BYTESAVER

ASSEMBLY MANUAL



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The Cromemco Bytesaver kit can be assembled in about one evening. All components are mounted on the component side of the pc board (the side with the printed legend) and soldered on the opposite side. Be sure to use high-quality rosin core solder for the assembly and a fine-tipped low wattage soldering iron.

- () Solder in position the 10 14-pin IC sockets, the 6 16-pin IC sockets, and 8 24-pin IC sockets.
- () Solder in position the $\frac{1}{4}$ watt resistors:

47K R1 yellow-violet-orange R2 1 OK brown-black-orange R3 180 brown-gray-brown R4 brown-black-red 1K R5 9.1K white-brown-red R6 1.5K brown-green-red R7 1K brown-black-red **R8** 47 yellow-violet-black R9 1K brown-black-red R10 10 brown-black-black 5.6K green-blue-red 5.6K green-blue-red R11 R12 R13 1 OK brown-black-orange R14 5.6K green-blue-red 180 R15 brown-gray-brown R16-R39 18K brown-gray-orange

() Next install the 1N914 diodes. <u>NOTE</u> we recommend that no diode be installed in the diode position just below transistor QO. When using the Bytesaver we recommend that the PROM containing the Bytemover software be inserted in PROM position zero. By not installing this diode there will be no chance of accidentally programming this PROM.

When installing the diodes be careful to orient them properly, noting the position of the cathode (banded) end. Due to the close spacing of the holes in the pc board, the diodes should be mounted on end.

- () Now install the 23 capacitors as shown on the pc board. Be careful that the electrolytic capacitors are oriented with the positive (+) end as shown.
- () Now solder the transistors in place taking care to orient them properly. Note that Q8 and Q9 are 2N3906 transistors, and Q10 is a type MPS6560. All other transistors are type 2N3904.
- () Install the pc board switch, SW1, in the upper left corner of the board.