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- \* ATTENTION: \*
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- \* MS Windows NT 3.51 due to OS kernel "inconsistencies" may cause problems \*
- \* with the Test System and VXI Catalog program. If you start the Acrobat \*
- \* Reader before running the catalog program, menu items will work correctly. \*
- \* A Catalog Help icon is available in the 3.51 Windows group for further \*
- \* information. All other MS Window systems are fully operational. \*

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### SYSTEM REQUIREMENTS

System requirements for the HP BASIC Evaluation software, HP VEE Evaluation Software are found in their sub-directories (\hpbasic, \hpvee16, \hpvee32). The system requirements to access the HP Source CD Electronic Catalog:

Microprocessor:  
Minimum: 80486, 33 MHz or faster

**RAM:**

Minimum: 12 MB

Recommended: 16 MB

**Operating System:**

Microsoft Windows(tm) 3.1 or later

**Display:**

Minimum: Super VGA Monitor with 64K colors

(use 800 x 600 resolutions setting)

**Mass Storage**

Hard disk drive with at least 6 MB of free disk space

**CD-ROM:**

Double Speed CD-ROM drive or faster.

**RECOMMENDED DISPLAY/MONITOR RESOLUTION**

Many of the HP Source CD-ROM applications are optimized for a screen resolutions of 800 X 600 capable of displaying 64K (or 16-bit) or better colors.

**CHANGING YOUR DISPLAY RESOLUTION**

NOTE: PCs with graphics accelerators generally provide their own utilities for modifying display resolution. Additionally a display utility can usually be found within the Main program group (refer to your graphics accelerator documentation for more information). Use this utility in place of the following steps to set the display resolution to 800 X 600 with 64K (16-bit) or better colors.

To modify your display adapter for correct resolution from within Windows-->

1. Open the Main group within the Windows Program Manager (double click on the Main icon to open this group).
2. In the Main group, choose the Windows Setup icon. The Windows Setup dialog box appears, listing the current hardware settings.

3. From the Options menu, choose Change System Settings.
4. Open the list for the Display device and select a display driver that supports 800 x 600 resolution with 64K colors.
5. Choose the OK button. A dialog box appears that contains a Restart Windows button and/or a Reboot button.
6. If the Reboot button appears, make sure there are no disks in any drive, and then choose the Reboot button. Your system will then restart. You will need to restart Windows if this task is not automated in your autoexec.bat. If no reboot button appears, choose the Restart Windows button.

#### MEMORY CONSIDERATIONS FOR WINDOWS

If you have only a minimum amount of RAM (less than 12 MB), set up a 6 MB or larger permanent swap file to improve performance.

To change swap-file settings to control virtual memory:

1. Choose the 386 Enhanced icon from the Control Panel. The 386 Enhanced dialog box appears.
2. Click Virtual Memory. The Virtual Memory dialog box displays your current settings.
3. Click Change, and edit your settings. Press Help or F1 for on-line help.
4. Click OK, and confirm that you want to change virtual memory.
5. Restart Windows.

#### INSTALLATION

Execute the following command

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<cd_rom_drive>:\setup.exe
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to enter the global installation routine for this CD-ROM.

## RECOMMENDED PROCEDURE FOR HP VXI CATALOG

To access the HP Source CD Electronic catalog, simply double click on the HP Test System & VXI Catalog icon.

Please register your HP Source CD so we can send future updates to you.

Have fun and enjoy!

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