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# **CLARION TECHNICAL BULLETIN**

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## **Measuring Clarion File Performance**

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### **Overview**

Clarion file access provides the most sophisticated methods and optimization techniques for doing file I/O that can be found on microcomputers today. One of Clarion's design goals is to give you complete control over system resources and allow you to make trade-off decisions about data integrity and file performance.

When measuring Clarion file performance and comparing it to other file access methods, it is important to understand how Clarion file access is accomplished and what effect default conditions have on performance. Matching these conditions and defaults to other access methods is the only way to provide a true comparison.