Duo Type II & Type III Batteries: Included Software (9/94)

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TOPIC --

This article contains some commonly asked questions about batteries and related
software for the PowerBook Duos.

DISCUSSION --

Q: IF I PURCHASE A TYPE II OR TYPE III BATTERY, WILL I STILL BE ABLE TO USE MY
OLD BATTERIES?
A: Yes. With Type II Software installed, Type I or II batteries will work. With
Type III Software installed, Type I, II or III will work.

Q: IF I PURCHASE A NEW BATTERY FOR MY POWERBOOK DUO 210/230, WHAT SOFTWARE WILL
I NEED?
A: With each battery purchase, software to enable your PowerBook to use that
battery will come with it.

Type II batteries come with three disks; Duos InstallMeFirst, Duos Extras, and
Duos Disk Tools. Substitute these for the disks with the same names in the set
you already have. Then install this new software. Basically, this will add the
PowerBook Duo Enabler (v1.0). If you have an internal modem, it is suggested
that you also install the Duo Battery Patch.

Type III batteries come with a disk called Battery Tools. The Read Me file tells
you to install the Type III Battery extension. This extension replaces the Duo
Battery Patch and the Battery Patch can be removed from the System Folder.

Q: I HAVE A TYPE II BATTERY NOW ALONG WITH AN EXPRESS MODEM. I HAD TO INSTALL
THE DUO BATTERY PATCH. IF I PURCHASE A TYPE III BATTERY, WILL I STILL NEED THE
PATCH?
A: No. The Type III Battery extension replaces the Duo Battery Patch. The Duo
Battery Patch can be removed from the System Folder. Also, the patch was rolled
into the PowerBook Duo Enabler (V2.0).

Q: SHOULD I INSTALL THE NEW ENABLER ON MY POWERBOOK DUO 210/230?
A: NO. The PowerBook Duo Enabler (V2.0) will not work with System 7.1. System
7.1.1 or later is required.

Q: IF I UPGRADE TO SYSTEM 7.5, WHAT ENABLERS AND EXTENSIONS SHOULD I USE FOR MY
TYPE II OR TYPE III BATTERIES?

A: System 7.5 comes with all of the enablers, patches and extensions needed to run Type II and Type III batteries. Nothing else need be added.

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