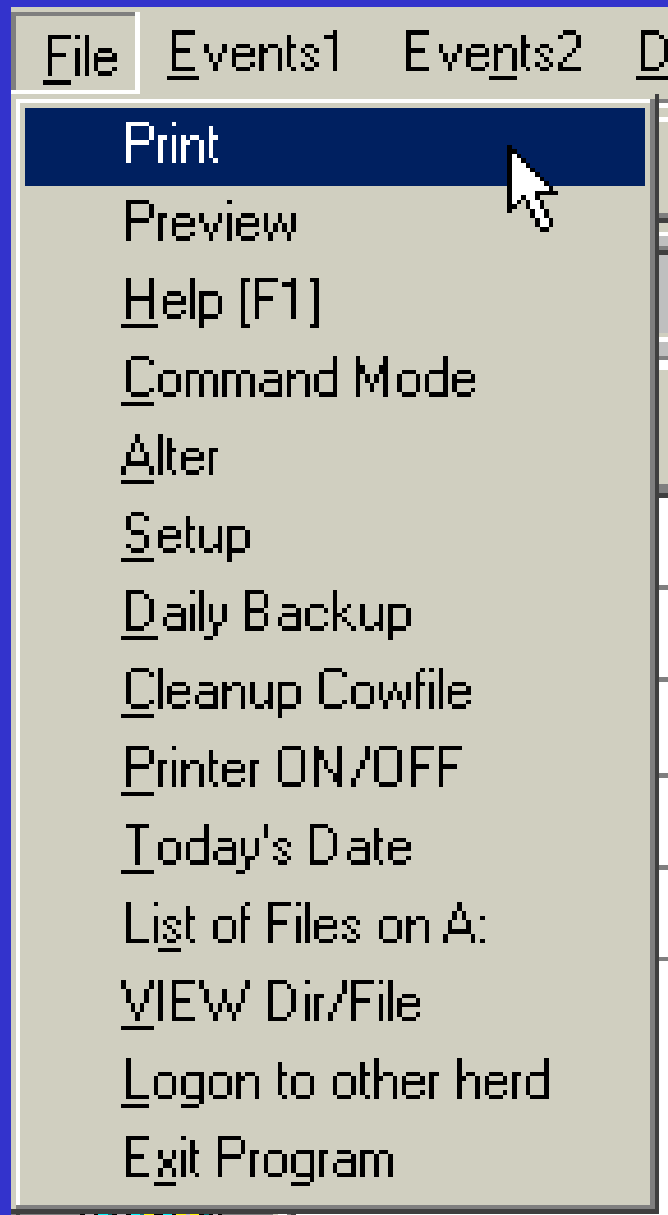


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File and Help

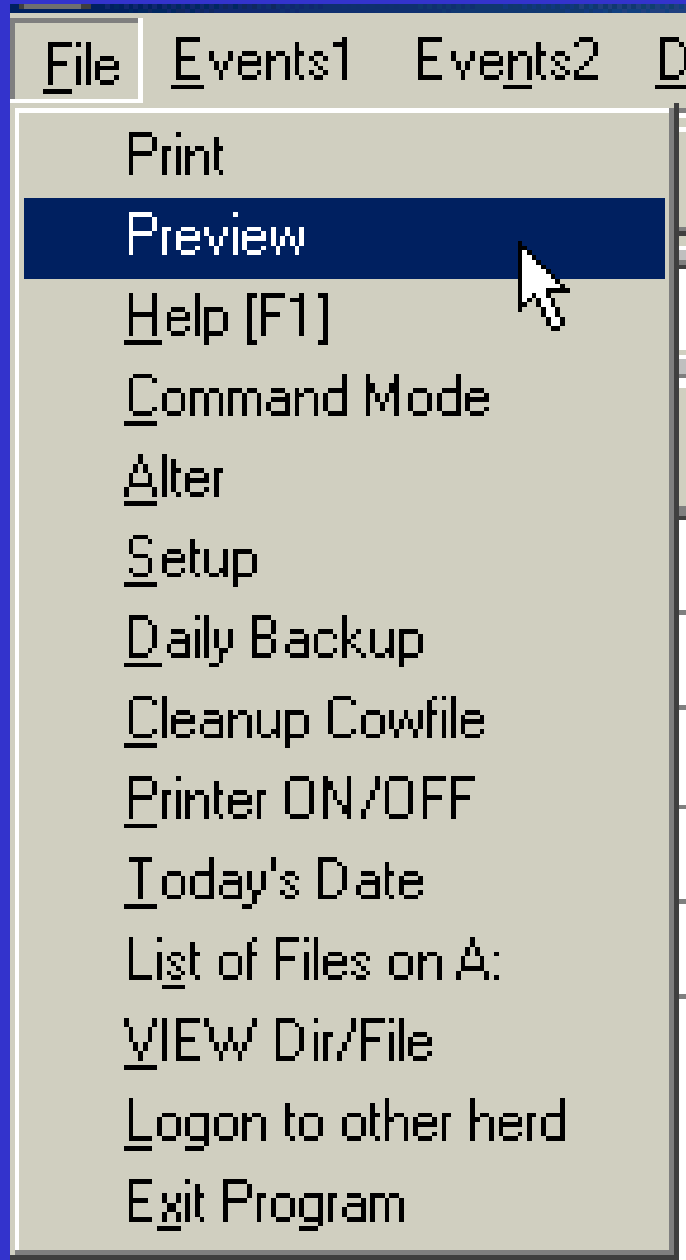
File- Print

- **This will allow you to print the current screen. This may allow you to capture information as it appears on the screen even if there is no report for it.**



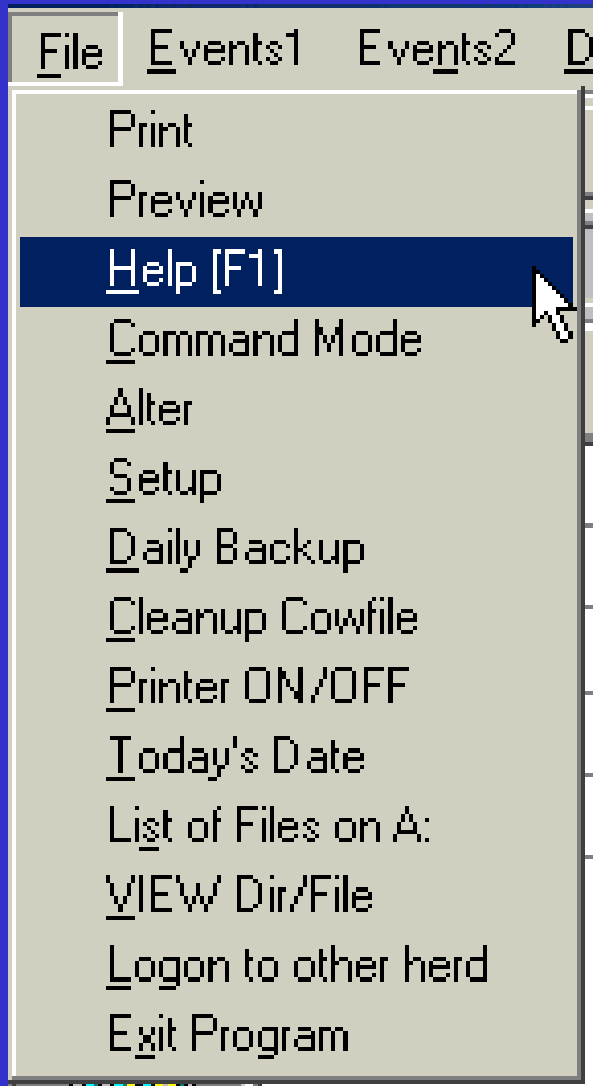
Print Previewer

- Shows a preview (a sneak peak) before printing.

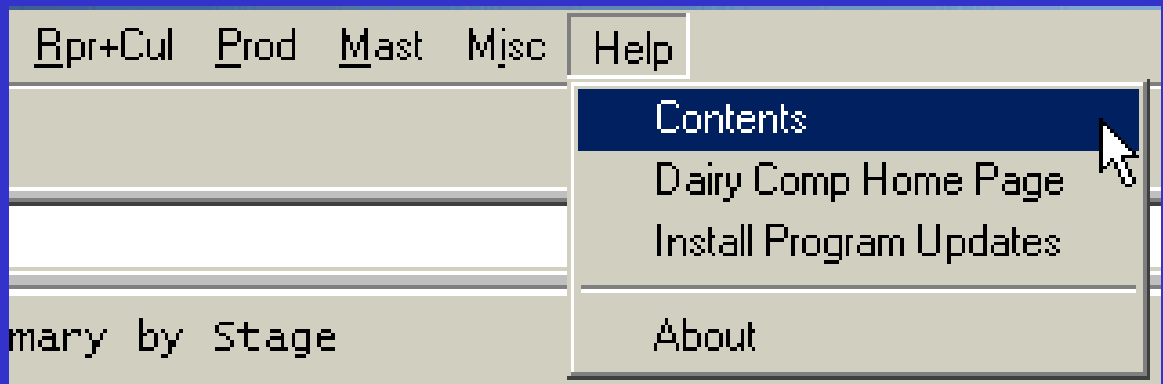


Help (F1)

- **Help displays the online help manual options. You can choose the topic of your choice. This is the same as pressing the F1 key (in the upper left corner of your keyboard) anywhere in the menus.**
- **After you've received the information you need press the escape key to exit the help menu.**



Or:


















Help Topics: Dairy Comp Windows Help



Contents Index Find

Click a book, and then click Open. Or click another tab, such as Index.

-  Getting Started with Dairy Comp 305
-  Cowcards
-  Customizing Dairy Comp 305
-  Entering Information
-  Entering/Editing Specific Events
-  Milkweights/Sample Results, RECEIVE
-  Modems
-  Sires and Semen
-  Vet List
-  Vet Results
-  Writing reports
-  Advanced Commands
-  Advanced Items
-  Loading herds if you are a consultant user
-  Troubleshooting and Maintenance

Open

Print...

Cancel

Help Menu

- **Contents**
 - Help file contents is a place to go if you want direction on the program (Contents) if you have questions on where to find something (Index and Find). Type in a topic and information will be pulled up for you to view.
- **DairyComp Home Page**
 - Runs your browser and connects to VAS (Valley Ag. Software) home page.

Help Menu

- **Install Program updates**
 - Installs any program updates downloaded from our web page. It is important to keep your program updated so that you will have the most up to date calculations that are available for your herd.
- **About**
 - Displays information the version and information on the program installed on your computer.

About Dairy Comp



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OK

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Serial # UNREGISTERED

Registered to UNREGISTERED

Options:

BETA : N

HLOCK: N

DCCON: N

SCOUT: N

DMILK: Y

Command Mode

- **Mode\C** drops you to the “command mode” in DairyCOMP305.
- To return to the pulldown menus, press F10 function key (upper right part of the keyboard).
- You can also get to command mode from anywhere in the menus by pressing “Alt - C”.





Alter

Alter leads to the ALTER submenu in DairyCOMP305, the area of the program that allows you to customize reports, add items, define the vet list, add events, etc. (Only available in DC 305)

File Events1 Events2 D

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Alter options

- 1 Quit Alter
- 2 Items**
- 3 Commands
- 4 Pens definitions
- 5 Veterinary list
- 6 Schedule Tasks
- 7 Protocols
- 8 Sire list
- 9 User-defined events
- A Cow card pages
- B Define Dairy Name, HerdID, etc
- C Fresh event items
- D Phone and Modem
- E Breeding and Technicians

Setup or Program Setup

- **Setup leads to a second menu with choices allowing you to change hardware items such as type of printer, screen colors, etc. as well as drive and directory choices and options.**

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SETUP [] [] [X]

Printer | Parameters | Codes | Menu | Preferences

Print Enabled Printer Setup

Print Capture File

Normal Print Font Teltype 12

Compressed Print Font Teltype 8

Test Printer

OK Cancel

Daily Backup

- This very important choice will put a “zipped” (compressed) copy of all the information in your Scout and DC 305 cowfile onto a floppy disk for safe-keeping.
- Perform at least daily; can also be done when exiting.
- This is a recommended daily task after entering information, unless you have time to burn.

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- ...
- ...

MS-DOS DC_BATCH

Auto

This will create a compressed copy of the cowfile on a floppy.
Please insert a formatted floppy disk into drive a:
Press any key to continue . . .

Clean up cowfile

- This allows you to delete dead cows and generally purge and clean cow files.
- Again caution should be used if you are performing this task, because once deleted these cows are gone.

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CLEANUP : C:\DC\COWFILE5.DAT

Last CLEANUP 10/15/97

Total Records	1036	To Be Deleted	0
Active	300	May Be Archived	391
Inactive	146	Available (Free)	199

Settings

BAK File drive

Alternate BAK File drive

Default ARC File drive

ARC File Size

Dead Cow records

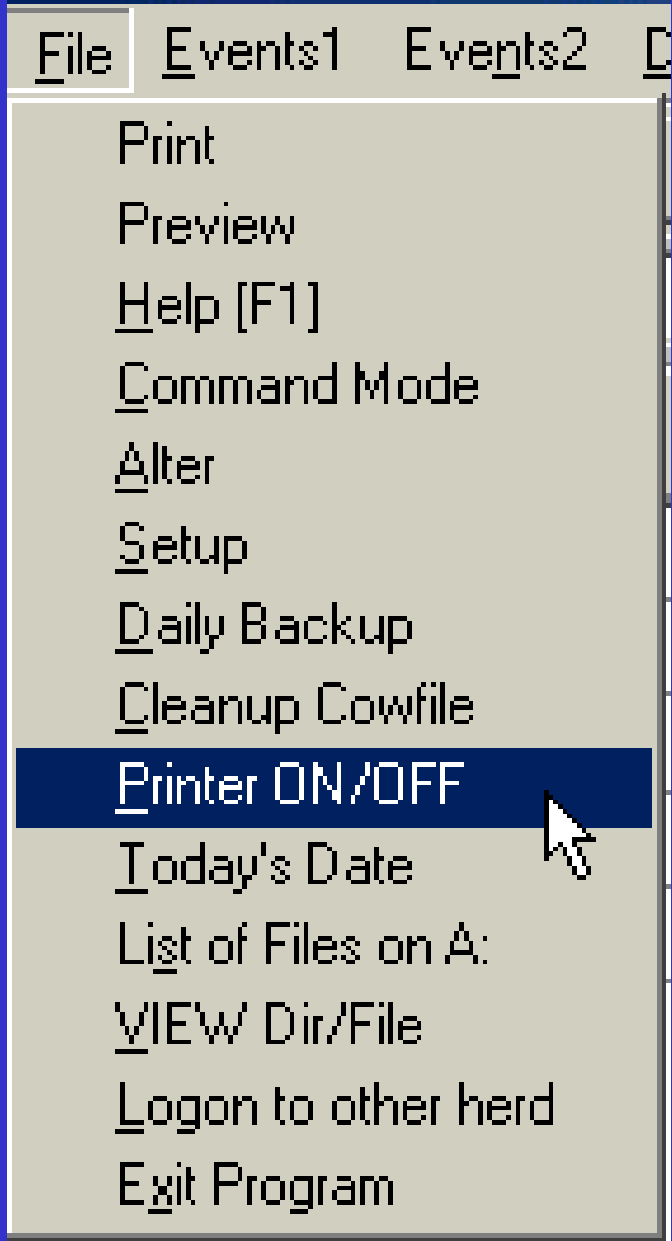
Dead Heifer records

Previous Lact records

Buttons: EXIT, Run CLEANUP

Printer on/off

- Turns the printing of reports ON if it is currently OFF and/or it turns report printing OFF if it is currently ON.
- (Only available in DC 305)



Today's Date

- **SETDAY** changes the date used by the program as “today”.
- This is meant to only be used to reset date temporarily to ease list production.
- If computer date itself is wrong reset in DOS with the **DATE** command.

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Enter Date

Enter Today's Date

2/1/01

Show Calendar

OK

Cancel

List of files on A:

- Choosing this option will give you a list of all the files on the drive you specify, and optionally view the file in the browser.
- Can also be use for seeing if you have the correct floppy in a drive.

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Open

Look in: DC

CONVERT	COWFILE2	COWVAL	DAYF
COW	COWFILE3.ARC	COWVALUE.305	DB
COWFILE1.ARC	COWFILE3	COWVALUE.DHI	DB
COWFILE1.BAK	Cowfile4	CZ	DB1
COWFILE1	COWFILE5	DATABASE	DC
COWFILE2.ARC	COWFILE6	DATABASE.OVR	DC

Type: DAT File
Size: 859 KB

File name:

Files of type: All Files

Open Cancel

View Dir/File

- **View can be used to display a directory of files on a disk, and optionally bring a file (test files only) into the Browser.**
- **This can be useful for seeing if you have the correct floppy in a drive.**

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Open [?] [X]

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Files of type: All Files

Logon to other herd

- This will allow you to change to another herd while still within the program.
- This screen will allow you to choose the herd you want to go to next. Then change the date to the date you want to go to next.

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Select Cowfile

Cowfile Number (1-9)

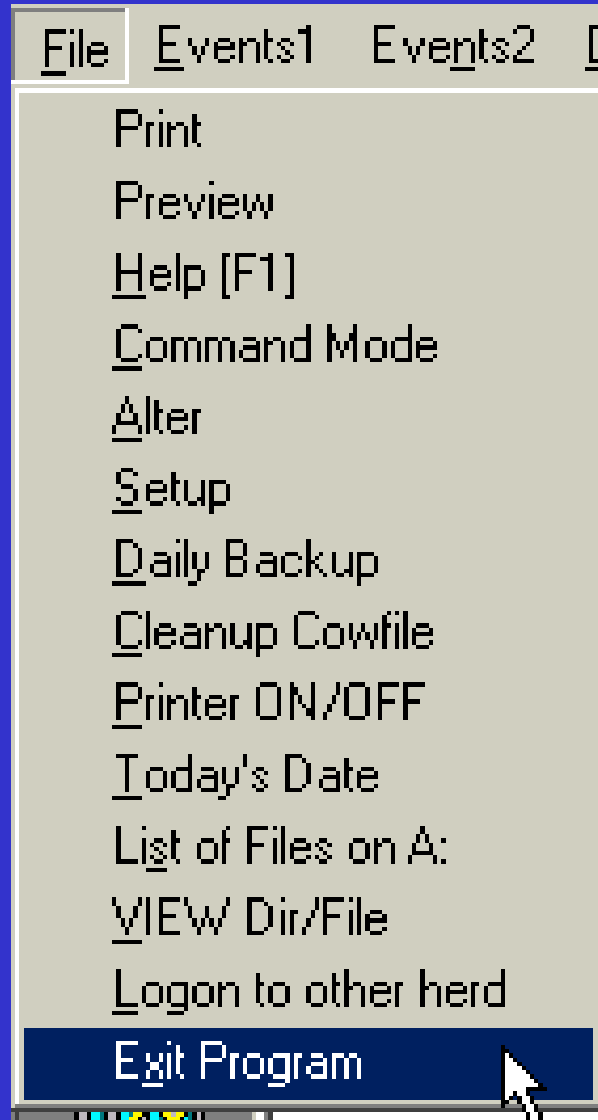
Cowfile Drive\dir

OK

Browse

Exit Program

- **Exit allows you to exit the DairyCOMP305 or Scout program, with an option to perform the “daily backup” of all your work on to a floppy drive.**
- **Rotate your backup floppies on a regular basis and store in a safe place.**



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