



# Software Product Description

**PRODUCT NAME: DIBOL-11/DECFORM, Version 4C**

**SPD 13.10.0**

**DESCRIPTION:**

DIBOL-11/DECFORM, Version 4C, is a software configuration option included with DEC Datasystems (530 and 570 series) running CTS-500 Level 2B. The package includes the DIBOL-11 language processor and the DECFORM screen formatting and file review utility. DIBOL-11/DECFORM, Version 4C, is file compatible with DMS-500 Data Management Services. The package is an option for the CTS-500 Level 2A systems.

DIBOL is DIGITAL's own business oriented high-level language. It is similar to COBOL in that it has a Data Division and a Procedure Division. Its procedural statements are English-like, but it is a more concise language than COBOL. DIBOL provides the ability to do data manipulation, arithmetic expression evaluation, subscribing of tables, redefinition of records, external calls to other programs, and both sequential and random access to files. Exception conditions cause control to transfer to a user-specified statement which can query status registers to determine the cause of the condition. A comprehensive on-line debugging system permits the program developer to isolate and correct programming errors quickly.

DECFORM is a data entry and file review system utility which enables the development of interactive data entry screen formatting and file review functions. DECFORM provides the system designer with a generalized set of functions. The designer selects the functions needed to implement a particular data entry and/or file review application. In addition to defining screen formats, DECFORM enables the programmer to define field protection, auto-duplication, alphabetic or decimal checking, range checking, field totaling, cross-field validation, and auto-increment characteristics. DECFORM facilitates additions, reviews, changes, and verifications to files.

**MINIMUM HARDWARE REQUIRED:**

Any valid CTS-500, Level 2B or 3B system configuration with a VT50H or VT52 terminal.

**OPTIONAL HARDWARE SUPPORTED:**

None

**PREREQUISITE SOFTWARE:**

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

**OPTIONAL SOFTWARE SUPPORTED:**

None

**TRAINING CREDITS:**

ONE (1) — Applies only to options that include support services. Consult the latest Educational Services Catalog at your local office for the available courses, course requirements, and guidelines.

**SUPPORT CATEGORY:**

A — Software Support will be provided as stated in the Software Support Categories Addendum to this SPD.

**UPDATE POLICY:**

Software Updates, if any, released by DIGITAL during the one (1) year period following installation, will be provided to the customer for a media charge (includes no installation). After the first year, updates, if any, will be made available according to then prevailing DIGITAL policies.

**ORDERING INFORMATION:**

All binary licensed software, including any subsequent updates, is furnished under the licensing provisions of DIGITAL's Standard Terms and Conditions of Sale, which provide in part that the software and any part thereof may be used on only the single CPU on which the software is first installed, and may be copied, in whole or in part (with the proper inclusion of the DIGITAL copyright notice and any DIGITAL proprietary notices on the software) only for use on such CPU. All source licensed software is furnished only under the terms and conditions of a separate Software Program Sources Agreement between Purchaser and DIGITAL.

The following key (D, E, F, Q, T, V) represents the distribution media for the product and must be specified at the end of the order number, e.g., QP511-AD = binaries on 9-track magnetic tape.

- D = 9-track Magnetic Tape
- E = RK05 Disk Cartridge
- F = 7-track Magnetic Tape
- Q = RL01 Disk Cartridge
- T = RK06 Disk Cartridge
- V = RK07 Disk Cartridge

*Standard Options*

QP511 -A— Single-use license, binaries, documentation, support services (media: D, E, F, Q, T, V) for CTS-500 Level 2A systems, to CTS-500 Level 2B

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*Update Options*

Users of DIBOL-11/DECFORM for CTS-500 Level 2B whose specified Support Category warranty has not expired may order under license the following software update for the then current media charge. The update is distributed in binary form on the appropriate medium and includes no installation or other services unless specifically stated otherwise.

QP511 -W— Binaries, documentation (media: D, E, F, Q, T, V)

**ADDITIONAL SERVICES:**

None

**ADDENDUM  
SOFTWARE SUPPORT CATEGORIES**

Each software product (hereinafter 'SOFTWARE') with a designated Support Category A or B in the applicable Software Product Description (SPD) existing at the time of order will be the current release at the time of delivery and will conform to the SPD. DIGITAL's sole obligation shall be to correct defects (nonconformance of the SOFTWARE to the SPD) as described below. Any SOFTWARE with a designated Support Category C will be furnished on an 'as is' basis.

For SOFTWARE with a designated Support Category A or B, DIGITAL will provide the services set forth below without additional charge.

**CATEGORY A**

1. Upon notification by customer to the nearest DIGITAL office that the computer system, including all required prerequisite hardware and software, is ready for the installation of the SOFTWARE, DIGITAL will install such SOFTWARE in any location within the contiguous forty-eight (48) United States, the District of Columbia, or a country in which DIGITAL or a subsidiary of DIGITAL has a software service facility. The notification must be received by DIGITAL and the system must be ready for installation within thirty (30) days after the delivery of the SOFTWARE to customer or DIGITAL will have no obligation to install. Installation will consist of: (1) verification that all components of the SOFTWARE have been received by customer, (2) loading the SOFTWARE, and (3) executing a DIGITAL sample procedure.
2. During the ninety (90) day period after installation, if the customer encounters a problem with the current unaltered release of the SOFTWARE which DIGITAL determines to be a defect in the SOFTWARE, DIGITAL will provide the following remedial service (on site where necessary): (1) if the SOFTWARE is inoperable, apply a temporary correction (TC) or make a reasonable attempt to develop an emergency by-pass, and (2) assist the customer to prepare a Software Performance Report (SPR) and submit it to DIGITAL.
3. During the one (1) year period following installation, if the customer encounters a problem with the SOFTWARE which his diagnosis indicates is caused by a SOFTWARE defect, the customer may submit an SPR to DIGITAL. DIGITAL will respond to problems reported in SPRs which are caused by defects in the current unaltered release of the SOFTWARE via the Maintenance Periodical for the SOFTWARE, which reports SPRs received, code corrections, temporary corrections, generally useful emergency by-passes and/or notice of the availability of corrected code. Software Updates, if any, released by DIGITAL during the one (1) year period, will be provided to the customer on DIGITAL's standard distribution media as specified in the applicable SPD. The customer will be charged only for the media on which such updates are provided, unless otherwise stated in the applicable SPD, at DIGITAL's then current media prices.

**CATEGORY B**

During the one (1) year period following delivery, the services provided to the customer will be the same as set forth in 3 above.

**CATEGORY C**

SOFTWARE is provided on an 'as is' basis. Any software services, if available, will be provided at the then current charges.

DIGITAL shall have the right to make additional charges for any additional effort required to provide services resulting from customer use of other than current unaltered release of the SOFTWARE operated in accordance with the SPD.