graphiCAL file transfer program

the **graphiCAL** calculator gives you the possibility to transfer the program memory (PROG_RAM) to an external computer or to download a program from there.



The part marked in green is graphiCAL. The arrow marked with burgundy represents a USB-A 2.0 to USB-C 3.0 cable. The block marked in blue represents the PC loaded with the terminal program. A terminal program can be, for example, TeraTerm.

The TeraTerm program is a free downloadable application. (I use version 4.74.) The necessary settings can be made in the Setup menu.

Terminal Setup: Terminal Size: 120 * 80

Receive : CR + LF Transmit : CR Terminal ID: VT100

Window In the window setting, the colors , the shape of the "cursor", etc. can be determined. Everyone can set this according to their own taste.

Font Setup: Font: Fixedsys

Font Style : Regular Font Size : 9

Script: Central European

Serial Port Port: the number of the previously selected Port.

Baud-rate: The value set in the PIC must be entered: 115200

Data: 8 bits

Parity: none (no parity check)

Stop: 1 bit

Flow Control: none (we use no control signals)

The file transfer can be started from the Menu:

After pressing the MNU key, use the navigation dial to select the File transfer line and validate it by pressing the dial.



File transfer
File send: STO
File rec.: RCL
Exit: CLx

If it is not connected to the PC, this inscription is displayed and:

No PC connection

On the PC screen File transfer from/to PC can be read.

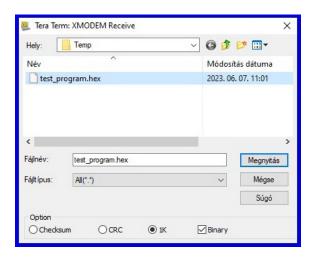
File sending can be initiated with the STO key (STO: STOrage , storage), and reception with the RCL key (RCL: ReCall , recall).

Send file : After pressing the STO key, the following text appears:

Send the program to PC. Follow the instructions on the screen!

At the same time, we can read this on the screen:

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Step 1: Tera-Term -> File -> Transfer -> XMODEM -> Receive ...
Step 2: Select an old or enter a new file name.
Step 3: Click on the 1K option
Step 4: Change the extension into hex or HEX
Step 5: Click on the OPEN (Megnyitás)
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When starting the file transfer, in the **Location (Hely):** window , **teraterm** subdirectory is displayed. I created it in **C**:\Temp I usually use a subdirectory. It is easier to find the necessary file here. It is important that the **1K** option is turned on! Then just click the Open button. Uploading the file takes **1** second. After successful upload, the screen reads:

All data are sent.

The reception of the file can be started by pressing the RCL key .

Receive a prgm. from PC. Follow the instructions on the screen!

Instructions on the PC monitor screen:

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Step 1: Tera-Term -> File -> Transfer -> XMODEM -> Send ...
Step 2: Select the file to be transferred .
Step 3: Click on the 1K option!
Step 4: Click on the OPEN (Megnyitás)
Step 5: Push the ENTER button on the graphiCAL, to start the transmission.
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It is important that the 1K option is turned on!

The download of the program does not start automatically. Here you have to press on **graphiCAL ENTER** the key . Downloading the file also takes 1 second.

After a successful download, the text displayed on the screen:

Program has been received.

Very rarely, a transmission error may occur. In this case, the error message: Time is over! (timeout). If other errors occur and graphiCAL does not respond to any keys, you must wait until the Watchdog circuit stops the calculator. This time is 524 seconds (almost 9 minutes). The reason why the time is so long is because while editing the program, do not switch it off at too short intervals. When graphiCAL is in non-editing mode, it switches off after 2 minutes. (In this case, the Watchdog circuit does not stop the machine.)