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Tri-Data (Avatar) SNA: Compatibility

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TOPIC -----

Are there any compatibility reports of Tri-Data software and system software 6.0.8? I have two problems:

- 1) Using system software 6.0.8 and Tri-Data SNA 7.5.3, MacroMaker runs fine if the calculator is open, but goes one key at a time with no DAs open.
- 2) Using 6.0.8 and Tri-Data SNA 7.5.3 on Macintosh IIci computers, we have four mainframe sessions opened. If one of the sessions is the foreground application and we insert a floppy disk, the Macintosh doesn't recognize it. If we make the Finder the foreground application, it works fine. This doesn't occur on the older Macintosh IIcx computers.

DISCUSSION -----

We haven't heard of any problems reported on this. We contacted Tri-Data (DCA <formerly Avatar>), and they said there should be no problem running version 7.5.3 with System 6.0.8.

They did hear of the second problem, and suspect that the cause is old workstation software. The latest version of Advanced 3270 should be 1.1b9 and you should contact Avatar if you don't have it.

Run version 8.3 if you use NetWay 1000, or version 3.5 if you use NetWay 2000.

DCA (formerly Avatar) said they still support all Tri-Data products, and you should contact them directly for help.

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