



*Super Edit™ Y2K Update  
For VPE Version 8.5B and later*

## Y2K Update Disk Installation

### Introduction

An option to make the VPE series editors Y2K compliant is now available. It is in Version 8.5B and higher.

With this option, both RT-11 and Super Edit now display and use 4 digit years and are fully compliant with BSI DISC PD2000-1 through the year 2099. They are also compliant with ISO 8601:1988 and ANSI X3.30 standards with the exception of date presentation. Both Super Edit and RT-11 present their dates as DD-MMM-YYYY, which is historically correct for this operating system.

This upgrade is valid for VPE-141L, 241, 241L, 151, 251, 331, 341, and 351 editors. For owners of VPE-131, 141, and IPS-100 systems, easy and economical upgrades are available to achieve compliance. DPE-500 series editors are already Y2K compliant.

### Installation

1. Put the Y2K Upgrade Diskette into **DF0**:
2. Go to the RT> prompt (Ctrl+C for Main Menu, left arrow 3x) and type: **BOOT DF0**:
3. When the floppy is done booting, there will be a message that says:

FOR RAMDISK SYSTEMS, TYPE "@SETVM".  
FOR HARD DISK BASED SYSTEMS TYPE "@SETDH".  
  
THEN WAIT FOR THE SYSTEM TO UPDATE.  
IT WILL AUTOMATICALLY RE-BOOT WHEN FINISHED.

If your system is a 141L, 241, or 241L, type: **@SETVM**      press **[ENTER]**  
If your system is a 151, 251, 331, 341, or 351, type: **@SETDH**      press **[ENTER]**

The floppy will perform the update to either the VM: drive or the DH: drive accordingly.

At the conclusion of the update process, the Upgrade Floppy will automatically boot the system drive, and the system will return to the Menu.

4. Go to the RT> prompt (Ctrl+C for Main Menu, left arrow 3x).  
Set the time and date typing the following commands:

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RT> TIME hh:mm:ss press [ENTER] (enter correct time)
RT> DATE dd-mmm-yyyy press [ENTER] (Enter correct date)
RT> SETCLK press [ENTER]
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The above will set the correct Y2K compliant time and date into the hardware clock. Upon the next boot or the next run of a compatible Super Edit, the correct Y2K compliant time and date will be read from the hardware clock and RT-11 will be updated.

To view the correct time and date, the user can use the TIME and/or the DATE commands from the RT> prompt.