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## Apple Extended Keyboard: Key Codes

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TOPIC -----

Are the key codes for the Apple Extended Keyboard different from those of the Apple Standard Keyboard?

DISCUSSION -----

The key codes for the Apple Extended Keyboard differ slightly from those of the Apple Standard Keyboard. The following list includes only those keys whose codes are different from the Apple Standard Keyboard:

F1	7A
F2	7B
F3	63
F4	76
F5	60
F6	61
F7	62
F8	64
F9	65
F10	6D
F11	67
F12	6F
F13	69
F14	6B
F15	71
HELP	72
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END	77
CURSOR UP	7E
CURSOR DOWN	7D
CURSOR RIGHT	7B
CURSOR LEFT	7C

Application software should NOT be designed so that it depends on these key codes -- because they will probably change. These codes are used by the application and are not necessarily what the keyboard actually puts out. Any unused codes not listed here are not yet defined and should not be used.

Key codes for the Apple Standard Keyboard are found in the "Macintosh Family Hardware Reference."

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