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Ethernet NB Card: Install EtherTalk 2.5.1 or Later

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TOPIC -----

We have a Macintosh IIsi with an Ethernet NB card, and we're having problems installing EtherTalk software from the System 7.0.1 disks. When we choose EtherTalk, the software appears to be installed, but it doesn't work.

However, when we first install System 7.0.1, and then install the EtherTalk software from the EtherTalk 2.5.1 disk, everything works correctly.

DISCUSSION -----

The EtherTalk software that ships with System 7.0 and System 7.0.1 was written prior to the introduction of the Ethernet NB board. In this case, the software was written with System 7.0 and carried forward to System 7.0.1, so it doesn't install an Ethernet driver for the Ethernet NB board. It only installs a driver for the older EtherTalk NB board and the built-in Ethernet on the Macintosh Quadras.

You can find the most current versions of Ethernet software for all of our boards on the NSI 1.1 disk. You can find an image of this disk in the Software Updates folder on AppleLink.

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