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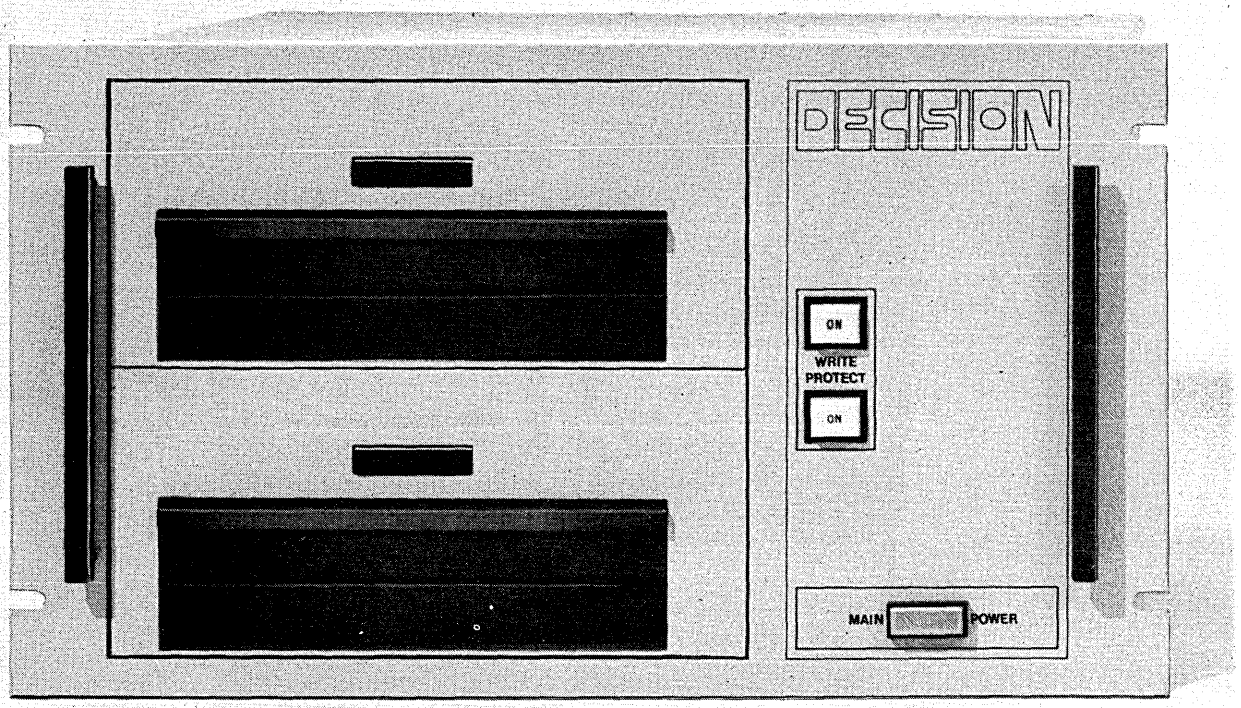

We've just made our biggest and best decision yet.

To become a subsidiary of Ball Corporation—a large, highly diversified company with operating divisions in petroleum, technical, industrial, chemical, container, plastics, rubber and aircraft—as well as computer—products.

There are going to be a lot of differences.

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The big differences.

We'll continue to make mini-computer controllers unlike anybody else—all on a single board, for example, so they'll fit in a single 1/0 slot and require no external formatters or adapters. And we'll continue to make them for all sized disk drives as well as for both NRZI and PE tape drives.

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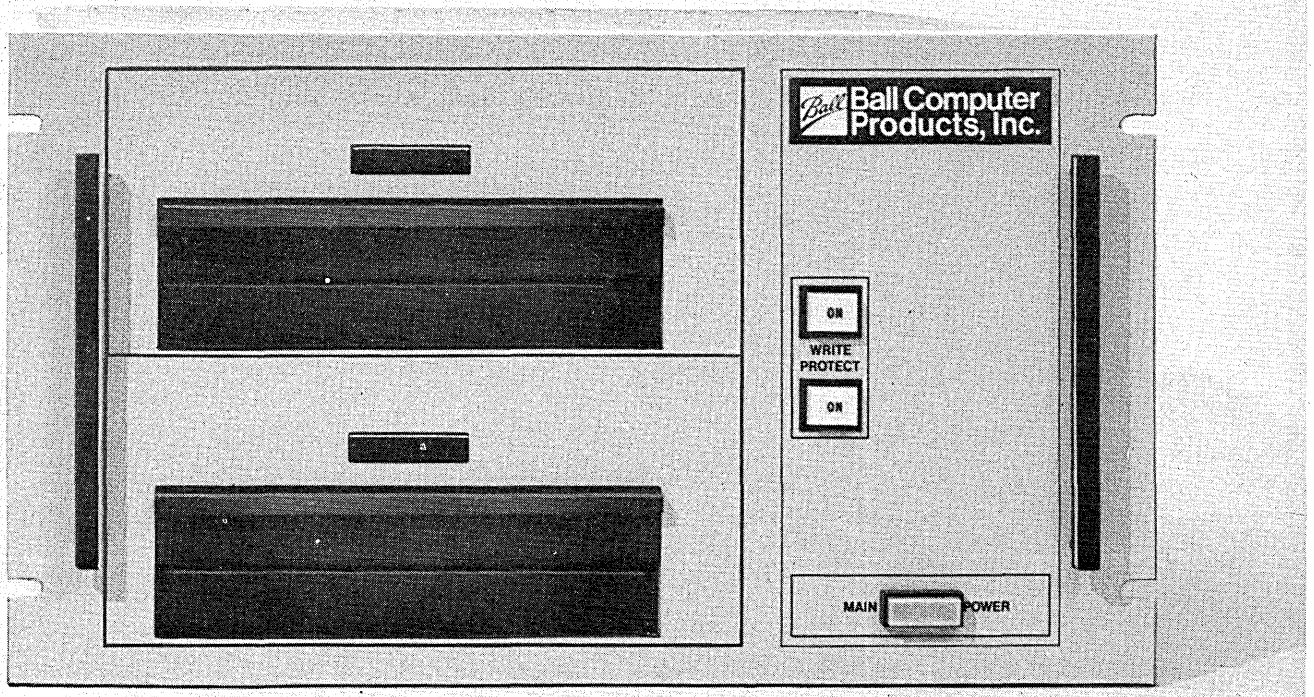

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