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Universal System Folder: Compatibility (5/96)

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TOPIC-----

Using some information I found on the Internet, I recently managed to install a universal System Folder on my Power Macintosh 7500. To do this, I held down the Option key as I launched the System 7.5 Installer, causing the Installer to launch directly into the Custom Install dialog box.

The first component listed in the Install dialog box was "Installer Script does not Support This Computer." When I clicked on the arrow to the left of this component, I was able to select "System Software for any Macintosh."

After installing this 7.5 System Folder, I was able to run the System 7.5 Update 2.0 and use the Custom Install feature to select the "Install Universal System Folder" component. It seems to be working fine, so why does the System 7.5 Update 2.0 Overview and Installation Read Me state that this is not possible?

DISCUSSION-----

Although you may have been successful in making a universal System Folder on a PCI-based Power Macintosh computer, this is an unsupported configuration from Apple. Apple does not support the use of the System 7.5 Installer on computers which require System 7.5.2 or higher.

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