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Below is a simple session of logging on The PEGASUS PROJECT BBS, getting to the main menu, Downloading a file, then Logging off.

It is presented here to give first time users an idea of what they will see, and how PEGASUS ONLINE(tm) simplifies the process by reducing most commands to a Button Click.

Again, this is a SIMPLIFIED session for references only!

Explanations will appear in this type and color, with Button names encased in brackets: <BUTTON_NAME>.

Actual Input from the BBS will appear indented and is this type and color.

The first time you run PEGASUS ONLINE(tm) you will be required to answer a number of questions, to configure the program for proper operation. After that, when you begin the program you will be presented with the Opening Display Screen, then, when you click <Continue> you will find yourself in the program ready to go.

The first button you click is the <DIAL> Button. This will call The PEGASUS PROJECT BBS and prepare you for login.

Once Connected, you will see the following screen:

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The PEGASUS PROJECT...the Next GeneratioN
PCBoard (R) v15.2/10 - Node 10
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Operational Languages Available:
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- 1 - PCBoard [Default]
- 2 - Novice Mode
- 3 - French
- 4 - Spanish
- 5 - Canadian 'eh
- 6 - Portuguese
- 7 - Swedish
- 8 - Auzzie 'gday
- 9 - Three Stoogies
- 10 - Jive
- 11 - Governmentese
- 12 - Star Trek
- 13 - Southern Drawl
- 14 - Adult [OFFENSIVE!]
- 15 - Arnold Schwarzeneger
- 16 - Abusive *CAUTION*
- 17 - VIOLATOR! <-AWESOME!
- 18 - Hillbilly Clinton
- 19 - Bart Simpson

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Enter Language # to use (Enter)=no change?
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The Response to this question is to either select one of the languages by number and, using the KEYBOARD, enter that number at the

prompt...OR...simply click the <ENTER> button to select the default language. IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT YOU CLICK THE <ENTER> BUTTON FOR YOUR FIRST SESSION, AS SOME OF THE COMMANDS IN DIFFERENT LANGUAGES CAN BE A BIT CONFUSING AT FIRST!!!!

Next, you will be displayed the following:

Testing your system capability...

Do you want graphics (Enter)=yes? ()

Depending on your systems capability, (that is if you can display ANSI graphics & colors)

you answer this question by clicking the <YES> Button or the <NO> button. Most frequently, the <YES> Button is used to conduct your session in all of the splendid colors found at The PEGASUS PROJECT BBS.

The PEGASUS PROJECT BBS opening greeting screen will be displayed, and, at the bottom of the screen you will see the following prompt:

What is your first name?

Here you click the <LOGIN> Button, and your name and Password will be sent for verification.

Note to First Time Callers:

IF YOU HAVE NEVER LOGGED INTO The PEGASUS PROJECT BBS before, you will be asked if this is your name, to which you click the <CONTINUE> Button, then answer the questions that follow, including TYPING in your password (do not click any buttons during the registration process). READ ALL OF THE INFORMATION DISPLAYED TO YOU CAREFULLY, AND ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS ACCURATELY...THIS IS YOUR PERMANENT REGISTRATION RECORD AND MUST BE ACCURATE!!! When asked for a Transfer Protocol, select <Z>modem. Once registered, this process will be bypassed on all future logins.

REGISTRATION TO THE PEGASUS PROJECT BBS IS FREE AND YOU ARE NOT REQUIRED TO PAY ANY FEES FOR THE USE OF THIS BOARD. WE DO HAVE VARIOUS DONATING MEMBER ACCESS LEVELS, WHICH WILL BE EXPLAINED TO YOU LATER, BUT YOU CAN MAINTAIN A FREE LEVEL INDEFINITELY IF YOU CHOOSE.

Now you will see the news and information screens. The number and content of these screens vary depending on what has changed since your last login. This is also the place where PEGASUS SOFTWARE advertises it's new products giving you a chance to order, download demos or view the data sheet about the product. In any event the next few screens you see will end in either:

Press enter to continue...

To which you would click the <ENTER> Button, or:

Would you like to see the QWKTALK Information Screen <Y>es <N>o? (Y)

To which you would click either the <YES> Button or the <NO> Button, or:

(D)ownload Now * (F)lag for D/L later * (O)rder NOW * (C)ontinue? (C)

To which you would either click the <CONTINUE> Button, or make the appropriate selection if you wish to Download the Demo, or Order the Product.

You will also encounter the PEGASUS ONLINE ORDER screen which will give you a number of selections. If at this time you do not have a reason to enter the ONLINE ORDER area, just click the <ENTER> button when you see the following prompt:

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Enter Selection NUMBER? (6)

You will now see a security screen with some information about your current level, followed with information about upgrading your level if you choose.

All this will be followed by the following prompt:

Scanning for new bulletins...

If you have mail waiting, you will then see the following:

John, you have new mail waiting in the following conference(s):
US GAMES (3) Conference ...

Read the menu that follows carefully and choose the appropriate answer...(If you are not going to download a mail packet, the appropriate answer is ALWAYS: NO).

Next you will see the following prompt:

Scan Message Base Since 'Last Read' (Enter)=yes?

If you wish to scan the message base to see all of your selected conferences and how much mail is in them, click the <YES> Button at this prompt, Otherwise, click the <NO> Button here (we have Hundreds of messages bases, and scanning them can take a while).

Now The PEGASUS PROJECT BBS will display some statistical information to you in the following format:

Caller Num.: 48,312
Lst Date On: 10-17-94
Expire Date: None
Times On : 436
Page Length: 23
Expert Mode: On
Security Lv: 50
Downloads: 29
Uploads : 214
Bytes Avail: 1,024,000
L/Msg. Read: 7,068
High Msg. #: 10,059
Active Msgs: 791
Tr/Protocol: Zmodem (Batch U/L & D/L) <-FASTEST

Followed by the Main Menu which will end in the following line:

(31 min. left) Main Board Command, John?

This is called a COMMAND PROMPT and MOST of the Buttons you will click from this point on will need to be clicked at the COMMAND PROMPT.

For the purpose of this demonstration, we are going to Download a file called: PEGASUS.ZIP which is a listing of all of the GENERAL & GAMES files available to you for download here at The PEGASUS PROJECT BBS.

To do this we will click the <FILES> Button at the COMMAND PROMPT.

Two additional buttons will appear, we will click the <DIRECTORY> Button, and a list of all of the MAIN BOARD AREA directories will be displayed. Note the many diversified subjects we have files available on. With over 45,000 files online, anything you can be looking for is probably here! (Games files and Adult files are located in the GAMES & ADULT AREAS respectively).

For this demonstration, we need to list the files in the RECENT UPLOAD DIRECTORY which is number 94. Using the KEYBOARD, we will type 94 at the prompt.

A listing of all of the files contained in the RECENT UPLOAD'S DIRECTORY will now be displayed. As the screen fills, you will see the following prompt:

(31 min left), (H)elp, (V)iew, (SPACE)=Mark, More?

If the file you are looking for (in this demonstration we are looking for PEGASUS.ZIP), DOES NOT appear in on the screen, click the <ENTER> Button for the next screen. When it DOES appear, click the <SPACE> Button, until the file you want is highlighted. Then click the <ENTER> button. This FLAGS the file and marks it for download. If we wanted to flag other files, we would continue this process using the <SPACE> and <ENTER> Buttons to highlight and select the files we want.

In this case we only want the one, so, we will click the <N> Button at the above prompt AFTER we have flagged the PEGASUS.ZIP file.

The next prompt you see will be:

(H)elp, (1-94), File List Command?

This prompt gives you the chance to list the files in another directory, if you choose, but in this case, we do not need to do that, so, we can click the <NO> Button once again.

Now we will see the COMMAND PROMPT at the end of the MAIN MENU. once again:

(31 min. left) Main Board Command, John?

Here we will click the <DOWNLOAD> Button.

Upon doing so, we will see The PEGASUS PROJECT BBS's Download Screen, with our file listed as ready to download. We are given the opportunity to add files, by name to this list, but since in this case we do not need to, we can just click

the <ENTER> Button.

Doing this will display the following information:

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Batch Download Size: 1151031 bytes (1125 blocks)
Batch Protocol Type: Zmodem          (Batch U/L & D/L) <-FASTEST
(Ready to Send in Batch Mode)
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(A)bort, (E)dit, (G)oodbye, (L)ist, (P)rotocol, (Enter)=continue? ( )
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Allowing us one last chance to change things. Since we do not want to change anything at this time, we can click the <ENTER> Button which will display the following:

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(A)bort, (E)dit, (G)oodbye, (L)ist, (P)rotocol, (Enter)=continue? ( )
Sending File(s) - Start your download ...
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Upon seeing the words "Start your download", we click the <BEGIN DOWNLOAD> Button.

PEGASUS ONLINE(tm) will display a PROTOCOL VERIFICATION screen. Make sure that ZMODEM is selected, then click <OK>.

The transfer will commence automatically, and the file will be placed into the directory you specified in Personal Options as your Download Directory.

One of the many wonderful features of PEGASUS ONLINE(tm) is her ability to transfer files in the background. This means that while this file is being transferred, you can MINIMIZE Pegasus Online(tm) by clicking the UPPERMOST control tab (minus sign in the upper left corner), and selecting MINIMIZE. The POL icon will appear at the bottom of your screen and you will be free to engage in other windows activities (even drop to DOS) while the file is being transferred. When PEGASUS ONLINE(tm) has fully received the file, a tone will repeat five times letting you know that the transfer is done. You can now re-enter PEGASUS ONLINE(tm) and continue your session.

In this demonstration, we are going to log off now, having gotten the file we wanted. To do this, we will click the <LOGOFF> Button at the COMMAND PROMPT. PEGASUS ONLINE(tm) will say "BYE" and disconnect you from The PEGASUS PROJECT BBS.

This ends this demonstration. Please read the notes below:

The above senario is intended to guide a new user through a simple login-download-logoff procedure. The PEGASUS PROJECT BBS and her communication program: PEGASUS ONLINE(tm) have so very much more to offer. Read the HELP file in your PEGASUS ONLINE group, or while in the Program for more detailed information including a complete explanation of the other 70 or so Buttons available to you while online.

Here are a couple of "rules" to keep in mind:

MOST BUTTONS MUST BE USED FROM A COMMAND PROMPT. If you cannot get a command prompt to appear, try clicking the <ENTER> Button or the <CANCEL> Button or the <ABORT> Button. This will usually get you back to a command prompt where you can then use the appropriate button for your

intended action.

THE <LOGOFF> Button is the only appropriate way to exit The PEGASUS PROJECT BBS.

WHEN YOU REGISTER, answer the questions honestly and accurately. Use your REAL NAME. An alias can be selected during your registration, and used in the areas we have that allow aliases. All callers are verified, and with the sophisticated security system in place at The PEGASUS PROJECT BBS, multiple logins and fake names are detected, and the offender's phone number is added to our lock-out list, never to be permitted entry again. We do not have a lot of rules at The PEGASUS PROJECT BBS, but accurate registration is one of them. Respect our system and it will provide you with years of pleasurable service, access to the Internet, and thousands of state of the art files, most of them available to our users before anyone else gets them!

ENJOY THE PEGASUS PROJECT BBS, AND PEGASUS ONLINE(tm)!!!

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