HISTORICAL CALENDAR OF WESTERN EUROPE
A.D. 550 to 1970 (A.D. 1 to 2700)

Computer Programs for IBM PC/XT/AT, PS/2 or compatible
(No graphics card needed; monochrome or color monitor

<mark>***Read the Complete Guide for full reference and use***</mark>

Type:
  HC (to run the main calendar program),

  TC (to run a companion program that generates date
      charts of Christian, Jewish, Muslim holidays).

Main Calendar "HC": Summary of Commands

(1) Year Prompt:

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Type:                  Result:
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1 - 2700 <Enter>       Selection of Year A.D.:
                       550 - 1970: full calendar.
                       1 - 549, 1971 - 2700: skeleton of
                         dates/weekdays only.
                       Julian calendar from A.D. 1 to
                         Sept. 1582, Gregorian from Oct. 1582 on.

O [followed by]        Year A.D., "Old Style" (Julian)
  1582 - 2700 <Enter>            calendar from October 1582 on.

1,721,424 -            Julian Day.
  2,707,579 <Enter>

4311 - 6461 <Enter>    Year of the Jewish era of the creation.

M [followed by]        Year of the Muslim era of the Hijra.
  1 - 2143 <Enter>

Q                      Quit the program.

<Esc>                  Return to year/month last selected.
<Enter> only           Program reads machine's clock-calendar
                       and displays the current month of
                       the current year.
T                      Leave the main calendar and switch to
                       the companion program.


                   Windows:

H or F1                Help.
K                      Change selection of the calendar of
                       fixed liturgical days.
L                      Lists (Sunday names, fixed holidays,
                       regnal years of popes, emperors, kings).
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Press <Enter> after typing a number or to get today's date;
no <Enter> in other cases.

(2) Month Prompt:

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Type:               Result:
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1 - 12              Selection of month. (Jan.: <Enter>, or 1 and
                    <Enter> or <Spacebar>, or 01)
E                   Easter month.


                    Windows:

H or F1             Help.
C                   The main chronological cycles of the chosen
                    year; popes, and kings, emperors of Eng-
                    land/France/Holy Roman Empire/Germany
                    (550-1970).
K                   Change selection of the calendar of fixed
                    liturgical days.
L                   Lists, as above prompt (1).
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(3) Display of a Month:

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Type:                   Result:
=====                   =======
1 - 12                  Switch to the respective month (Jan.: 1
                        <Enter> or <Spacebar>, or 01).
E                       Easter month.
<Right Arrow>           Next month.
<Left Arrow>            Previous month.
<Down Arrow>        Next year.
<Up Arrow>              Previous year.
<Page Down>         Forward 100 years.
<Page Up>               Backward 100 years.
<Home>                  New Year Month of calendar on screen:
                        January, Thoth, Vend,miaire, Gaukm nudr,
                        Tishri, Muharram.


X                       From 1582 on: change Gregorian/Julian or vice
                        versa.
S                       Years with two different Easter dates: change
                        from the regular to the special sequence
                        of movable holidays, and vice versa.
+ or F10                From 1971 on: display of the full calendar of
                        movable and fixed days.
- or F9                 Turn off/on display of all holidays.
Q or <Enter>        Return to the "Year" prompt (1).


                        Special screens:


A                       Alexandrian calendar (from 284 on).--Return
                        to the regular screen: A or <Esc>.
D                       Running day numbers; Julian Days; Golden
                        Numbers/Epact cycles.--Return: D or
                        <Esc>.
F                       French Republican calendar (Sept. 1792 to
                        Dec. 1810).--Return: F or <Esc>.
I                       Icelandic calendar (900-1900).--Return: I or
                        <Esc>.
J                       Jewish calendar (from 550 on).--Return: J or
                        <Esc>.
M                       Muslim calendar (from 622 on).--Return: M or
                        <Esc>.
R                       Roman style calendar; day letters A-G; dating
                        style of the Consuetudo Bononiensis;
                        Latin weekday names.--Return: R or <Esc>.


                         Windows:


H or F1                 Help; explanation of symbols.
C                       Main chronological cycles of the chosen year,
                        as above, prompt (2).
K                       Change calendar of fixed liturgical days.
L                       Lists, as above, prompt (1).
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