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Performa 600: Optional AppleCD 300i

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• To include correct name of AppleCD 300i.

TOPIC -----

This article describes the AppleCD 300i CD-ROM drive available as an option with the Macintosh Performa 600 computer.

DISCUSSION -----

Key features of the Macintosh Performa 600's optional AppleCD 300i:

- Faster data access than the AppleCD 150.
- Support for Kodak's Photo CD technology. A new version of CD Remote, and a Photo CD file system translator that understands the Photo CD format, are included.

Speed

This drive rotates a disc at twice the normal speed, resulting in faster data access and more immediacy in interactive applications. This drive can operate at both normal speed and double speed, so any application (such as CD audio) that relies on the normal spin rate is not affected.

Transfer	Rates	Normal	Mode	1	150 kbytes/sec.
		Normal	Mode	2	171.1 kbytes/sec.
		Double	Mode	1	300 kbytes/sec.
		Double	Mode	2	342.2 kbytes/sec.

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