

800K Eject INIT: Not Needed with 400K Drives

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TOPIC
Does the Apple 800K Eject INIT "park" 400K drives?
DISCUSSION
The 800K Eject INIT does not need to "park" the head of a 400K drive. The problem this patch is intended to fix occurs only with the upper head assembly when the disk shutter catches on the upper head as the disk lifts and ejects. Because the 400K drive has only a lower head assembly, there is no danger, and it isn't necessary to park its head. This also holds true for the patch included in System Software 6.0.4 and later Systems. The heads of 400K drives are not parked. Copyright 1990 Apple Computer, Inc.
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