System 7.x: Double-Clicking on Extensions(6/95)

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TOPIC ---

Whenever I double-click on an extension, I get an error message that states:

"This file adds functionality to your Macintosh. To add this file's
functionality to your Macintosh, place the file in the Extensions folder and
then restart the computer."

But when I do this, and then double-click on the file again, I get the same
message! What's wrong?

DISCUSSION ---

Extensions modify (extend) the operation of your system software. They are
programs which are automatically loaded by the system at startup time.

Extensions, as with many other items in your System Folder, are not designed to
be double-clicked on, and you will not be able to use them by trying to open
them.

The error message you are seeing is generic, and will be generated whenever you
double-click or try to open an extension, no matter where you double-click on
it.

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