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## System Software 6.0.5 and System Heap Size Adjustment (11/94)

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TOPIC -----

I have heard that when you upgrade to System Software 6.0.5, you should also increase your system heap size at least 32K via SUM Tools or Heap Fixer. This is supposed to increase compatibility with third-party programs.

Is this correct? If yes, what utility do you suggest?

DISCUSSION -----

In our testing, System Software 6.0.5 does NOT require the system heap size to be adjusted to work properly with Apple or third-party software.

It is possible to run out of system heap space when using a lot of public domain or commercial INITs. This may necessitate adjusting the system heap size. We cannot make a recommendation on what utility to use, but both Heap Fixer from CE Software and SUM Tools from Symantec seem to work fine.

For more information, search under: "CE Software" and "Symantec"

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