

System 7: Does Not Support Non-SCSI Hard Drives (5/96)

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TOPIC
I am using an old HD20 (pre-SCSI disk from a Macintosh 512K) with a Macintosh Classic running System 7. The disk gets corrupted. Is it impossible to use HD20 with System 7?
DISCUSSION
System 7 requires a SCSI hard drive. The Non-SCSI HD20 is therefore not supported by System 7.
(We have seen cases where the HD20s did work with System 7. However, HD20s were never tested with System 7. We have found that sometimes they work fine, and sometimes they don't work at all.)
It is not possible to run Apple HD SC Setup on the HD20s. Therefore, you cannot update the driver. This will absolutely not allow virtual memory or file sharing to work on these drives.
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