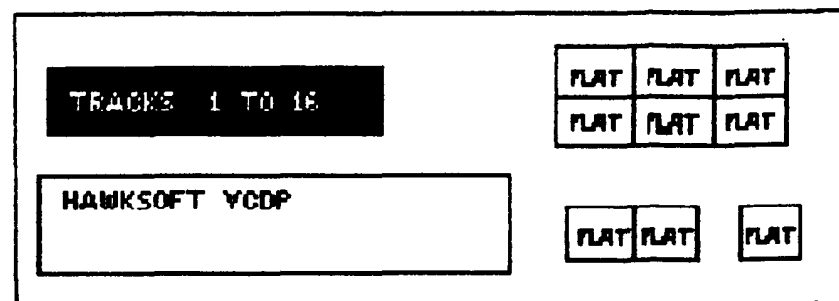


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V C D P

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VCDP allows you to play audio CDs on your MM/1 or compatible computer with a CDROM reader. VCDP simulates a 'physical' CD player on your computer screen. Play audio CDs at the touch of a button!!

VCDP requires an MM/1 or compatible computer with a SCSI CDROM reader and K-Windows.

Thank you for your purchase of VCDP by HAWKSoft! It will provide you with many hours of musical enjoyment on your MM/1 computer.

VCDP consists of a single executable file. Since each company uses different codes for SCSI audio there are several files on the disk. Copy the appropriate file to the CMDS directory of your disk as 'vcdp' and it will run from there. Simply type 'vcdp &' and press <ENTER> to run VCDP. VCDP will open and configure another device window on the current screen independent of the window it was started from. The 'physical' CD Player will appear and be ready for operation. Please have an audio CD loaded in the CDRom reader when starting VCDP. VCDP will read the disc's table of contents and display the available tracks in the information window. For a quick start, insert an audio disc in the CDRom reader, start vcdp, and press 'p' on the keyboard or use your mouse to press the PLAY button on the CD player. This will play the entire disc while you finish reading these directions. While the CD is playing, VCDP will access the CDRom reader once each second to update the information window. The information window will display the current track number and the elapsed time for the current selection. You can still access any other SCSI devices at any time. If there is no disc in the CDRom reader, 'NO DISC' will appear in the information window. Insert a disc into the CDRom reader and press any button to read the new disc.

VCDP is operated just like a 'real' component type CD player. Simply push the buttons (using your mouse) to select the desired function. Or you can press the key (on your keyboard) that corresponds to the first letter of the desired button. ('p' for PLAY, 's' for STOP, etc)

The Buttons

Drawer	Push the drawer or press "h" to stop the CDRom reader and eject the disc. (The disc will only be ejected if your drive supports it.)
Quit	Press Quit to stop the CDRom reader and end the program.

Back	This button functions in three different ways. When a disc is playing, pressing Back will play the previous track. When "TRACKS xx TO yy" is displayed in the information window, press Back to decrement the first selected track. When the information window shows "TRACKS TO yy", pressing Back will decrement the last track selected.
Play	Press Play to play all tracks currently selected. If the 'mix-play' symbol is present (M), the tracks will be played in random order.
Next	Like Back , Next functions in three different ways depending on the display in the information window. Next , however, increments the affected number.
Mix	Mix turns the 'mix-play' option on and off. When Mix is on (indicated by the 'M' in the information window) the tracks are changed to a random order.
Chg End	Use Chg End to change the last selection of the group of selected tracks. When you push Chg End , the information window will change to "TRACKS TO yy" use the Back and Next buttons to change the last track. Push Chg End again to restore the normal display.
Repeat	This button will turn the repeat play on and off. When Repeat is on (indicated by the 'R' in the information window) the selected tracks will begin again after all tracks have been played.
Wait	Press Wait to pause playback of the music. Push Wait again or push Play to resume playback.
Stop	Stop will halt playback at any time the CD is playing and return the playback head to it's rest position. Please Stop the CDRom reader before removing or changing the CD.