

International System Software Install: No Special Requirements

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TOPIC -----

I'm trying to use Apple's Russian system software. I get the "Welcome to Macintosh" startup screen, and then it crashes.

- I have these questions:
- 1) Is the Russian version designed only to work with foreign ROMs?
- 2) The Installer isn't displaying English or Russian fonts, but a variety of squares and garbage. Is there any way to run the installation in Russian?
- 3) Does Apple have a HOW TO?

DISCUSSION -----

Here are the answers to your questions:

- 1) There are no country-specific ROMs, and "international" Macintosh system software requires no special hardware.
- 2) To run the installation in Russian, "boot" from Install 1 of the Russian system disks. Everything will be displayed in Russian, including all of the instructions in the Installer. This applies to most, if not all international Macintosh system software.
- 3) Installation of international Macintosh system software 7.x is through the standard Installer application, so there are no special steps that you need to take.

In regard to the crashing problem, it seems that the system didn't get installed properly. If you need the disk images for Russian System 7.1, they're on the April '93 Developer CD. Copyright 1993, Apple Computer, Inc. Keywords: SUPT

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