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            • To include new computer models, and the effect of System 7.x
              and AppleTalk version in Macintosh ROM. Article retitled.

TOPIC --

What is the version of AppleTalk found in the Macintosh ROMs?

DISCUSSION ---

The ROM version of AppleTalk is irrelevant today. Starting with System 7,
AppleTalk is included with System Software. In most cases, the version of
AppleTalk that is included in the version of System 7.x is newer than what
is built-in to ROM.

For Macintosh systems that can use System 6, we recommend using the latest
Network Software Installer to install AppleTalk software. This is a good
idea for System 7.x users as well. This ensures that the customer is using
the most up-to-date AppleTalk software with their systems. In almost all
cases, this will provide AppleTalk software that is newer than what is
available in ROM.

Below is a list of the AppleTalk versions in the ROM of various Macintosh
systems:

System	ROM AppleTalk Version
Macintosh 512Ke	19
Macintosh Plus	19

Macintosh SE	48
Macintosh II	49
Macintosh IIx	49
Macintosh SE/30	49
Macintosh IIcx	49
Macintosh Portable	52
Macintosh IIci	52
Macintosh IIsi	54
Macintosh IIfx	54
Macintosh IIvx	54
Macintosh Classic	46
Macintosh Classic II	56.0.1
Macintosh Color Classic	57.0.4
Macintosh LC	54
Macintosh LC II	54
Macintosh LC III	57.0.4
Macintosh Quadra 700	56.0.2
Macintosh Quadra 900	56.0.2
Macintosh Quadra 800	57.0.4
Macintosh Quadra 950	56.0.2
Macintosh Centris 610	57.0.4
Macintosh Centris 650	57.0.4
Macintosh PowerBook	Require System 7.x and will load AppleTalk version 56 (System 7.0 and 7.0.1), or version 57.0.4 (System 7.1)

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