SOFTWARE SURVEY SECTION

The purpose of the Software Survey Section in COMPUTERS & MATHEMATICS WITH APPLICATIONS is to encourage the open exchange of information on software programs, for which no commercial outlet is available (yet), and which may be of interest to readers of the journal. With the rapid penetration of computers into academic and industrial institutions has come a parallel increase in the number of scientists and researchers designing their own software. The existence of much of this software remains unknown even to those of us who could most benefit from its use. We believe that it is of vital importance to our readers that such information be made available. We believe also that a professional journal is the best place to share such information. Your contribution would be most welcome.

The questionnaire below is designed to assist you in reporting on software that you may have developed or be in the process of developing. By completing this form, your information will reach thousands of your colleagues who may benefit from your work and may possibly offer suggestions for further enhancements to your software. Please complete the enclosed form and return it to:

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We do not intend to review or comment on the contents of the questionnaire. It will be published as is to expedite the information cycle process. We would welcome any comments you may have.

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SOFTWARE DESCRIPTION FORM

Title of software program:

Type of program: [ ] Application [ ] Utility [ ] Other

Category: (ie. Psychological assessment, statistics, thermodynamics, etc.)

Developed for (name of computer/s):

(languages):

to run under (operating system):

available on: [ ] Floppy disk/diskette. Specify:

Size Density [ ] Single-sided [ ] Dual-sided

[ ] Magnetic tape. Specify:

Size Density Character set

Hardware required:

Memory required: User training required: [ ] Yes [ ] No

Documentation: [ ] None [ ] Minimal [ ] Self-documenting [ ] Extensive external documentation

Source code available: [ ] Yes [ ] No

Stage of development: [ ] Design complete [ ] Coding complete [ ] Fully operational [ ] Collaboration welcomed

Is program in use? [ ] Yes How long? ______ How many sites? ______ [ ] No

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Is the contributor available for user inquiries: [ ] Yes   [ ] No

Cost of program: ____________________________
Demonstration disk available? [ ] Yes Cost: __________ [ ] No

Description of what software does [maximum 200 words]:

Potential users:

Field/s of interest:

Name of contributor:

Institution:

Address:

Telephone number:

Reference No. [Assigned by Journal Editor]

[The information below is not for publication.]

Would you like to have your program: Reviewed? [ ] Yes [ ] No [ ] Not at this time
Marketed and distributed? [ ] Yes [ ] No [ ] Not at this time

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