

## TI's Computer Users Group

TI-MIX, Texas Instruments Minicomputer Information Exchange, is an organization for users of Texas Instruments computers and related equipment. The purpose of TI-MIX is to promote the exchange of information between users and TI. Membership in TI-MIX is open to any person with an interest in TI computers or related equipment. No fees or dues are charged for membership.

TI-MIX was organized by a group of TI computer users in October 1973, and on October 15, 1974 was incorporated as a nonprofit corporation under the laws of the State of Texas.

TI-MIX is governed by a General Board composed of seven members elected at-large by the general membership for a one-year term. The TI-MIX staff consists of TI personnel who perform the administrative functions of the organization as directed by the General Board.

### TI-MIX Accomplishments

From TI-MIX member inputs the **TI Customer Support Line** was established in December 1974. Customers call the "hotline" with questions concerning TI software or hardware problems. The "hotline" has the resources to answer these questions or to direct them to the appropriate TI development or sustaining personnel.

In the 960/980 era of TI minicomputers, TI-MIX members wrote **tutorial manuals** in an effort to supplement TI's documentation.

The **TI-MIX Systems Committee**, organized in 1977, has reviewed several TI new product specifications; such as the 990/12, DBMS 990, RPG II, diagnostics, and others.

TI-MIX members ask questions and offer suggestions during **TI Question and Answer sessions** at annual TI-MIX symposia. This forum for exchange has resulted in significant improvements in TI's products, policies, service, and support.

An **OEM SIIX** (Original Equipment Manufacturers Special Interest Information Exchange) was organized at the TI-MIX 1978 national symposium to present OEM concerns to TI. The participation of this group has focused attention on OEM concerns, and TI organized an OEM marketing branch to address these concerns.

The **DSG Computer Users News**, a monthly TI publication, began from a need for timely distribution of technical information expressed by TI-MIX members. The newsletter features direct TI to user communication; solutions to TI software and hardware problems, new products and policies, and enhancements to current products. Every TI-MIX member receives this publication.

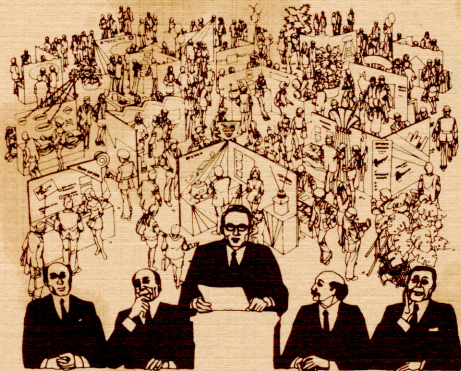
Our monthly newsletter, the **TI-MIX News**, provides worldwide communication among TI-MIX members. Through this publication members share software techniques and innovative applications of TI minicomputers. In the Exchange Section, members publicize available software, hardware or services and request information on needed products.



# TI-MIX SERVICES

## Symposia

TI-MIX conducts an annual symposium to allow face-to-face discussions and problem solving sessions among users as well as direct interaction with key Texas Instruments personnel. Members participate in annual symposia by making presentations and by exhibiting equipment and applications.



## Regional Organizations

A Regional Information Exchange (RIX) is an organization of TI-MIX members in a specific geographic area. Officers for each RIX are elected annually from the TI-MIX members in the region. These officers plan and conduct periodic meetings which provide local user-to-user interaction. Meeting announcements for a regional meeting are mailed to every TI-MIX member in that region.

## Special Interest Groups

TI-MIX members with similar interests may join other users in a Special Interest Information Exchange (SIIX). SIIX meetings are featured at annual TI-MIX symposia to provide a forum for communication between users with a defined special interest.

## Where is TI-MIX Located?

To contact the TI-MIX office, call or write:

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1180 AG Amstelveen, Holland  
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## Library

The TI-MIX library contains software programs, hardware designs, and symposia presentations which have been contributed to TI-MIX by members. These items are available to all TI-MIX members at reproduction costs. A catalog containing descriptions of all TI-MIX library items is available to members at no charge.

## Publications

The *TI-MIX News* is published monthly and is distributed to all TI-MIX members at no charge. It contains new stories about TI-MIX activities, new additions to the library, programming tips, and the Exchange, an advertising section for members.

## Systems Committee

The TI-MIX Systems Committee, established as an avenue of communication between Texas Instruments and its users, serves to provide product direction to TI's Computer Systems Division. Systems Committee members review TI functional specifications. Their comments constructively influence the design and development of TI products. Although membership on the Systems Committee is limited, any TI-MIX member is eligible to serve on the committee.



## TI-MIX Europe

TI-MIX Europe was established in 1977 as a separate but parallel organization to serve European members. A TI-MIX Europe director coordinates the activities of the organization as directed by a separate European Board. TI-MIX Europe members receive TI-MIX and TI-MIX Europe publications. A European symposium is held for these members. Headquarters are located in Amstelveen, Holland.

**Detach membership form and keep this page for future reference.**



# TI-MIX MEMBERSHIP FORM

To become a member of TI-MIX, please complete this form, fold in thirds, tape and mail to TI-MIX, M/S 2200, P. O. Box 2909, Austin, Texas 78769.

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Please complete the following survey. This information will become part of a data base consisting of applications of software and hardware of the TI-MIX membership. If the requested information is considered classified or proprietary by your company, do not enter any information — see the end of this section.

## CHECK THE CATEGORIES BELOW THAT DESCRIBE YOUR ORGANIZATION'S INVOLVEMENT WITH TI SOFTWARE/HARDWARE PRODUCTS:

- ☐ END USER. We purchase TI software/hardware for our own use rather than for resale.
- ☐ TI OEM. We purchase TI software/hardware in quantity for resale after incorporation into products designed and supplied by us.
- ☐ TI DISTRIBUTOR. We purchase TI software/hardware in quantity and resell it without modification.
- ☐ CONSULTANT. We supply consultant services to TI users.
- ☐ OTHER. \_\_\_\_\_

## APPLICATIONS:

List below the applications in use with your TI-equipment.

## PLEASE ENTER EACH TYPE OF NON-TI EQUIPMENT INTERFACED TO YOUR TI SYSTEM(S):

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3. TAPE \_\_\_\_\_
4. TERMINALS \_\_\_\_\_
5. REMOTE TERMINALS \_\_\_\_\_
6. D/As \_\_\_\_\_
7. Other \_\_\_\_\_

Would you be interested in advertising your TI-product in the Exchange Section of our monthly publication?

☐ YES ☐ NO

## CHECK EACH TI PRODUCT IN USE AT YOUR SITE:

### COMPUTERS

- ☐ 960 A, B .....100
- ☐ 980 A, B .....101
- ☐ 990/4 .....104
- ☐ 990/5 .....105
- ☐ 990/10 .....110
- ☐ 990/12 .....112
- ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

### PACKAGED SYSTEMS

- ☐ 770 .....160
- ☐ 771 .....170
- ☐ 774 .....174
- ☐ FS990/4 .....204
- ☐ FS990/5 .....205
- ☐ FS990/10 .....210
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- ☐ Model 1 .....211
- ☐ Model 2 .....212
- ☐ Model 4 .....214
- ☐ Model 6 .....216
- ☐ Model 8 .....218
- ☐ Model 20 .....220
- ☐ Model 30 .....230
- ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

### COMPUTER

#### OPERATING SYSTEMS

- ☐ PSM, PAM .....300
- ☐ PAM/D .....301
- ☐ DXS/20 .....302
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- ☐ TX990/TXDS .....308
- ☐ TX5 .....311
- ☐ DX10 2.X .....309
- ☐ DX10 3.X .....310
- ☐ DX5 1.x .....312
- ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

### HIGHER LEVEL LANGUAGES

- ☐ FORTRAN .....400
- ☐ COBOL .....401
- ☐ Pascal .....402
- ☐ BASIC .....403
- ☐ RPG II .....405
- ☐ PL/EXUS .....406
- ☐ TPL 700 .....407
- ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

### PRINTERS

- ☐ 306 .....560
- ☐ 588 .....561
- ☐ C101A .....562
- ☐ C102A .....563
- ☐ 2230 .....564
- ☐ 2260 .....565
- ☐ 810 .....581
- ☐ 820 .....582
- ☐ 825 .....583
- ☐ LQ45 .....584
- ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

### MASS

#### STORAGE DEVICES

- ☐ DS10 .....510
- ☐ DS32 .....532
- ☐ DS31 .....531
- ☐ DS44 .....544
- ☐ DS25 .....525
- ☐ DS50 .....550
- ☐ DS200 .....520
- ☐ DS330 .....533
- ☐ FD800 .....580
- ☐ FD1000 .....590
- ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

### TERMINALS

- ☐ 911 .....600
- ☐ 912 .....601
- ☐ 913 .....602
- ☐ 914, 914A .....603
- ☐ 732 .....604
- ☐ 733 KSR .....605
- ☐ 733 ASR .....606
- ☐ 733 RO .....607
- ☐ 742 PDT .....608
- ☐ 743 .....609
- ☐ 745 .....610
- ☐ 763 .....611
- ☐ 765 .....612
- ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

### OTHER TI PACKAGES

- ☐ DXS DBLR .....430
- ☐ DXS RJP .....431
- ☐ 37/2780 Comm .....432
- ☐ PROM Prog .....433
- ☐ AMPL Kit .....434
- ☐ DX10 Sort/Merge Utility .....435
- ☐ 990 Diagnostic Kit .....436
- ☐ 3270 ICS .....789
- ☐ DBMS .....437
- ☐ TIFORM 990 .....439
- ☐ Query-990 .....445
- ☐ TTY Emul .....442
- ☐ 742 Emul .....7AD
- ☐ IS990 .....783
- ☐ TIPE990 .....784
- ☐ DX10 Online Diagnostics .....785
- ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

### OTHER TI HARDWARE

- ☐ TMS9900 .....650
- ☐ SPB9900 .....658
- ☐ TMS998X .....659
- ☐ TMS9940 .....660
- ☐ TM 990/100M .....651
- ☐ TM 990/189M .....652
- ☐ TM 990/302 .....661
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- ☐ 979 MT Dr .....655
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- ☐ 5TI I/O .....662
- ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

### CUSTOM DEVICE SERVICE ROUTINES

- ☐ \_\_\_\_\_
- ☐ \_\_\_\_\_
- ☐ \_\_\_\_\_

## PLEASE SIGN BELOW:

I hereby state that the information included in this application for TI-MIX membership is neither company classified nor proprietary and can be released to any TI-MIX member.

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Date \_\_\_\_\_



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