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Newton MessagePad 110: System Update and ROM Versions (5/94)

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TOPIC ---

This article describes the ROM and system update versions that shipped with the
MessagePad 110 beginning on March 4, 1994.

DISCUSSION --

The Newton MessagePad 110 ships with ROM version 1.2. Installed at the factory
is a system update bringing the ROM up to version 1.3. You can see which version
of the system software you have installed on the MessagePad by going to the
preferences screen. The version is listed at the bottom.

Starting with the release of the MessagePad 110, the version number also
includes a special service control number, in parenthesis, designating the
physical ROM the system update works with. For future system updates, this
number will remain the same. Use this control number to identify which system
update to install on your MessagePad.

The first update version number is "1.3 (344052)" and appears in the preferences
screen.

The service control number in parenthesis are part of the ROM version number. If
there is ever an update to the ROM, you would end up with a different ROM
number. For example system software 1.31, 1.32, or 1.4.

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