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A/UX: How Disk Space is Partitioned

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TOPIC -----

On a preinstalled A/UX system with a 400M drive, only about about 200 megabytes of disk space can be seen. Where's the rest of the disk space?

DISCUSSION -----

By default, the 400M drive includes the following partitions with these approximate sizes:

16K	MacDriver
3M	Autorecovery
18M	Swap
4M	MacPartition
160M	Root & Usr slice 0
200M	Free UNIX slice 3

On a preinstalled A/UX system slice 3 is not mounted. To verify this, use the "df -B" command. You should see output similar to the following:

Filesystem		kbytes	used	avail	%used	Mounted on
/dev/dsk/c0d0s0	112311	90997	15698	85%	/	

In the above output, "/dev/dsk/c0d0s0" refers to slice 0 on the device with scsi id (controller) 0.

To mount the other partition, first login as root. Next, create a directory to mount the slice 3 filesystem onto, such as:

```
mkdir /slice3
```

(/slice3 is an example name; this can be any name that doesn't already exist.)

Then, edit the /etc/fstab file and add the line:

```
/dev/dsk/c0d0s3 /slice3 4.2 rw 1 1
```

where the controller/scsi id matches that of slice 0 from the "df" command output. After saving the changed /etc/fstab file, mount the filesystem:

```
mount /slice3
```

If any errors show up, then there is probably a "typo" in the /etc/fstab file. If no errors appear, verify that the filesystem is mounted using the "df -B" command.

The slice 3 filesystem will now be automatically mounted when the system is rebooted.

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