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TOPIC ---

This article contains the description and technical specifications for the
Korean Language Kit 1.0.

DISCUSSION --

Apple's Korean Language Kit is an easy, affordable way to add Korean text to
your documents.

After the simple installation process, you can switch effortlessly between the
computer's main language and Korean. The kit lets you enter, edit, and print
Korean, and mix Korean with other languages in the same document--even in the
same sentence. You can also use it to view Korean-language World Wide Web sites
with the addition of Internet browsing software.

The Korean Language Kit comes with the Power Input Method, a feature-rich input
method that allows conversion from hangul to hanja, can display the command menu
in English or Korean, and provides an easy-to-use interface. The kit also
includes two keyboard layouts for native speakers and two romaja modes for easy
Korean input by non-native speakers. Also included is a set of transparent
labels for customizing your keyboard.

The kit includes five QuickDraw GX-compatible TrueType fonts that produce
high-quality on-screen and printed characters at many sizes. Unlike most other
Korean language solutions, the Korean Language Kit offers full hanja support,
including the hanja Dictionary Utility that allows a user to create a personal
hanja dictionary.

The Korean Language Kit is based on Apple's WorldScript technology, which
simplifies the way in which a single operating system can support multiple
languages. It works with world-ready applications that take advantage of
WorldScript, such as ClarisWorks 4.0, WordPerfect, Nisus Writer, and WorldWrite.

It can also be used with Korean localized applications.

This product is part of a family of Apple language solutions, which offer an
affordable way to internationalize your Macintosh system. In addition to the
Korean Language Kit, Apple's multilingual product offerings include the Japanese
Language Kit, the Chinese Language Kit, the Chinese Dictation Kit, the Hebrew
Language Kit, the Arabic Language Kit, the Cyrillic Language Kit, and others.

Features
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Ease of use
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* Power Input Method with support for hanja conversion
* Simple, customizable installation process
* Documentation in both English and Korean
* Transparent labels for a popular Korean keyboard layout

Comprehensive, high-quality fonts
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* Five Korean fonts that include over 2,000 symbols and 4,888 hanja characters
* Extended symbol character set and support for hiragana and katakana
characters
* Apple TrueType format for high-quality on-screen and printed characters * Full
compatibility with QuickDraw GX

Versatile multilingual capabilities
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* Switch between languages easily
* Combine Korean and other languages in the same document
* Install as many language kits as needed on a single Macintosh system
Compatibility
* Works with System 7.1 and all subsequent versions of the Mac OS
* Is compatible with any localized version of the Mac OS and with other Apple
Language Kits
* Runs in native mode on Power Macintosh computers

Technical Specifications
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Included fonts
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* AppleMyungjo (TrueType, serif font)
* AppleGothic (TrueType, sans-serif font)
* Gungseoche (TrueType, calligraphy font)
* Pilgiche (TrueType, cursive font)
* Seoul (TrueType, system font)

Application compatibility

 The Korean Language Kit is based on Apple's WorldScript technology, and is
compatible with all applications that take advantage of WorldScript. These
programs include:
* ClarisWorks from Claris Corporation

* HyperCard from Apple Computer, Inc.
* WordPerfect from Novell, Inc.
* Nisus Writer from Nisus Software, Inc.
* WorldWrite from World Software Corporation
* WinText from WinSoft S.A.
* LightningDraw GX from Lari Software, Inc.
* Ready, Set, Go! GX from Modular Software, Ltd.
* Eudora from QUALCOM, Inc.

The Korean Language Kit can be used with a variety of applications localized for Korean. They include:
* ClarisWorks K from Claris Corporation
* Claris Organizer K from Claris Corporation
* HyperCard K from Apple Computer, Inc.
* Photoshop K from Adobe Systems Incorporated
* Adobe Illustrator K from Adobe Systems Incorporated
* PageMaker K from Adobe Systems Incorporated

Note: Apple has tested only a limited number of applications, therefore these lists are not intended to be comprehensive. Many nonlocalized applications that do not employ WorldScript software technology may provide limited functionality and allow input of Korean characters. Many Japanese localized applications will also work with the Korean Language Kit.

System requirements
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* One of the following Macintosh or other Mac OS-compatible computers:
- An Apple Macintosh or PowerBook computer with a 68020 or later processor and 5 MB of RAM
- A Power Macintosh computer with 8 MB of RAM
* Macintosh System 7.1 or later
* An Apple SuperDrive floppy disk drive or a CD-ROM drive
* An application that supports WorldScript or has been localized for Korean

Ordering Information
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Korean Language Kit Order No. 400000Z
* 1.4MB floppy disks and one CD-ROM containing:
- Korean Language Kit
- SimpleText Korean, a basic text-processing application
- Demonstration versions of compatible applications and utilities
* Transparent keyboard labels with Korean characters
* Korean Language Kit Installing and getting started (in English and Korean)
* Macintosh Korean Input Method Guide (in English and Korean)

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