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**BBC MASTER 128K Micro BBC MASTER TURBO 4MHz** 512K Processor Add on Board £395 £493

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Gemini's OFFICE MATE & OFFICE MASTER packages on Disc consisting of: Database, Spreadsheet, Beebplot graphics: Accounts packs: Cashbook, Final Accounts, Mailist, Easyledget, Invoice & Statements, Stock Control and Acorn's popular MUSIC 500 Unit with every BBC Master 128K Micro bought from us.

#### **BBC MASTER COMPACT**

All Master Compact Microcomputers are supplied complete with an integral 3½" Disc Drive and various educational and professional bundled softwares

Standard Package £3
System 1 + TV Modulator £3
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### **CENTRONICS GLP & Brother M1009** (NLQ) Printers

A major price break-through in NLQ Printers from Watford.

At last, a low cost full feature printer, supplied complete with Watford's own NLQ ROM (separately at no extra cost). Due to Watford's bulk purchasing power and low margins we can now offer this incredible printer deal direct from the manufacturers to our customers.

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Features include, Epson RX Compatible commands, Near Letter Quality print, 50 CPS Draft mode, Centronics parallel interface, Single, Double & Quadruple density graphics modes, Subscript & Superscript, handle up to 9%" wide standard paper, Friction Feed standard, Low cost Tractor feed optional extra, Bi-directional logic seeking. Bi-directional logic seeking.

Special Offer £95 (carr £5) Tractor Feed Attachment £12

# **CO-PRO Adaptor**



Now for the first time you can add the Master Co-processor boards, to your standard BBC model B, or B Plus. With this brand new launch BBC Master co-processor to the original BBC Micro. Once again Watford strides ahead with a new concept in BBC B Micro add-ons. This unique external Co-Pro Adaptor, is protected by patent applications.

Use the super fast Turbo Board with your BBC B, it is much faster than the 6502 2nd processor

B, it is much raster than the 6502 2nd process superseding it.
With the 512K addon your standard BBC machine achieves IBM PC compatibility at a realistic price running GEM, Lotus 123 and many other programs. This requires both the 1770 DFS and the ADFS to be fitted to your

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To use other co-processors you require a BBC B with DNFS 1.20 or higher, or BBC B+ fittled with 1770 DFS 2.20 or greater. Co-processors work exactly like a second processor.

Master owners may use Co-Pro to add a second

Co-processor externally.
Watford, brings power to your BBC at only:

£50.00 (carr £5)

#### VARIOUS PRINTERS

	VANIOUS FRIIVI ENS	
	FX80/85 Tractor Feed	£35
•	EPSON FX800 Printer	£315
•	EPSON Hi-80 Printer Plotter	£229
	Hi-80 Refils, set of 4 Pens	£6
•	EPSON Paper Roll Holder	£17
	EPSON LX86 Printer	£199
	EPSON LX80/86 Tractor Feed	£20
•	EPSON LX80/86 Sheet Feeder	£49
•	EPSON FX800 Printer	£315
	EPSON FX1000 Printer	£439
•	EPSON EX800 Printer	£405
•	Colour option for EX800/1000	£55
	EPSON LQ800 Printer	£439
•	Centronics Printer Cable to interf	ace all
	the above Printers to BBC	£6

#### **PRINTER SHARERS**

(Securicor carriage charge on printers £7)

(Ideal for School environment)

Connect 3 BBC Micros to 1 Printer £60 Connect 6 BBC Micros to 1 Printer £99 PRINTER CHANGER Connects 3 Printers to 1 Micro (Cables extra) £65

### **Acorn-Olivetti JP101 Spark Jet Printer**

One of the main problems with most printers is that they are hopelessly noisy. How often have you wanted to print something late at night but not done so for fear of waking the children? Also ideal for those working in quiet environments such as libraries, etc. Silence the complaints with the serious solution from Watford at the amazing cost of only

Pack of 4 refills £10

JP101 accepts 91/2" standard fan fold paper or single A4 sheets. Tractor & Friction feed supplied as standard - print speed 50 cps.

#### SPECIAL OFFER

EPROMs for BBC's Sideways ROMs.

2764-250ns £2.90 27128-250ns £3.25

RAMs (Low power) for ATPL, WATFORD, etc., Sideways ROM Boards

6264LP (8K) £2.80 2 × 6264LP (16K) £5.50

#### **KAGA/TAXAN PRINTERS**

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Kaga KP815 Printer	£269 (carr £7)
Kaga KP915 Printer	£369 (carr £7)
RS232 Interface	£49
RS232 Interface with 2K Buffes	£69
RS232 Interface with 16K Buffer	£89

#### **RX & FX PRINTER INTERFACES**

Epson interfaces fit inside the printer to allow connection using techniques other than Centronics.

RS232 RS232 + 2K Buffer £55 £75 **IEEE 488** £65 RS232 & 8K Buffer

#### PRINTER LEADS

Centronics lead to connect BBC micro to EPSON, KAGA, SEIKOSHA, NEC, STAR, JUKI, BROTHER, SHINWA etc. printers.

£6
£8
£9
P.O.A.
£12

#### **PRINTER RIBBONS & VARIOUS DUST COVERS**

Туре	Ribbons	<b>Dust Covers</b>
BBC Micro	_	£3.50
BBC Master	_	£4.00
Brother HR15	£3.00	
FX100	£7.00	
FX80-MX80-FX85	£4.50	£4.95
RX80	£4.50	£4.50
LX80	£4.00	£4.50
GP80	£4.50	£4.00
Centronics GLP	£4.00	£3.75
KAGA KP810	£5.25	£4.75
CANON PW1080	£5.25	£4.75
Panasonic KX1080	£7.75	£4.75
Microvitec Metal Monitors	s –	£5.50

Our attractive Dust Covers are manufactured from translucent PVC. The seams are stitched and edges are taped to prevent splitting due to

#### **Listing Paper (Perforated)**

1,000 Sheets 91/2" × 11" Fanfold Paper	£7
2,000 Sheets 91/2" × 11" Fanfold Paper	£12
1,000 Sheets 15" × 11" Fanfold Paper	£9
Teleprinter Roll (Econo paper)	£4

Carriage on 1,000 Sheets £1.50

#### PRINTER LABELS

(On continuous fantoid backing sr	leet)
1,000 90 × 36mm (Single Row)	£5.00
1,000 90 × 36mm (Twin Row)	£4.90
1,000 90 × 49mm (Twin Row)	£7.50
1,000 102 × 36mm (Twin Row)	£6.25
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# **Panasonic** KX-P1081 (Now IBM Compatible)

from the prodigious Japanese Stable of Panasonic comes this fabulous new NLQ Dot Matrix Printer

Available NOW at a superbly realistic price, the KX-P1081 perfectly balances features, quality of construction and Value for Money to produce the printer of tomorrow, here today, ready to sweep the current generation of machines

away.

Ingenious innovation in terms of software control codes permits great flexibility when it comes to defining the print style. A nippy 120 cps of clear Draft text backs up the crisp 24 cps Near Letter Quality text mode, with upto 40 superbly useful downloadable characters. A delightful range of assorted character widths is efficiently supported, with sizes ranging from a broad 5 cpi to petite 17 cpi, EVEN in NLQ mode. Some of the extensive support for serious use includes specialised functions to perform some of the extensive support for serious use includes specialised functions to perform justification, centering and even left and right ranging. Proportional spacing permit even greater freedom when it comes to advanced use. Not only is the full Epson RX compatible control code set implemented, but extra codes have also been added to cater for the NLO options, etc.

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A full 96 ASCII character set is supported, with an extended set of 32 international characters and IBM special characters as well as IBM block graphics characters. A 1K Print Buffer alleviates much of the wait time normally associated with printing, whilst the bidirectional logic seeking print head takes the quickest route to print as required.

The draft text is implemented with a 9 × 9 matrix, with Near Letter Quality effected by means of an 18 × 18 matrix.

(Price inludes, FREE A 4ft Printer Lead, and a Dump Out 3, Screen Dump ROM worth £35 with every printer purchased from us).

Special Price: £149 (carr. £7) Panasonic RS232 Interface: £39

### Panasonic KX-P3131 **Daisy-Wheel Printer**

A few months ago, we introduced the KX-P1080 to our large and discerning customer base. As a result of the enthusiastic and overwhelming reaction to this versatile dot matrix printer (see above for details), we are now extremely pleased to be able to bring you details of the fabulous KX-P3131 Daisywheel Printer, also from Panasonic. The KX-P3131 printer is the ideal printer for the home user wishing to

local printer for the home user wishing to produce clear, immaculate letters or reports. Ideally suited to the pocket of the home user, costing not much more than a pair of disc drives, this daisywheel printer delivers flawless text at 10, 12 or 15 characters per inch. It also supports proportional print mode.

Printing at a respectable 17 characters per second, the KX-P3131 features a capacious 6 kilobytes printer buffer to swallow most

second, the KX-F3131 features a capacious 6 kilobytes printer buffer to swallow most printing requirements with ease. For the more demanding user, there is a 32 kilobytes printer buffer option available. Taking paper up to 13.5" wide, the KX-P3131 prints with bidirectional logic seeking, ensuring the minumum time to print your text.

Only £218 (carr. £7)

Single Sheet Feeder £195 Tractor Feed £90

### **256K PRINTER BUFFER** Only: £149

(For full details on this extremely versatile, low cost - high performance Mega Printer Buffer please refer to page 3 of our advert.)

### **Printer Stand Type-YU-S25**



This new professional printer stand takes hardly more space than your printer. Due to the positioning of the paper feed and re-fold compartments is one above the other, the desk space required for your printer functions is effectively halved. Additional facilities include: Easy access to paper from both sides, used with both top and bottom feed paper and with its dial controlled paper feed system with adjustable deflector plates it ensures smooth paper flow and automatic refolding.

#### Introductory Offer Only £29



We stock a range of monitors to suit all needs. Choice of a monitor is a matter of personal taste so we recommend that whenever possible, you ask for a demonstration at our shop. All Monitors are supplied complete with connecting lead.

#### MICROVITEC 14

- 1431 Medium resolution as used on the **BBC** television computer programme
- 1451 High resolution, suitable for word processing in mode 0
- 1441 High res, exceeds the capabilities of the BBC micro £359
- 1431AP RGB + PAL and AUDIO £199 1451AP RGB + PAL and AUDIO £255 £5.50
- **Dust Cover for Microvitecs** KAGA-TAXAN 12"

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  Colour) Text mode switch allows
  monochrome text display in Green, Amber,
  White reverse or White on Blue £309

#### 12" Anti-Glare Screens

#### STAR BUY

 PHILIPS 14" Hi-Res, dark glass, attractively finished Colour Monitor – supplied complete with RGB, SKART and Audio/Phono connectors. A push-button switch toggles between Hi-Res monochrome green text mode and full colour display.

#### ONLY £209

#### ZENITH

#### "Test Bureau Recommended for use in Education'

12" high resolution monochrome monitor. Ideal for word processing as its green or amber screen is very restful to read. (These are the same professional quality, stylishly finished monitors as used in the larger Zenith PC Systems.)

Green (New Design) Hi-res Amber (New Design) Hi-res £69 £74 LEADS

**BNC Lead for Zenith or Philips** Skart Monitor Lead £5 **RGB lead for KAGA** 

## N.B. carriage on Monitors £7 (securicor)

#### SWIVEL BASES for Video Monitors

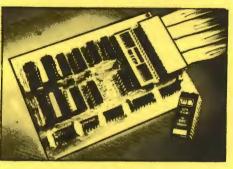
By placing your monitor on one of our superb swivel bases, you gain the freedom to adjust the monitor viewing angle to suit your needs. By doing this, you alleviate eye strain and reduce back

for 12" Monitors £10 (carr. £2.50) for 14" Monitors £14 (carr. £2.50)

# 32K

# SHADOW RAM-**Printer Buffer**

**Expansion Board** 



#### A MUST FOR WORD PROCESSING

Watford Electronics now brings you the latest state-of-the-art MEMORY EXPANSION BOARD for your BBC microcomputer. Don't throw away your BBC B for a BBC B Plus or BBC Master. Just plug the ribbon cable into the 6502 processor socket, and fit the compact board inside the computer. Immediately you will gain not 16K or even 20K, but a massive 32K of extra RAM!!!

- IMPROVE your WORD PROCESSING system, whether disc or cassette based. Don't wait for a slow printer type in text while printing. TWO JOBS DONE SIMULTANEOUSLY and £100+saved on a printer buffer.
- "VIEW" Wordprocessor users can now type in letters in 80 columns and have up to 28,000 bytes free 5 times as much as normal.
- In WORDWISE (or WORDWISE-PLUS) preview in 80 columns with the full 24K of text in memory. This product is recommended as an ideal complement by Computer Concepts.
- Combine GOOD GRAPHICS and LONG PROGRAMS. Use the top 20K of the expansion RAM as the screen display memory, leaving all the standard BBC RAM free for programs. Benefit from MODE 0/1/2 graphics and 28K of programs asses program space.
- Use the FULL 32K or the bottom 12K of the expansion RAM as a PRINTER buffer for PARALLEL or SERIAL printers, sound channels, RS423 etc. Print large text files while running long graphics programs, and have all your buffer options available as well (\*FX15,21,138,145,ADVAL etc). Please note only a 12K printer buffer can be used with Wordwise or Wordwise-Plus, due to the way they are written.
- Ensure COMPATIBILITY with a vast range of hardware (including our ROM board, the ATPL ROM boards, double density boards, second processors), and software (including BASIC, TOOLKIT, VIEW, WORDWISE (1.20+), WORDWISE-PLUS, Music 500's AMPLE). This is because our board, unlike those of our competitors, is connected to the computer by a ribbon cable and has the power consumption of a couple of ROMs! a couple of ROMs!
- Achieve EASY OPERATION with ROM based software. A large range of commands is available for machine code and BASIC users, including some useful \*HELP messages, and a comprehensive manual is supplied free.
- Unique facility to turn ROMs off and on again. Unlike all other ROM managers, this feature does not use 'unofficial' memory. Two bytes of normally user-inaccessible memory on the RAM card are used to ensure ROMs are disabled WHERE OTHER ROMS FAIL.

See next page for SPECIAL OFFER

# Only £59 (carr £2)

(Price includes a comprehensive manual and the ROM)

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#### INCREDIBLE WORD PROCESSING DEAL!!!

Watford Electronics, already renowned for quality products at discount prices, are offering, the truly spectacular BARGAIN OF THE YEAR!

A Watford's 32K Shadow RAM Card - Printer Buffer and the much sought after, Computer Concepts' Inter-WORD, (a very powerful package) All this at an astounding price of:

Only £89 (carr £3)

#### THE EPSON RX-FX-KAGA PRINTER **COMMANDS REVEALED (BOOK)**

So you bought yourself a new printer, because the salesman in the shop showed you how clever it is and impressed you with all sorts of printouts to show its capabilities – he may even have offered you a special price.

However, now that you have got it home and connected it to your BBC microcomputer, you are wondering how to make it perform these magical tasks. The manual seems to give no clues, and when you type in the example programs, the computer throws the LPRINT statements back in

your race.

Now what do you do, when this £400 piece of high technology refuses even to move its head, and you have stayed up until 2 in the morning with copious supplies of coffee, desperately trying to print something out. Once again, Watford Electronics comes to your help with our new book entitled THE EPSON FX-KAGA PRINTER COMMANDS REVEALED.

This book describes in plain, easy to understand English, how to use and make the most of your KP810, Canon PW1080A or any Epson FX80 compatible Printer with the BBC Micro, both from Basic and Wordwise. It describes in detail how to obtain the maximum in graphics capability from your printer and includes full indexes allowing you to cross index the numerous commands. Every command is explained in detail, with an accompanying BBC Basic program and an example of its use from

Superb Value at £5.95 (No VAT)

# NOW WITH EXTRA FEATURES AT NO EXTRA COST Watford's latest DFS 1.44

Incorporates Acorn's Official Tube Host Code so that those with 2nd processors no longer need to waste a ROM socket on the DNFS.
 Option to DOUBLE the speed of BPUT and BGET.

If you already have the Watford Electronics DFS and wish to incorporate these new facilities ten simply return your existing DFS ROM to us together with £5 remittance for an upgrade. Please pack the ROM securely and address the package to our Upgrades Dept.

#### WATFORD'S & ACORN'S SINGLE DENSITY DFS

Watford's popular and widely acclaimed DFS has now been available for four years, and has gained a large following amongst serious users of the BBC Micro. Owners of Acorn or any other standard DFS can upgrade to our "Ultimate" DFS merely by replacing their DFS ROM. See below for this upgrade. (P.S. Watford's highly sophisticated DFS is fully compatible with Acorn DFSI.

Complete Disc Interface Kit including DFS ROM and

#### WATFORD'S DOUBLE DENSITY **DFS INTERFACE**

The DDFS from Watford Electronics represents a new standard in DFSs for The DDFS from Watford Electronics represents a new standard in DFS for the BBC micro. This is a double density version of our popular single density DFS, and combines all the features of this powerful DFS with the advantages of a system that gives 80% more storage per disc in double density mode. P.S. – Please note that not all DDFSs are capable of providing either the full 80% storage increase, or of allowing a file the full size of the disc – Ours allows both of these! Operates both in Single & Double Density

The typical piece of games software these days is provided upon a protected disc. In order to work on any double density system (including the others on the market) a protected piece of software needs to make calls through the OSWORD &7F routines. To ensure compatibility, the Watford DDFS features probably the most comprehensive and powerful 8271 emulation ever written for a double density system.

**PRICES** 

Complete DDFS Kit incl. fitting instructions DDFS Manual (no (no VAT) £6.95

We will exchange your existing Single Density DFS Kit for our DDFS Unit at

### NEW

#### **MEGABUFFER 256**

This new Megabuffer 256 from Watford is a full featured 256K Printer Buffer. It allows the computer to print 256,000 character in a short time thus freeing the computer very quickly. In short it makes light work of printing large documents, screen dumps, etc. It is extremely simple to connect. The

Low Cost, High performance.
 Improves efficiency by making more efficient use of computer and

Compatible with any computer and printer that uses Centronics Parallel connections including all BBCs, IBM PCs, etc.
 Total compatibility with all software.
 Cheaper phone bills when using your Modems.
 Ideal for those doing large graphics screen dumps that are slow to print.
 Multi-Copy facility allows you to print several copies via Megabuffer without poing through your computer.

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Data Dump facility is included.

Built in test unit for both the buffer & your printer.
In conclusion it can safely be said that MEGABUFFER 256 is the ultimate printer Buffer for both the amateur and professional user.

1.149

### **BBC MICRO BUSINESS/ WORDPROCESSING PACKAGE**

A complete word-processing package (which can be heavily modified to your requirements, maintaining the large discount). Please telephone or call in at our retail shop to discuss your particular requirement and a demonstration.

#### **FXAMPLE PACKAGE**

BBC Master 128K Micro, View wordprocessor, Viewsheet, Basic Editor, Terminal Emulator, Twin 800K 40-80 track double sided Disc Drives, Zenith Hi-Res green monitor, Panasonic KX-P3131 professional quality Daisy Wheel printer, Gemini Database, Spreadsheet, Beebplot Graphics, Cashbook, Final Accounts, Mailist, Easiledger, Invoice & Statements, and Stock Control packages on disc with manuals.

Only £899

A Low Cost wordprocessing package: Same as above except, a single disc drive instead of a twin and Olivetti Spark Jet Printer instead of Panasonic.

Only £625

### MYSTERIES OF DISC DRIVES & DFS REVEALED (BOOK)

Are you tired of faulty cassettes, and lengthy loading times? Do you want to upgrade your BBC micro to take discs but you get tied up in the plethora of jargon surrounding the choice and use of these systems.

Then The Mysteries of Disc Drives and DFS Revealed is the book for you. It Then The Mysteries of Disc Drives and DPS Revealed is the book for you. It explains in detail the different types of systems available, how they are installed and how to use them. Many examples are given including prewritten programs to call various functions of the DPS available only through Operating System calls. Different types of disc, 40/80 tracks etc. are all explained. This book is ideal for the beginner confused by the plethora of choice available in the marketplace.

£5.95 (Book No VAT)

### **DISC ALBUMS**

Attractively finished in antique brown leather look vinyl. Stores upto 20 Discs. Each disc can be seen through the clear view pocket.

#### **FLOPPY HEAD CLEANER KIT**

The heads in floppy drives are precision made and very sensitive to dirt. The use of a cleaner Kit is a sensible precaution against losing valuable data. It is recommended to clean the drive head once a week. It is very simple to

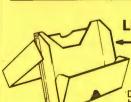
#### ANTISTATIC LOCKABLE DISC STORAGE UNITS

Gives double protection –
Strong plastic case that affords real
protection to your discs. Antistatic helps
avoid data corruption whilst in storage.
The smoked top locks down. Dividers and adhesive title strips are supplied for efficient filing of discs.

 M35 - holds upto 50 discs M85 - holds upto 95 discs M50 - holds 50 31/2" Discs

£8 £9 £10





### **PLASTIC** LIBRARY CASES

Holds up to 10 5¼" Discs. Only £2.00

DX-08: This extremely handy unit holds up to 8 51/4" Disc while in use. Only £2.00

#### **DUST COVERS** (For our Disc Drives)

Single CLS (without PSU) £3.20 Twin CLD (without PSU) £3.85 Single CS (with PSU) £3.95 Twin CD (with PSU) £3.90

### **Quality Disc Drives from Watford**

To help you decide which drive is the most suitable for your needs (and your pocket!), we have produced the table below.

The first capacity given in the first column indicates capacity in single density mode. That within the brackets is the capacity in double density mode. All disc drive type numbers start with the prefix "C".

The tinting on some of the boxes is used to indicate which Drives are 40 track (non-tinted) and which are 80 track (tinted). All our drives are of Japanese manufacture. All our 80 track drives are already fitted with a 40-80

All our Disc Drives are Double Sided and will operate in both Single and Double Density modes. Extensive experience of the usage of disc drives suggests that the JAPANESE drives currently represent about the best in terms of speed, reliability and overall "elegance" available for the BBC

Various other "manufacturers" of disc drives for the BBC micro (more various other manufacturers of disc drives for the BBC micro (more accurately, "packages" label other manufacturers drives with their own name). We buy the high quality JVC and Mitsubishi drives in large quantities directly from the manufacturers, package them and sell them at "dealer" prices direct to the public.

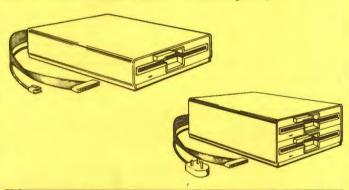
If you look around the popular BBC micro press, you will find that the prices we quote for the top quality, new slimline disc drives are, virtually without exception, some of the best around. These prices, coupled with the backup of one of the country's largest distributors of BBC peripherals provides a superb deal.

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Unless you anticipate using dual drives in a fully expanded BBC system for long periods of time with little ventilation, then we suggest that our range of "CL" disc drives without the PSU (Power Supply Unit) would be quite adequate (extensive tests within our workshops have confirmed this). All drives are supplied complete with a SPECIAL UTILITIES Disc, Cables and Plugs. The Drives with power supply have a mains moulded plug for safety purposes, Ideal for Schools & Colleges. We are now able to supply all single disc drives with Power Supply, in either single or dual case. (Dual case has a twin data cable and a power supply capable of driving two disc drives) allows easy expansion to a dual drive unit, at a later date. Prices stated in the pricing boxes below for single drives is for a single drive in a standard single case. Single drive in a dual case cost an extra £5. (At Watford we anticipate your needs of tomorrow, not just today)! anticipate your needs of tomorrow, not just today)!

When using a BBC Micro, most people find themselves short of desk space. The Watford's BBC Micro plinths form an ideal way of recovering some of this precious space) your BBC, Disc Drive and Monitor can all occupy the same vertical footprint and still be comfortably situated. With the Watford Double plinth, your Disc Drive is mounted vertically at one side, leaving a very valuable area directly in front of you for such useful items as spare discs, pen, paper, reference manuals, etc. Follow the trend with Watford plinth. (Turn to the 10th page of our advert for the Plinths).

P.S. All our 5½" Disc Drives are compatible with the Compact Micro. All you require is the special Compact Disc Drive Cables designed by us.



Capacity	Drives without P.S.U.		Drives with P.S.U.	
опрасту	Single	Twin	Single	Twin
200K (360K)	CLS 200 £95		CS 200 £108	
400K (720K)	CLS400S £96	CLD 400 £180	CS 400S £109	CD400 £200
800K (1.44M)		CLD 800S £183		CD 800S £204

● TWIN Disc Drive Case, complete with Power Supply & Cables £43
Securicor carriage on Disc Drives £5 to £6

Prefix C - Cased Drive

Suffix S = 40-80 Switchable

L = Less PSU

S = Single D = Double

CLS400S - Cased drive, Less power supply unit, Single 400K, Switchable (40-80 track).

Cable to connect 51/4" Disc Drives to BBC Compact Single £9 Twin £12

Special Cable to connect both 3½" and 5½" Disc Drives simultaneously to the BBC Compact £13

### 3M - DISKETTES

3M - SCOTCH Diskettes with Lifetime warranty from Watford Electronics your 3M Appointed Distributor

•	10	x	51/4" S/S D/D 40 Track Diskettes	£10
	10	x	51/4" D/S D/D 40 Track Diskettes	£12
	10	x	51/4" S/S D/D 80 Track Diskettes	£15
	10	×	51/4" D/S D/D 80 Track Diskettes	£15
•	10	X	51/4" 1.6M D/S D/D High Density Discs for IBM	
X	7			£30
•	10	×	31/2" S/S D/D 40/80 track Discs	£18
	10	X	31/2" D/D D/D 40/80 track Discs	£22

### TOP QUALITY 31/2" & 51/4" DISKETTES

To complement the range of quality discs and disc drives that WE already sell, WE are now supplying some special offer packs of 10 high quality discs. Each Disc has a reinforced hub ring and carries a lifetime guarantee. These are supplied complete with selfstick labels and packaged in an attractive plastic library disc box to protect them from damage. We strongly recommend these Discs.

#### DON'T SETTLE FOR LESS RUY THE REST

•	10 ×	M3 31/2" D/S D/D 80 Track Discs	£20
		M4 51/4" S/S D/D 40 Track Discs	£9
	10 ×	M5 51/4" D/S D/D 40 Track Discs	£11
	10 ×	M7 51/4" D/S D/D 80 Track Discs	£14
	3" Do	ouble Sided Discs	£3 each

### Special BULK OFFER on 51/4" DISCS

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Without Sleeves	£46	£49	£72
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#### **ACORN WINCHESTER DRIVES**

Suitable for direct connection, via the 1MHz bus, to any BBC running ADFS. These Acorn Winchester disc drives are fast and extremely reliable. Each Winchester comes complete with the Level III Econet File Server software.

10 Megabytes £1050; 30 Megabytes £1549

#### WATFORD'S WINCHESTER DRIVES

20 Megabytes with ADFS 40 Megabytes with ADFS

£635 £999

### WINCHESTER WORKSTATION

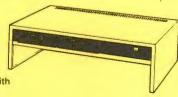
20 Megabyte Winchester, plus a Tape Streamer and a 400K Floppy Drive all housed in a plinth with cooling fan £149



Twin 800K Double sided 40-80 track switchable disc drives mounted in an attractively finished Beige colour plinth for the BBC Micro. Supplied complete with integral power supply, cables and Utilities disc. The switches are mounted on the front panel for ease of use.

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> **ACORN'S** Twin 800K **Disc Drives**



Specially mounted side by side in a Master Plinth. Supplied complete with Cables. Plugs directly to the Master Computer.

RRP £250 Our Price: Only £199 (carr £7)



Harness the full potential of your Epson RX or FX printer. The NLQ ROM makes Epson printers produce Near Letter Quality output with optional proportional spacing, enlarged and underlined. Accessed by simple \* commands from Basic, Wordwise and View (with driver) or almost any other lengths. or almost any other language.
(Send an SAE for sample printout)

Only: £25

VIEW PRINTER DRIVER for NLQ ROM

£7

#### THE NLQ DESIGNER

(The First & still the Best) SPECIAL OFFER this Month: Supplied with over 25 Different fonts A massively useful utility for users of the

Taxan/Kaga KP810/910 or the Canon PW1080. This program allows you to define NLQ character sets to download into the printer's memory. Full on screen editing of the font. Requires 6264 RAM chip to be fitted in the

Supplied with disc containing over 25 example fonts. Please specify 40 or 80 track. Fonts are: Italic, Courier, Courier Italic, Script, Copper Plate, Shadow, Bold, Double Print and Gothic etc. (P.S. This ROM is not suitable for Epson printers.)

NLQ Designer ROM & FONT Disc

• Kaga Individual FONT ROMs £10

#### **DUMPOUT 3**



A highly sophisticated screen dump ROM. This has to be the most flexible and powerful scree dump ROM yet produced for the BBC micro. It will put on paper anything you see on the screen, including full Mode 7 graphics. Also provided are window setting utilities and OSWORD calls to plot and read Mode 7 graphics pixels.

Facilities:

- Vertical and horizontal scaling in all graphics modes and mode 7
- Rotation of image by 90, 180 or 270 degrees
   Left hand margin setting

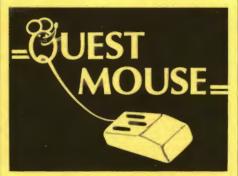
- Left hand margin setting
  Screen dump window setting
  Colours appear as grey scale
  Two tone fast dump
  Colour mask
  Mode 7 contrast expansion
  Mode 7 contiguous dump
  Key triggered and User Port triggered dumps

The Micro User Feb. 1985.
Without reservation I wholeheartedly recommend the Dump Out 3 ROM as the ultimate screen dump facility for the BBC Micro ... it must represent excellent value for money and surely cannot be beaten".

For use with the following printers: GLP, GP80/100/250, CANNON, STAR, KAGA/ TAXAN, NEC, SHINWA CP80, GEMINI, EPSON MX/RX/FX, M1009, NEC PC8023, DMP100/200/ 400, Panasonic KX1080, Mannesman Tally and compatibles.

Only: £25

(Write in for further details on all above ROMS)



#### QUEST MOUSE

The ultimate in Mouse technology, the Watford Electronics Quest Mouse. This package must be the most powerful Mouse package yet produced for the BBC Micro. Featuring state of the art 32K ROM software the Quest Mouse package is filled with features essential to the hudding artist leving for the most powerful.

package is filled with features essential to the budding artist looking for the most powerful drawing program around.

The Quest Mouse is FULLY HARDWARE COMPATIBLE with the AMX MOUSE so that programs such as AMX Pagemaker etc. will work with it. The two parts of the Quest package are available separately so that existing Mouse owners can upgrade to the Watford Quest Paint software and so that worn out mice can be replaced for minimum cost. The Mouse features high resolution 50 PPI operation. It has a rubber ball for maximum accuracy and has three buttons to allow a

accuracy and has three buttons to allow a massive range of options to be accessed without touching the keyboard.

#### **QUEST PAINT**

The Quest Mouse software is supplied on a PALPROM unit to allow the sophisticated 32K program to be used from a single ROM socket. It is compatible with the BBC B, BBC B Plus and

BBC Master Series machines.
The software is used to draw high resolution
Mode 1 pictures in full colour. All menu
selection and control of the drawing process is performed with the mouse so that you will hardly ever touch the keyboard. The software is carefully designed to provide all the features needed by the budding artist. It is the nearest we can get to using paintbrush, airbrush, pencil and rubber on your computer screen.

#### SOFTWARE FEATURES

The software is far too powerful for us to describe it fully in such a small space. Below is a list of the various features. For a full leaflet describing the software in full detail please write to us

Disk interface not required. Utilities disk has applied can be solid, dither pattern of user defined pattern. Drawing can use brush or airbrush. Brush shapes can be defined and stored. Airbrush sprays colour/pattern randomly with four jet sizes and even or centre spread. Colour cycles. Colour protection to stop particular colours from being overwritten by selected drawing actions. All standard drawing facilities: rubber, straight pencil lines, triangles, circles, ellipses, rectangles, parallelograms, polygons. All shapes can be solid or just a boundary line. Once a shape has been set up it can be repeated anywhere on the screen. Global colour replace in a rectangle. Powerful fill facility for areas and vertical/horizontal lines. fill facility for areas and vertical/horizontal lines. Full cut and paste of rectangular areas with rotation and size change. Trace round areas of colour. Zoom for fine editing. Compatible with screens from Watford Beeb video digitiser. Load and Save screens with colour palette information, save brush and nattern definition. information, save brush and pattern definition

SPECIAL INTRODUCTORY OFFER QUEST MOUSE & QUEST PAINT..... QUEST MOUSE ONLY ......£35 MOUSE MATS. QUEST PAINT SOFTWARE.....

(Quest Paint supplied complete with Software in a 32K ROM, User Guide and Utility Disc) (PS. The Watford Quest Mouse is FULLY Compatible with the AMX Mouse, therefore all AMX Software will work perfectly with it)

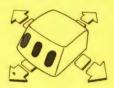
By popular demand our retail shop is now open until 8pm every Thursday

### MARK II LIGHT PEN + PENPAL 2

The Watford Electronics Mark II Light Pen is the very latest in light pen technology. It is totally insensitive to local lighting conditions and works with many different monitors. The pen only responds to the High Frequency light produced by your monitor/TV. An LED indicates when valid video data is being produced. A conveniently located switch is also fitted. Penpal II, Watford Electronics' sophisticated light pen software is also supplied free on cassette or disc (please specify). This is a highly sophisticated drawing package enabling you to gain the maximum benefit from your Light Pen. The software is used to edit Mode 2 full colour second specific light pentages and you own. screens using lines, patterns and you own designs. Screens may be saved to cassette or

Price Only £15

### THE AMX MOUSE



Now supplied with the NEW SUPERART Software ROM & Disc at no extra cost.

ONLY: £63 (carr £1.50) (Please specify for BBC or Master Computer)

We are giving away, absolutely FREE, our popular Colour Art software package worth £15 with every AMX Mouse package purchased from us.

**AMX MAT** £5 AMX MOUSE ONLY £35 **AMX DESK Package** £19.00 **AMX UTILITY Package** £11.00 AMX SUPERART Package

AMX PAGE-MAKER Pack – A desk-£39 top publishing software. It Works with keyboard, joystick and a mouse Only: £32

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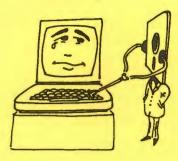
### **RB2 MARCONI** TRACKER BALL

This popular unit is supplied complete with software. Price: £59

#### **FLEET STREET EDITOR**

Software pack £35 £14.95 Admin Xtra Disc Utility Walt Disney Disc Utility £14.95 Fonts N Graphics Disc Utility £14.95

### **DIAGNOSTICS** DISC



The BBC micro is a very complex machine and thus diagnosing a fault can be very difficult. Until now, the only way to discover the nature of a fault was either to find a competent friend with a large degree of patience or to find your nearest dealer and pay him to find out what is wrong.

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At Watford Electronics, we realise how difficult it can be when faced with a problem, finding yourself a long way from your nearest dealer, or even just uncertain about your Beeb's health, but not wanting to waste time and money taking it to be looked at.
The solution to these problems is here now, in the form of the Watford's Diagnostics Disc. This excellent utility is specially designed to test out the following areas of your Beeb:
RAMs, ROMs, ULAs, Sound, Keyboard, Disc, RS423, ADC, User Port, Printer Port, Cassette, Joysticks, Speech, Disc Drives, 6502 and Z80 2nd Processors.

2nd Processors.
This utility is an invaluable aid for all those who take the reliability of their system seriously. A comprehensive manual provides full operating details and a list of possible causes and remedies for any faults that you may find along the way. The package also enables a permanent equipment and service record to be maintained.

Only £20.00

#### **BBC SOFTWARE'S Popular Educational Software**

- Maths with a Story 1 (Cassette). 4 primare level maths programs
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- MICROTECHNOLOGY (Cassette) O Level program.
- A VOUS LA FRANCE (2 Cassettes) A French language home study aid.
- **DEUTSCH DIREKT!** (Disc & Audio £20 Cassette)
- Modem Master (Disc)

#### The Teletext Editor Package for serious users

TED is the brand new package from Watford Electronics for the editing and creation of teletext (Mode 7) screens and displays. TED is ideal for anyone wanting to create their own Mode 7 pictures (such as game title pages), designing animated displays for shop windows, exhibitions, classrooms, etc. TED is also probably the most powerful Prestel screen editor you will ever come across.

Supplied on a special 32k package, full facilities are providing for manipulating the

Supplied on a special 32k package, full facilities are providing for manipulating the screen, including easy to use pixel manipulation; line, column and block buffering and copying; left and right margins; large text in a variety of different fonts (contained within the ROM device); various borders and effects templates (contained within the ROM device); line and column insertion and deletion; easy to use graphics line drawing. Those are some of the features of editor itself. In addition to this, TED contains routines for taking a number of TED contains routines for taking a number of Teletext screens and creating them into an animated sequence, with user selectable display times, repeats on a group of shows, various times, repeats on a group of shows, various entry methods (how the picture is put onto the screen), routing selection (both predefined and keyboard specific), chaining of other shows, etc. Scrolls treat the Teletext sequence as a very long page with a window onto it. Supplied complete with a comprehensive manual. There are many more facilities not mentioned here, so write in the comprehensive leaffett were. write in for a comprehensive leaflet; you wonder how you managed without TED.

Price: £35

#### **ROM-SPELL**

"way ahead of any competition"



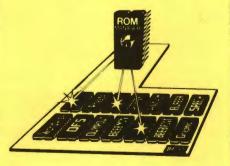
Probably the most advanced and fastest spelling checker available for the BBC Micro. Compatible with View, Wordwise and Wordwise Plus ROMSPELL is simple to use with easy editing of incorrect words. Full facilities for editing the user dictionary to allow customisation to your personal needs. Dictionary includes over 30,000 words and is supplied with a Comprehensive manual.

NOT compatible with 1770 DFS.

(Please state 40 or 80 track disc) Probably the most advanced and fastest

Price still only: £25

#### ROM MANAGER



Take control of your Sideways ROMs with ROM Manager. This powerful utility ROM gives you power over your sideways ROMs. Disable whole ROMs, send commands directly to named ROMs and many other powerful facilities.

"Provides comprehensive management of all your installed ROMs". (BEEBUG November '84.)

ONLY £20

# THE EUREKA CARD

(The Unique RAM Expansion System)

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The Eureka Card is Watford's latest and most sophisticated RAM expansion system. Using advanced PAL based technology this card is a breakthrough in RAM systems for the BBC micro. The Eureka Card provides the user with around 58K of free memory in Basic, VIEW and WORDWISE PLUS. You also get Shadow RAM from within the active language. No other RAM expansion system can match that!

Load up to 58K long Basic programs. Texts in VIEW and WORDWISE PLUS up to 58K as well. This with absolutely NO loss of speed in accessing your text or program. Eureka consists of a card containing 64K of program memory, two parallel banks of sideways RAM and some extremely complex switching circuitry. This is

extremely complex switching circuitry. This is all controlled by Eureka's highly sofisticated software supplied in ROM. Designed to a very high specification, this board is fully buffered to give reliable operation under virtually any circumstances.

The Eureka board plugs into the 6502 socket and has NO messy flying leads. It is compatible with many other products from Watford, such as our Solderless ROM Board and our ROM/RAM Board. All in all, the Eureka Card is an amazing board. Jump into the age of serious data processing with a Eureka Card! Please write in for further details 'on advantages the Eureka can offer you.' Eureka can offer you'

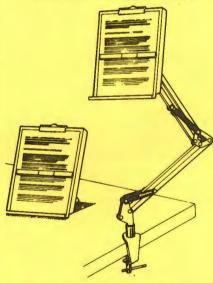
Introductory price: Only £89 (carr £3)

(P.S. Eureka is only suitable for a standard model B; it normally replaces any Shadow RAM cards present. Some speed degredation does occur with filing system access. Eureka cannot be used at the same time as a second processor)

#### **BEEBMON**

The most powerful machine code monitor for the BBC Micro £24.

### COPY HOLDERS



How often have you been about to type hand written notes into your computer when you find that there's nowhere to rest the paper or that your notes are resting at the wrong angle to read the type? Whether the notes be your latest program or the draft of a new trilogy, the new Manuscript Holders from Watford are superb for holding your paper at the ideal height and angle to allow you read and type in ease and comfort.

Available in 2 versions, desk resting and shelf clamping versions, these two units hold your paper firmly by means of a plastic retaining ruler and a clip grip.

Amazing value at only Desk Top £10 (carr. £2) Angle poise £14 (carr. £3)

All prices in this advert are exclusive of VAT.

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#### **SIDEWAYS** ZIF SOCKET



Allows you to change your ROMs quickly efficiently, without opening the lid. The ZERO INSERTION FORCE (ZIF) socket is located into the ROM Cartridge's position.

- Very simple to install. NO SOLDERING required. The ZIF (Zero Insertion Force) eliminates the possibility of damage to your ROM pins when inserting & extracting.
- The low profile of the socket allows unrestricted access to the Keyboard.
- All data and address lines are correctly terminated to ensure correct operation of suitable ROMs with the BBC micro. We also supply a purpose designed see-through storage container with anti-static lining, allowing you to store up to 12 ROMs, protecting them from mechanical and static damage.
- This versatile hardware solves the problem of running out of socket space. Simply lift the ROM from the ZIF & insert a different one (No pulling or pushing of Cartridges. It is a must for all professionals and Hobbyists alike.)
- BBC, B+ and Master compatible.

ONLY £15 (carr £2)

### **Low Profile** CARTRIDGE SYSTEM

Complete System consists of: Low profile ROM Cartridge, Socket housing, Cable assembly, 5 labels and a library storage rack.

Complete System

£2.50

 Spare Cartridges Spare Rack

# **16K Sideways RAM Modules**

Complete with such features as read and write protection, these new modules from Watford Electronics are ideal for the hobbyist, software developer and ROM collector.
Key points to note about this new addition to the

Watford range of products are:

 Write protection (useful in a variety of circumstances).
Read protection (allows recovery from ROM

Compact construction.

May be fitted in systems even with a ROM

Multiple units may be fitted, even with a ROM

No overheating or overloading problems.
Free utilities disc supplied.
Can be used as a 16K PRINTER BUFFER.
Ideal for professional software development.

Supplied with utilities software disc.

Only: £29 (carr £2)

### **Optional extras**

READ and WRITE protect Switches £2 each
Battery for Battery Backup £3

### **16K DISC RAM**

Unlike other RAM boards, this revolutionary, battery backed up, write protectable 16K side-ways RAM board allows you to run from disc every sideways ROM available.

Features available are:

No soldering or modifications to BBC micro

necessary.

Plugs into normal ROM socket fitting neatly under the keyboard allowing room for other add-ons.

add-ons.

Easy to use. Comes with disk based software to SAVE and LOAD ROMs. Allows you to make backup copies of your ROMs.

Disk software can be copied onto other discs

when disc is full.

No messy plugging and unplugging of your ROMs. Simply Load the one you want into

ROMs. Sim Ideal for Professional users to develop ROMs.

Backup facility allows testing of final versions without using EPROMs.
The switch provided allows backup and write protection to be switched off externally.
Can also be used as 16K printer buffer RAM in conjunction with our Buffer & Backup ROM.

#### New Low Price: £32 (carr £2)

P.S. 16K DISC RAM Board is not designed to work in conjunction with a Sideways ROM Board.

### SOLID STATE **16K SIDEWAYS RAM**



This new unit from Watford, which utilises the latest in Static RAM technology, offers 16k of easy-fit sideways RAM in a very compact unit with a footprint no larger than a standard 28pin EPROM. With only a single flying lead terminating in a mini hook-on probe, to fit, (no soldering required) this compact unit works with any BBC Micro with or without a ROM board. Compatible with BBC B Plus. Like our other 16K RAM Modules, this unit is very simple to fit.

Only £28 (carr 2)

Supplied complete with comprehensive software on Disc, Operating and fitting instructions.

Do you find the 16K Sideways RAM Units confusing? If so, we have compiled this quick questionnaire to help YOU decide which is the best one for you. If the answer to any of the questions is yes, then use the index number to select from the boards below. Options in brackets indicate possible secondary choices.

Do you require:
Sideways RAM for a BBC B+
Choose 1, 2 or 3.
Sideways RAM for the B+? Choose 3.
A small, basic module? Choose 3.
A sideways RAM module for a ROM board? Choose 1 or 3.

More than one module installed at once?

To use sideways RAM as a printer buffer?

Choose 1 or 3.

Battery Backup? Choose (1) or 2.

Write protect for RAM (makes ROM look like RAM)? Choose (1) or 2.

Read protect (allows recovery from cra-shes)? Choose 1.

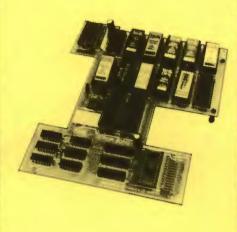
Key: 1) 16k Sideways RAM Module 2) 16k Disc RAM

Solid State 16k Sideways RAM
Options in brackets indicate optional extras.

#### **GRAPH PAD 2**

Supplied complete with Software £60 (Carr. £3)

### SOLDERLESS SIDEWAYS ROM SOCKET BOARD



In the May 1986 Micro User's independent review, the writer concludes, "The board has been well laid out. Its position is much better than others – not over the HOT RAM chips and further away from the disc controller area". "I give the solderless ROM board the thumbs up and wish it success"

This brand new board from Watford Electronics is designed specifically for those wishing to add a ROM board to their own BBC without the need to perform any soldering.

This new board expands the total possible number of ROMs in a BBC from 4 to 16.

Unlike our competitors inferior boards, the ONLY upgrade required for fitting battery backup to the Watford Solderless ROM board (all Watford ROM boards, actually) is the fitting of the battery itself. (No other expensive components are required.)

The key features of this new, no fuss, easy to install quality product from BBC leaders Watford Electronics are as follows:

Increase your BBCs capacity for ROMs from 4

No soldering required.
Very low power consumption.
Minimal space required.
Compatible with Torch, DDFS, RAM Card, 2nd

Processor, etc.
Socket 14 takes two 6264 RAM chips.
Read protect to make RAM "Vanish") allows recovery from ROM crashes.
Battery backup option for RAM chips.
Supplied ready to fit with comprehensive instructions instructions.

> Price: Only £32 Battery backup fitted £36 (carriage £2)



### The BBC B+ Micro **ROM EXPANSION BOARD**

Specially designed for all BBC Plus users, this board sits in an external box, and will accept either 10 off 16k EPROMs, OR 10 off 32k EPROMs.

either 10 on 16k EPROMs, ON 10 on 32k EPROMs. With the 32k EPROMs, only 5 can be 'online' at once (that's all the B+ can address, as each chip 'holds' two normal sockets worth), but you can swap between the two banks if necessary. With

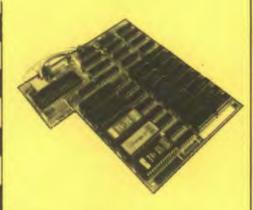
swap between the two banks if necessary. With the 16k EPROMs, you can obviously address them all at once. An extra card can be added to permit 2 banks of 10 EPROMs to be used (again with only one bank available at once).

The ROM box, which has its own mains power supply, and connects to the BBC Plus via a specially designed card (which is a buffered card for your peace of mind) permits easy access to the EPROMs via the hinged lid. NO soldering is required for this board.

£79 (carr £2)

# Watford ROM/RAM CARD

A must for all serious users



Watford Electronics announced the first ever commercial ROM board for the BBC micro, the Watford Electronics 13 ROM Socket Board 3 years ago. Following the success of this board, we have designed what probably represents the ultimate in expansion boards, the new Watford Electronics ROM/RAM board. This highly versatile and sophisticated board represents the latest in "2nd generation" sideways ROM technology for the BBC micro, designed to satisfy the serious BBC user.

NO SOLDERING required to fit the board.

NO overheating problems. No User Port corruption (avoids problems with the mouse, modems, Eprom Programmers,

Fully buffered for peace of mind.
Firm mounting in BBC micro.
Compatible with all BBC micros (not BBC+ or

Total number of ROMs increased from 4 to 8.

Total number of ROMs increased from 4 to 8.
Up to 8 banks of sideways RAM (dynamic).
Option for 16k of Battery backed CMOS RAM (CMOS RAM needs one ROM socket).
Software Write protect for ALL RAM.
Read protect for CMOS RAM (ALLEVIATES crashes during ROM development).
Separate RAM write register (&FF30 to &FF3F).
Automatic write to currently selected RAM socket for convenience.

cket for convenience. Accepts any ROM.

Accepts any HOM.
FREE utilities disc packed with software.
Compatible with our DDFS board, 32k RAM Card, Delta Card, sideways ZIF, etc.
Large printer buffer.
UNIQUE Fully implemented RAM FILING SYSTEM (similar to the popular Watford DFS).
ROM to RAM load and save facilities.

The SFS (Silicon Filing System) can utilise up to the full 128k of RAM (with the SFS in any paged RAM) as a SILICON DISC. This behaves as a disc drive, with all the normal Watford DFS features (including OSWORD &7F for ROM-SPELL, etc.) to provide an environment that looks like a disc but loads and saves MUCH faster.

The ROM-RAM Board plugs into the 6502 CPU socket. This leaves free all the existing ROM sockets, which can still be used normally.

Any ROM that can be plugged into the BBC micro's own ROM sockets may be used in the ROM-RAM Board.

The ROM-RAM Board is supplied with all ordered options fitted as standard. Upgrade kits

ordered options fitted as standard. Upgrade kits (with full instructions) are available for all of the

options, for later.
Please write in for further details.

#### INTRODUCTORY PRICES:

● ROM/RAM card with 32k dynamic RAM ......£39 ROM/RAM card with 64k dynamic RAM ..... £52 ROM/RAM card with a massive 128k dynamic

#### (carriage on ROM-RAM Card £3) OPTIONAL EXTRAS:

#### 16k plug-in Static RAM kit. 16k Dynamic RAM for Upgrade.....£7.50 Battery backup..

Read and Write protect switches.....£2 each Complete ROM-RAM board (all options installed)...... .....£89

# Le Modem



#### The MODEM from Watford

At last a professional MODEM for the BBC Micro. Unlike other 'Modern packages' this is a complete package there are no extra software costs to get 'up and running'. Of course Le MODEM is multi-standard, i.e. 300/300, 1200/75 & 75/1200 UK and BELL (USA) are all supported.

The features that make Le MODEM such good

value are:

• A complete communications terminal that transforms your BBC Micro into a very powerful World-wide data transfer system.

• Auto Dials, Auto answers, and is completely controlled by your micro. There are no external controlled.

controls!

Allows you to access PRESTEL, B.T. GOLD, THE SOURCE, MICROLINK, MICRONET, MICROWEB, THE TIMES NETWORK, MICRO LIVE (BBC TV database), CITY BB and more.

Designed to be SIMPLE but SOPHISTICATED. To LOGON to a data base all you have to know is its TELEPHONE NUMBER, Le MODEM does the

Past.

Supplied with a comprehensive telecomms package in a 16K sideways ROM which includes a FULL PRESTEL terminal allowing TELE-SOFTWARE to be downloaded.

 A comprehensive 80 column terminal. This includes XMODEM error checked transfer protocol, to allow error free data transfer anywhere in

the world!

FULLY controlled by simple '\*COMMANDS allowing you to control it from your own BASIC programs. To get you started we supply a FREE disc of bundled software!

disc of bundled software!

Connects to the 1MHz bus. A \*AUDIO ON-OFF command allows you to actually hear the telephone line through your BBC micro loudspeaker.

Completely self contained with internal mains power supply. (Even a free mains plug is fitted!)

A \*TEST facility gives ON SCREEN indication that Le MODEM is working correctly.

Packaged in such as way that you need nothing else except a BBC Micro to communicate with computers all over the world.

computers all over the world.

FREE Registration to MicroLink. BT Approval applied for.

(When ordering, please specify the version required, (BBC or Master)

#### SPECIAL OFFER

Price: £74 (carr £3)



(Price includes, Le Modem, Software ROM, Cables & Comprehensive Manual) (Write in for further details)

# Nightingale Modem

SPECIAL PRICE to our Customers



(Price includes: Nightingale Modem, Commstar ROM pack & Comprehensive manual)

Nightingale Modem without software Only £75 COMMSTAR ROM package only (P&P on modern £2.00) £29

**Auto Dial Utilities Disc** £9.50

# APOLLO



#### The NEW Modern from Watford

Following numerous requests from you, our discerning customers for an APPROVED, Low Cost & High Performance modem with Auto Dial & Auto Answer facilities as standard) we bring you the versatile APOLLO Modem. Just compare the features and look at the price (which incidentally includes the cost of the Software, manual and BBC connecting cable). We are sure you will agree that Watford Electronics in their traditional way are giving you a super 'value for money' deal.

Just look at these features:

- V21 for Bulletin boards, Microlink, Telecom Gold, etc.
- V23 for Prestel, Home Banking, and other
- Reverse V23 allows User run Viewdata service.
- 1200-1200 half duplex for communications.
- XMODEM, HEX and ASCII file transmission.
- Auto Dial of given 'phone number.
- Auto Answer for User's Bulletin Board.
- 80 column terminal with split screen facility.
- Prestel text screen dump.
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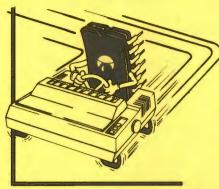
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The B12 provides a total of twelve sideways POM sockets (the four in the original machine.

The B12 provides a total of twelve sideways ROM sockets (the four in the original machine are replaced by the twelve on the board), all fully accessible by the MOS sideways ROM system. In addition, there are two sockets for sideways RAM, giving up to 16k of RAM using 6264 static RAM chips.

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cable based systems.

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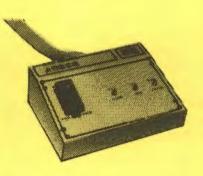
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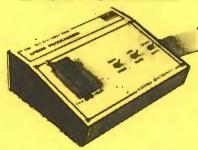
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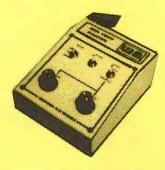
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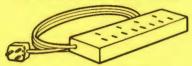
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