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TOPIC -----

I'm having difficulty with installing system software on a large AppleTalk network. I'm using Installer 3.2 and trying to install System 6.0.8.

I've never been able to install System 6.0.8 using the network installation feature of the Installer. The System 6.0.7 network installation worked sporadically. When an installation failed, the error message was always "The Installer can not find the resources necessary for this installation. Please contact your network administrator." or something like that. I've checked access privileges and pathnames, and everything is correct.

DISCUSSION -----

System Software network installation is supported beginning with System 7.0. You're trying to use the Installer (v3.2) from System 7.0 with an installer script from System 6.0.8, which doesn't support network installs. Technically, it might be possible to create an appropriate script, but it's neither supported nor recommended.

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