

The background of the page features a detailed illustration of a desk. On the desk, there are several 3D-style icons representing various office items: a calendar, a question mark, a document with a checklist, a floppy disk, a hand holding a pen, a book with an ampersand, a keychain with keys, a folder with a plus sign, a trash can, a printer, a book with a globe, a person wearing a hard hat, a large letter 'G', and a floppy disk with a 'Q' on it. The desk surface is light-colored and has a subtle grid pattern.

System 7.5 Installation Disks (800K Version)

The System 7.5 installation disks

The System 7.5 installation disks (800K version) allow you to upgrade the system software on your Macintosh II, Macintosh Plus, or Macintosh SE computer to version 7.5 using 800K floppy disks.

If your Macintosh II, Plus, or SE does not have a 1.4 MB floppy disk drive, you can use the 800K installation disks—along with the System 7.5 Upgrade Kit—to upgrade to System 7.5. The 800K disks do not provide the software for installing QuickDraw GX or PowerTalk.

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What you need to upgrade your system software

To upgrade your system software, you'll need the following items:

- the 800K System 7.5 installation disks (*Disk Tools* and *Install Disk A* through *Install Disk L*)
- the *Before You Install* disk from the System 7.5 Upgrade Kit (The *Before You Install* disk in the upgrade kit is an 800K disk. All other disks in the kit are 1.4 MB disks.)
- the *System 7.5 Upgrade Guide* from the System 7.5 Upgrade Kit

Installing System 7.5

To install System 7.5 using the 800K disks, follow these steps:

- 1** If you use a RAM disk, turn it off.

When the RAM disk is active during software installation, it uses too much memory and prevents your system from starting up. To turn off the RAM disk, use the Memory control panel.

- 2** To install system software, follow the instructions in Chapters 1 and 2 of the *System 7.5 Upgrade Guide*—using the 800K disks instead of the disks in the upgrade kit.

To install System 7.5, your computer should have at least 4,096K (4 MB) of memory.

Before you run the Safe Install Utility, make sure you open and review the Read Me file on the *Before You Install* disk.

The 800K installation disks are labeled with letters (*Install Disk A*, *Install Disk B*, *Install Disk C*, and so on). When you see instructions to insert *Install Disk 1*, insert *Install Disk A* instead.