

# Software Product Description

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**PRODUCT NAME: BASIC-PLUS-2/RMS-11K for CTS-500, Version 1.5**

**SPD 13.7.2**

## **DESCRIPTION:**

BASIC-PLUS-2/RMS-11K is a software configuration option for the DEC Datasystems 530 and 570 series computer systems running CTS-500. The package includes the BASIC-PLUS-2 (Version 1.5) language processor and the RMS-11K (Version 1.5) multikey indexed access data management services. The package is an option for the CTS-500 Level 2A and 2B systems.

The BASIC-PLUS-2 language is a superset of Dartmouth BASIC. In addition to the elementary BASIC statements, BASIC-PLUS-2 also features:

- Terminal-format files
- Virtual arrays
- RMS Record I/O
- Extensive string support
- Full matrix package
- Long variable names
- IF..THEN..ELSE
- ON ERROR condition handlers
- Statement modifiers: IF, WHILE, UNLESS, FOR
- User-defined functions
- Multi-statement lines
- Multi-line statements
- Program segmentation: SUB, CALL, CHAIN, COMMON
- External subprograms

BASIC-PLUS-2 uses the full ASCII character set for its alphabet.

The BASIC-PLUS-2 language processor is composed of a compiler and an Object Time System/Library.

The BASIC-PLUS-2 compiler produces an object module from a source program. The compiler checks each program line for syntax errors and returns an appropriate message if an error is found. The user can then correct the program (if necessary) and compile it. Program compilations result in an object module that can be linked and executed at the operating system command level. On the CTS-500 system, the BASIC-PLUS-2 compiler can produce an image module that can be executed immediately, provided no CALL statement or RMS I/O is referenced.

BASIC-PLUS-2 Record I/O operations are controlled through the RMS-11K file structure. This method of Record I/O supports sequential, relative, and indexed

file organizations. RMS-11K features also include primary and alternate keys, fixed and variable length records, and record mapping.

RMS-11K provides keyed access record management services for the CTS-500 system. RMS-11K is comprised of a set of run-time service routines and utility programs that enable keyed access data files, including multi-key ISAM, to be defined, populated, updated and maintained on direct access storage devices. Once established, application programs retrieve, modify, or store logical data records by using key field reference values. RMS-11K run-time service routines provide all necessary access control, data buffering, record blocking/deblocking, and file structure maintenance. Additional utility program functions allow data files to be logically moved, copied, and restored from one storage device to alternate logical or physical storage devices.

## **MINIMUM HARDWARE REQUIRED:**

Any valid CTS-500, level 3A or 3B, system configuration.

## **OPTIONAL HARDWARE:**

None

## **PREREQUISITE SOFTWARE:**

CTS-500, Version 4, Commercial Transaction System, Level 2A or 2B

## **OPTIONAL SOFTWARE:**

None

## **TRAINING CREDITS:**

None

## **SUPPORT CATEGORY:**

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 Q = RL01 Disk Cartridge  
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 V = RK07 Disk Cartridge

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**ADDITIONAL SERVICES:**

None

**ADDENDUM  
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