

Disk Of the Month #8

This disk contains programs from Volume 3, No. 3 of **ON THREE Magazine**. The very first thing you should do is to make a copy of the Disk Of the Month #8 disk. This disk is double sided so you will need two disks for the copying. Use the System Utilities program for this. After making the copies return here.

The front side of **DOM #8** contains the **CLEANHEADS** program. You can use this program in conjunction with a disk drive cleaning diskette to prolong the life of the cleaning disk. The program will ask you which disk drive (1-4) you want to clean. After typing this number in, type in the track on the disk you wish to use (1-30). Start with track #1, and each time you use the cleaning disk with this program, add 1 to this number. This will have the effect of using more of the cleaning diskette, prolonging the life of the disk.

The **SOS.DRIVER** file is configured for two Disk /// drives. You can use this program in conjunction with Micro-Sci A3, A73 or A143 drives by simply adding those drivers into the **SOS.DRIVER** file. This program uses the Pascal unit numbers for the disk drive #'s. This means that you should only run this program from floppy disk.

The back side of **DOM #8** contains the Directory sorting program. With it, you can change the order that files are listed on your disks. The program will ask you for the device name - subdirectory name (if used) whose directory you would like to sort. It will then display a list of the files and their respective positions in the directory. Pressing **5** will have the program ask you which positions to swap. When finished making your changes, press **n** to write the changes out to disk.

To leave, press **R** (for Restart) and then press **RETURN**.

This program may be moved to a hard disk or other drive by changing line 20 to point to wherever on your disk you have placed the **DIRECTORY.INU** file.

The other program will show you the contents of an Ascii text file. You can either **LOAD .DI/READ.FILE** and **RUN** it, or **EXEC READ.TFILE** into memory and **RUN 63900**.

This program can also be moved to a hard disk or other drive. It requires no modifications to do so.

Full source code is included for all of the programs, so if you want to make changes, it's easy.