

Installing System 6 Using FlashBoot

The manual explains how to install System 5.0.4 onto your ramcard using Flashboot. To install System 6 follow these step by step instructions:

- STEP 1: Enter the CONTROL PANEL (using the open apple, control, & escape keys). Select RAM Disk and press return. Set the ram disk size to 2400 (if you have a ROM 01 GS then set both min and max to 2400) and press return.
- STEP 2: Quit the CONTROL PANEL and boot the FlashBoot disk by turning the power off, waiting ten seconds, and turning the power back on again.
- STEP 3: Under the Options menu select "prepare ram disk".
- STEP 4: Under the Status menu it will read "Format? Yes or No", select "Yes". In the description box type in "System 6".
- STEP 5: Insert the System 6 install disk into the 3.5" drive. Under the Options panel select Boot 3.5" drive once. WARNING do not power off to reboot at this point!
- STEP 6: Once the System 6 installer screen appears click on "Customize".
- STEP 7: "Disk to update" on the right should say "Ram5". If it doesn't click on "Disk" under "Application Folder Selection" until "Ram5" appears.
- STEP 8: On the left side of the screen, make sure that "System 6: hard disk or FDHD" is highlighted.
- STEP 9: Now click on Install, then click on "perform this task".
- STEP 10: Switch disks as the installer prompt's you.
- STEP 11: After disk swapping is done it will say "Installation has been successfully completed", click on OK. The installer screen will now appear again.

- STEP 12: Install any additional drivers you may want, such as:
PRINTER: Imagewriter DRIVE: Unidisk 3.5
After selecting each driver you may want click on INSTALL. Then click on OK.
- STEP 13: After installing additional drivers, remove your System 6 install disk and put in your FlashBoot then press control + open apple + reset to boot the disk.
- STEP 14: FlashBoot will now load. Then choose boot "RAM disk once". (make sure you choose only once). This will boot your RAM disk.
- STEP 15: Now get 3 blank 3.5 disks. These will be your "Image Disks".
- STEP 16: Initialize each disk by inserting them into drive and clicking on Initialize.
- STEP 17: If you want to install any additional software, such as "Six Pack & Signature", you should do it now, by following the instructions provided with those packages.
- STEP 18: Insert your FlashBoot disk into the drive and double click on Flash.System.
- STEP 19: Under the Options panel highlight "Save Image Disks" and press return, then you will be asked to SAVE Yes or No, highlight "Yes" and press return.
- STEP 20: Now follow the directions under the Status panel. When you are asked to Overwrite, select "Yes" and press return.
- STEP 21: You're finished! You may boot from Image Disk 1 next time you turn on your computer. You will be asked if you would like to boot from ram disk once or always, make sure you choose ONCE.

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