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Retrospect A/UX: Supported Storage Devices (8/93)

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TOPIC ---

This article describes which storage devices Retrospect A/UX supports.

DISCUSSION --

Although Retrospect running under the Macintosh operating system supports a
variety of storage devices with high reliability and performance, some devices
are not suitable for use in an A/UX environment. In particular, the older or
less standard SCSI tape drives can cause problems in the high-performance
environment of the Workgroup Server 95.

The recommended, optimal storage drive for the Workgroup Server 95 is the
Hewlett-Packard DS-DC DAT drive that may have come installed in your server.
(This drive's capacity is between 1GB and 5GB.) For more information on this
drive, see the Basic Skills document provided with the Apple Workgroup Server
95.

Macintosh Disk StorageSets are acceptable for data storage, but storing
a large quantity of data on floppy disks is impractical. Also, the performance
of large File StorageSets is slower in the A/UX environment because of the
necessity of translating the file between Macintosh and A/UX formats.

For further information on working with Retrospect and Retrospect A/UX,
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