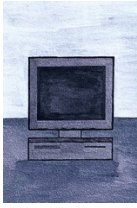


THE COMPUTER



Evolving from the geared wheels abacus, for which Charles Babbage we cheer

Digital computer versions gather in the 1940 year

Electromagnetic switches, the relays, binary numbers steer

For digits 1 or 0 in binary, relays ON or OFF veer

Electronic computer progress in more generations appear

As the first generation in the 1946 year

“Electronic Numerical Indicator and Computer” appear

With electronic valves instead of relays, 27 tons peer

The second generation in the 1951 year,

Using the transistor, under the name “UNIVAC 1” did appear

The third generation in the fan of 1960 year

After the invention of the integrated circuit did appear

The fourth generation in the span of 1980 years

Has appeared, having the powerful microprocessor the head gear

Following, the fifth generation in the 2020 years

With very large-scale integration, controlled by the voice will appear

Organic/electronic store, artificial intelligent peer

The sixth generation in fan of the 2100 year

Under the new name of the bio-computer further will appear

A hybrid with living organisms, itself to people will endear

The modern computer the operator does near

With DOS, Windows, MAC, UNIX programs miracle mere

Too it performs tasks a lot with the computing gear

For accountant, photographer and engineer

The computers communicate by space or phone wire

In the area networks LANs or WANs up to shire

As world communicator Internet does appear

People advertise, shop, teach, learn wonderfully here

So the digital computer works what you require

Marching in silence 0s and 1s at high speed, squire!