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TOPIC -----

Apple Tape Backup 2.0.1 crashes when running on my Macintosh IIci whenever a DayStar Digital FastCache card is physically installed in the Macintosh.

DISCUSSION -----

DayStar Digital confirmed that Apple Tape Backup does not run with cache turned on. The only current workaround (June, 1990) is to turn the cache off when running Tape Backup.

Please note that removing the DayStar FastCache Macintosh IIci CDEV will not turn cache off, since it is controlled in ROM. The correct way is to leave the DayStar CDEV in the System Folder, choose Control Panel from the Apple menu, click the DayStar FastCache Macintosh IIci CDEV, and turn the cache off.

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