

MAZETALK ADVENTURES

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Adventure 7: Number Monsters

Example of Using the "For . . . times do" Command (with a #12 Number Monster).

1 Have Mazie collect cookies, then move her to the monster (until object).

2 Repeat
Move east
Until object
♦ End

Quit
Verb
Repeat until
If object then
♦ For . . . times do

3 Repeat
Move east
Until object
♦ For 02 times do
Endfor
End

Quit
♦ Increase number*
Decrease number*

* Each time you press RETURN the number increases or decreases by 1.

4 Repeat
Move east
Until object
♦ For 12 times do
Endfor
End

Quit
♦ Verb
Repeat until
If object then
For . . . times do

5 Repeat
Move east
Until object
For 12 times do
♦ Endfor
End

Move north
Move south
Move east
Move west
Get object
Throw water
Give banana
♦ Toss cookie

6 Repeat
Move east
Until object
For 12 times do
♦ Toss cookie
Endfor
End

♦ Quit
Verb
Repeat until
If object then
For . . . times do

You can also nest these commands:

Repeat
Move east
If object then
For 12 times do
Toss cookie
Endfor
Endif
Until wall

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Adventure 8: Many Monsters

Example of How to Write a Procedure

A procedure is a set of instructions that may be repeated. The procedure in the example instructs Mazie to get an object while moving east.

1

- Program
- Begin
- ◆ End

- Quit
- Write new program
- ◆ Add procedure
- Insert before line
- Delete current line
- Change current line
- Disk commands

2

- Program
- Begin
- ◆ End

- PROCEDURE NAME:
EASTOB

You enter a name for your procedure. Then you enter commands for a procedure in the same way you enter commands for the main program.

3

- Procedure EASTOB
- Begin
- ◆ Endproc
- Program
- Begin
- End

- Quit
- Write new program
- Add procedure
- ◆ Insert before line
- Delete current line
- Change current line
- Disk commands

4

- Procedure EASTOB
- Begin
- Repeat
- Move east
- Until object
- Get object
- ◆ Endproc
- Program
- Begin
- End

- Quit
- Verb
- Repeat until
- If object then
- For . . . times do
- Call procedure

procedure

main program

5 To use your procedure in the main program choose Call procedure. After you enter the procedure name, it appears in the program like this:

- Program
- Begin
- Repeat
- Move south
- Until wall
- ◆ EASTOB

How many different procedures can you write?