

Commands at top of screen or in LIMA are not processed unless ENTER is hit

Arrows move cursor up/down/left/right
 SHIFT up-arrow goes to command line
 SHIFT down-arrow goes to next line
 SHIFT left-arrow goes to left margin or into LIMA (only way to LIMA)
 SHIFT right-arrow goes to end of line or to next line if at end line.

The "CLEAR" key is NEWSSCRIPT's CONTROL key. It may be held down or touched once for a one-stroke lock. While active, these keys do this:

B Back-scroll one screen
 D Delete character at cursor
 E go to End of file
 F Forward-scroll one screen
 H show the HELP menu
 I toggle Insert-char. mode
 N move screen to Next line
 P toggle Playback of tape
 S Save file to disk
 T go to Top of file
 U move screen Up one line
 W delete Word at cursor
 X perform current X command
 Y perform current Y command
 / re-execute last "LOCATE"
 → move screen 20 to the right (see
 ← move screen 20 to the left "HO")
 BREAK - break line at cursor
 SPACE - blank line from cursor
 ↑ displays the left bracket (Model 3, or up-arrow Model 1)
 124578 toggle screen graphics blocks

Shift-zero toggles lower-case.
 SHIFT-CLEAR, followed by any of:

r toggles auto-Repeat of keys
 p does a screen Print
 v routes most Video to printer as well as to video
 01-ff hexadecimal values minus gives an underscore
 arrows, shifted arrows give special characters (experiment!)

To cancel CLEAR or SHIFT-CLEAR, just hit same key(s) a second time.

CANCELLING ERRORS

(all on command line)

Whoops discards changes on screen
 QUIT discards changes in memory

SCREEN MOVEMENT (SCROLLING COMMANDS)

Back	Up	Top	View n,n
Forward	Down	Bottom	View ±n
	Next		View *
			Horizontal n

.A .B .C

SEARCHING FOR TEXT (WITHIN LINES)

Locate /string/
 /string short for 'locate'
 -string short for 'locate-not'
 Find text column-dependent search
 Zone n,n restrict search columns
 GRID ON/OFF column marker aid
 Locate UP /string/

BLOCK MANIPULATION

(FULL LINES ONLY)

Move .B 101 Copy .B 102 Delete .B
 Move .C 101 Copy .C 104 DString/to here/
 Join 111 Join b

CHANGING TEXT GLOBALLY

Change /string1/string2/ n * #
 Alter /c/a/ n * (char/ascii)
 Replace line-of-text
 BReak /line at this string/
 FLOW ON or OFF for autosplit

INSERTING LINES OF TEXT

I line-of-text
 I (gives 12 new lines)
 STring n,c ('n' occurrences of 'c')

DELETING LINES OF TEXT

DElete n delete 'n' lines
 DString /from cursor to here/
 DElete .B (block .A thru .B)

FILES ('n' stands for a number)

Save	END	DIR n
Save fileld	END fileld	KILL ld
Save :n	QUIT	NAME ld
GET fileld	DBlanks	Auto n
PUT fileld		

MACROS (Commands that use other cmnds)

X, Y, XY
 = repeat last command
 ? re-display last command
 & execute and retain this command

STATUS OF THE EDITOR AND TEXT

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LIMA (access via SHIFT left-arrow)
 Dn delete 'n' lines
 In inserts 'n' blank lines
 Rn repeats line 'n' times
 / moves line to top of screen
 .A .B .C three named points

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MARGINS

129	.AD	5	left margin adjustment
149	.LL	65	line length (1/10 inches) (the right margin is whatever is leftover after adding .AD + .LL)
150	.LM	6	left margin (same as .AD)
172	.TM	6	top margin (# lines)
131	.BM	6	bottom margin
154	.PL	66	page length (# lines) (the body of the text is PL-TM-BM)
142	.HS	1	heading space for title
140	.HM	1	heading margin below title
140	.FS	1	footing space for title
138	.FM	1	footing margin above title
151	.LS	n	logo space on first page

RIGHT JUSTIFICATION

147	.JU	ON	justify (ON, OFF, RIGHT)
135	.CO	ON	combine lines (ON, OFF)
139	.FO	ON	(JU and CO: ON or OFF)

INDENTATION

145	.IN	0	indent (1/10 inches)
140	.HI	0	automatic hanging indent
152	.OF	0	manual offset (like .HI)
157	.PT	n	point/paragraph numbering
134	.CE	1	center (ON, OFF, or 'n')
155	.PP	3,2,5,0	start new paragraph**
169	.TB	& 1,5,10	tab column settings**

PITCH, FONT, AND TYPEFACE

130	.BF	10	begin font (10, 12, 16, 737)
164	.SD	1,0	microspacing controls
172	.TR	fileid	disk-resident width table

MINI-EDIT MODE (nothing saved to disk)

-enter-	use current line as-is
D	delete current line
R text	replace current line
I text	insert text above line
T	terminate mini-edit mode

TITLES (all have/left/center/right/)

174	.TT	/l/c/r/	top title**
132	.BT		bottom title**
153	.OT		odd-page top title**
138	.ET		even-page top title**
151	.OB		odd-page bottom title**
137	.EB		even-page bottom title**
158	.PS	\$	page number symbol in title
155	.PN	ON	auto page number (ON, OFF)

SPACING BETWEEN LINES

167	.SP	1	space 'n' lines, always
167	.SK	1	space 'n' lines if not at top
153	.PA	n	start new page, 'n' optional
131	.BR		start new print line
135	.CP	n	conditional new page
137	.DS		start double spacing
168	.SS		start single-spacing
166	.SH	± n	half-space lines (- up)
149	.LI	n	lines per inch (6 or 8)

FILES

129	.AP	fileid	append/switch to 'fileid'**
143	.IM	fileid	imbed 'fileid' into text**
158	.RD	c,file	read N&A into form letters**
168	.ST	msg	stop to change disk/wheel**
171	.TC	text	table of contents entry**
146	.IX	text	index entry**

MISCELLANEOUS

135	.CM	msg	comment (not printed)**
136	.DA	0,1,2,3	darkness (boldface lines)
137	.ES	!	redefine escape character
142	.HY	\	conditional hyphenation
148	.KE		keyboard entry of text**
172	.TR	l,j,k	translate char. values
176	.US	text	underscore 'text'**

**these control words must be last on a line.
Additional ones are ignored.

ESCAPE SEQUENCES WITHIN TEXT†

59	!\$!%	start/stop underlining
59	!(!)	start/stop double-width
67	!/	!?	start/stop italics
67	!*	!:	start/stop boldface
67	!+		forward 1/2 space (subscript)
67	!-		backward 1/2 space (superscript)
67	!=		cancel sub/superscripts†
67	!<		backspace 1 position
67	!>		pause printer here

(†escape sequences are printer-independent, but not all of them work with all printers)

RUN-TIME OPTIONS

128.1	V	output only to Video
	ST	stop at end of each page
	ED	activate mini-edit mode
	PG	specify range of pages to print
	DS	double-space all printing
	TS	triple-space all printing
	CC	number of multiple copies
	ID	print each fileid in margin
	DA	print all lines dark (boldface)
	NU	number all lines in left margin
	TC	only print Table of Contents
	NT	ignore ".TC" and ".IX" entries
	NA	ignore ".AP" (no append)
	PA	number to place on first page

OTHER SCRIPT FACILITIES

44 Several control words can go on one line if separated by semi-colons, subject to restrictions of words that must be last on the line

20 To display the Directory when asked for a Filename, reply question mark and a number, such as: ?1

62 To interrupt printing, press ENTER. To pause Video output: SHIFT@ (Press any key to resume)