARDWARE REQUIREMENTS

The menu generator will operate on any System 80, 90/25, 30, or 40 model and configuration that meets the minimal hardware configuration requirement for that specific model and satisfies the main storage requirements specified in the software release documentation accompanying each release.

Additional main storage and/or peripheral devices may be required, depending upon the user's selection of the system's supported features and size of the user's programs, files, and/or data bases.

SECTION II

CUSTOMER EDUCATION

Sperry Univac makes available customer education related to this Program Product. Course availability and schedules are contained in the published course catalog. Charges for courses are at prevailing rates. Customers should contact their Sperry Univac representative for enrollment procedures.

PROGRAM PRODUCT SUPPORT

Sperry Univac endeavors to correct any significant error in an unaltered release of the Program Product that the customer brings to the attention of Sperry Univac in accordance with established correction procedures. Sperry Univac does not represent or warrant that all errors will be corrected. This error correction service may result from time to time in update releases that the customer will install. Sperry Univac reserves the right to alter classification of this Program Product to reflect changes in policy or support requirements.

ORDERING INFORMATION

This Program Product and its associated documentation may be leased from Sperry Univac at separately stated lease charges. Upon execution of the appropriate Consolidated Agreement or Supplemental Agreement, the following will be provided:

1. A magnetic tape or diskette(s) in OS/3 Operating System format
2. One copy of associated documentation