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## Performa: Running Apple II Software (3/93)

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- With more complete information.

### TOPIC -----

I would like information on running Apple II software on my Performa 430. Do I need a card? Where do I install it? Where do I get it, and the necessary supporting software?

### DISCUSSION -----

The Apple IIe Card is an accessory card that lets you run Apple IIe programs on several Macintosh models. At this writing, those models were Performa 400, 405, 430, and 450; Macintosh LC, LC II, and LC III; and Macintosh Color Classic. When the Macintosh is in the Apple IIe mode, it performs just like an Apple IIe Computer. You can start up and use Apple IIe software applications just as you would on an Apple IIe.

### Features of the Apple IIe Card:

- Runs virtually all Apple IIe applications -- more than 10,000 programs.
- Applesoft BASIC programming language is built in. The Apple IIe Card supports ProDOS, DOS 3.3, and Apple II Pascal operating systems.
- The Macintosh hard drive may be partitioned for the ProDOS operating system to allow mass storage of Apple IIe programs and files.
- The Macintosh's internal SuperDrive can be used with ProDOS-formatted disks. ProDOS disks appear on the Macintosh desktop to allow easy transfer of files to the hard drive.
- Allows connection of one UniDisk 3.5 disk drive and two Apple 5.25 disk drives through the Apple IIe Card's connection cable. This cable also allows the attachment of an Apple IIe joystick.

- Can print from Apple IIe applications to any printer that the Macintosh can select.

You can purchase the Apple IIe Card at your Local Apple Dealer. Also, the Local Apple Service Provider can install the card. You can find the Local Apple Dealer/Service Provider by calling (800) 538-9696. You can also purchase the Apple IIe Card from the Apple Catalog (800) 795-1000.

If you need help with the Apple IIe Card, then you can call the Apple Assistance Center at (800) SOS-APPL Extension 555.

Here is what you need to order:

- Apple IIe Card (Product Number M0444/D,Catalog Number B1043)

Optional Items:

- Apple 5.25 Drive (Product Number A9M0107, Catalog Number B1024)
- Joystick II (Product Number A2M2012, Catalog Number B1360)

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