Papourware Condensed

or

Persistently Pursuing a Vision with Transient Aid

or

Proof that 7 500 000 000 Are Little

Presentation at the Allschwil Meeting 2022 Walter Bonin

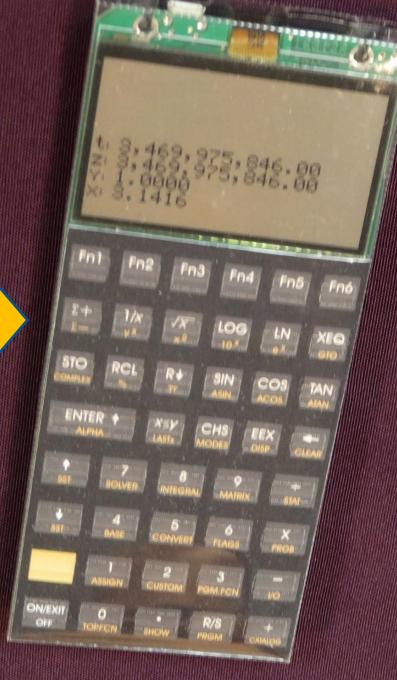




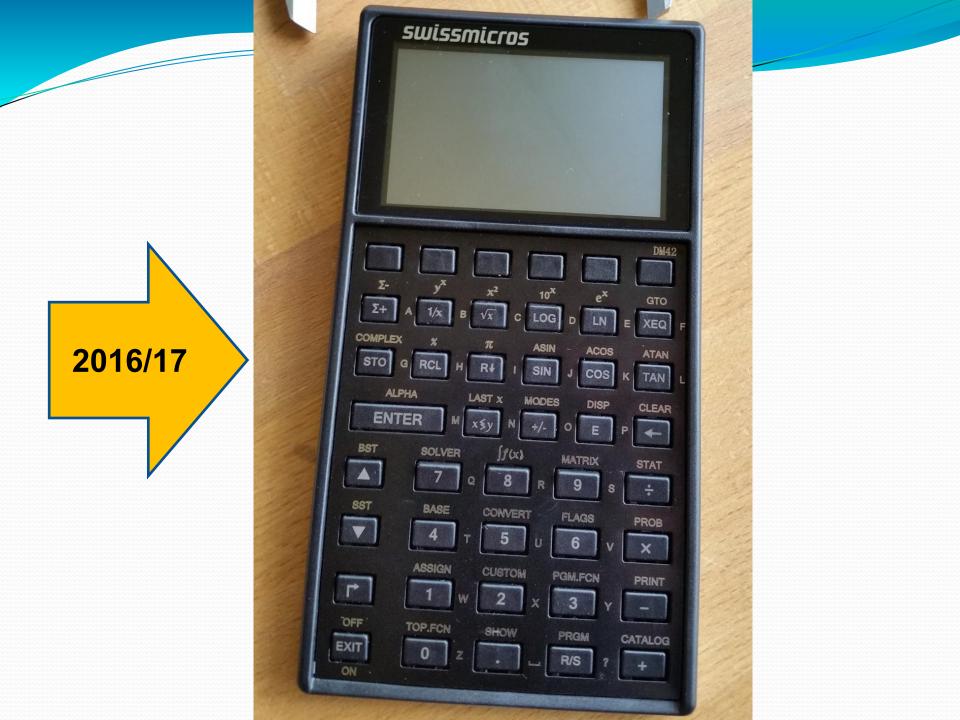


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A Mylar Reptile. Design by Eric Smith & Richard Ottosen, picture by Jake Schwartz at HHC 2015



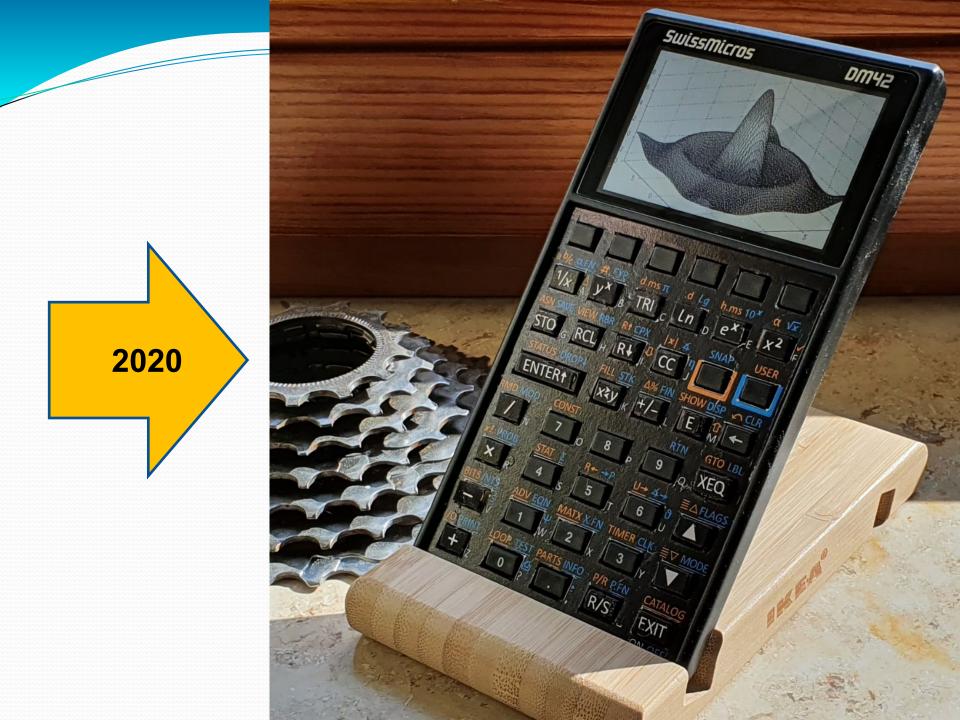
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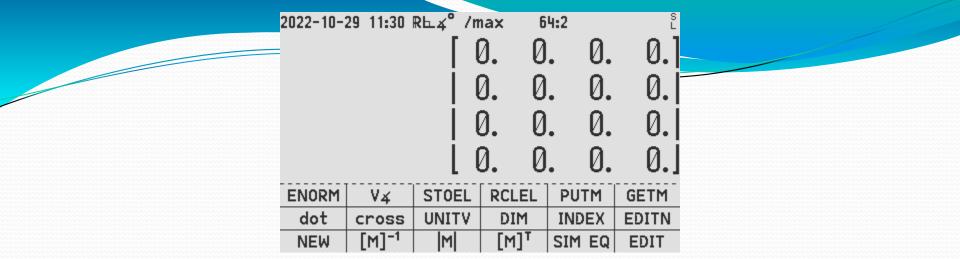
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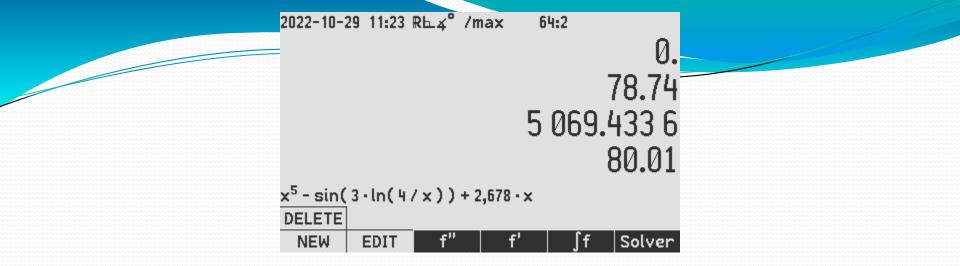
WP43 = WP 34S but no display limitations anymore,
plus

- ✓ 1st calculator with *direct access to up to 18 softkeys* at once
- ✓ Extended matrix operations incl. Matrix Editor
- ✓ Operations on *equations* incl. full fledge *Equation Editor*
- ✓ Assessing curve fits by plots and computed parameter errors
- ✓ Supporting *frequency histograms*
- ✓ First calculator supporting *measuring system analysis (MSA)*

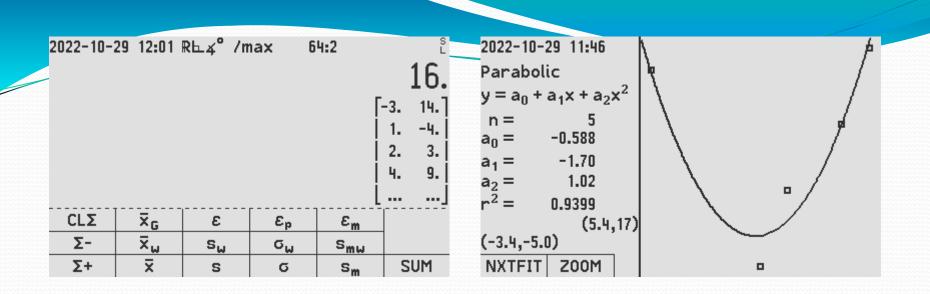


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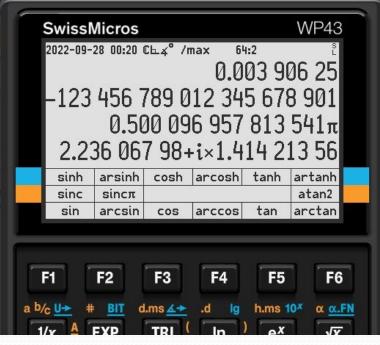
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✓ Operations on *equations* incl. full fledge *Equation Editor*



✓ Assessing curve fits by plots and computed parameter errors



WP 34S plus

- ✓ State-of-the-art display !
- ✓ Real keys (no stickers)
- ✓ Lasting hardware supply (by SwissMicros instead of HP)
- ✓ Rugged stainless steel design
- ✓ Standard USB-B interface
- You can customise your keyboard layout by ASSIGNing for *user mode*
- ✓ Hardware provisions for overlays



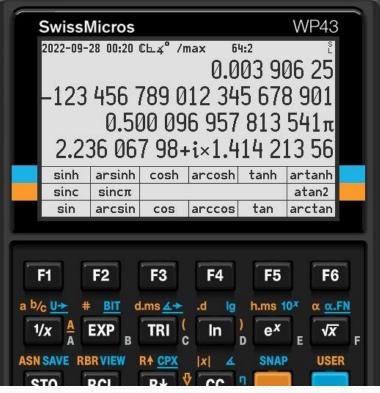
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plus

- ✓ Permanent 34-digit precision (≥ 39 digits under the hood)
- ✓ Data types:
 - ✓ **Real numbers** up to $\pm 10^{6145}$ (smaller limits can be set)
 - ✓ Infinite integers up to $\pm 10^{1001}$
 - ✓ Finite integers up to $\pm 2^{64}$ (i.e. 64 bits)
 - ✓ Complex numbers
 - ✓ Strings of up to 196 characters
 - ✓ Matrices as many and big as memory allows
 - ✓ Dates and times

How to feed your WP43

Input	Display	Meaning	
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- ✓ 88 functions accessible by \leq 2 keystrokes
- ✓ 251 functions accessible by \leq 3 keystrokes
- ✓ Some 680 functions in total
- \checkmark ≤ 1000 user defined variables, each can contain any object
- ✓ Up to 10 000 steps addressable per program 32 local flags and ≤ 100 local registers can be dedicated to each routine
- ✓ Store and recall calculator configurations
- ✓ Battery-fail-safe on-board backup in flash memory

And your choice of 4 or 8 stack registers,



... of course, as with *WP 34S* and *WP 31S* since 2011.

Enjoy !

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- Finally, we have won the marathon against THE BOOK, q.e.d.!
- $_{\odot}$ What is not implemented yet but will come soon:
 - DELITM
 - READP and WRITEP
 - Printing via IR
- What will come a bit later:
 - PCB upgrade by *SwissMicros* in parallel to *DM32*

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Thanks for your attention!

Questions? Criticism? Wishes?