



ATAPI

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from CD-ROM drive.

A general driver for ATAPI CD-ROM drives

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Upgrades to the ATAPI driver

New utilities are constantly being added and new drives supported. New utilities are placed in the 'Apps' directory on the disc. For the latest details contact Eesox.

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ATAPI CD-ROM Driver

Overview

The ATAPI driver is a small module, which is supplied on disc inside an application directory called '!EX_ATAPI'. The module itself will be loaded as soon as a directory viewer is opened showing the '!EX_ATAPI' application.

General Installation

Copy '!EX_ATAPI' to '!Boot.Choices.Boot.PreDesk'.

RISC OS 3.5 or less

If you have a RISC OS 3.5 machine you will need to install CDFS. Copy "!CDFS2_21" into the '!Boot.Choices.Boot.PreDesk'. You can check the RISC OS version by pressing the middle mouse button over the Acorn symbol (bottom right of the screen) and moving over 'Info'.

Utilities

Look inside the 'Apps' directory for some utilities: !CDVolume, !CDRAudio, !SmartCD, and !CDSpeed.

Troubleshooting

- Make sure the driver is loaded by typing *HELP CDFSSoftATAPI_EESOX
- Make sure that you have configured CDROMDrives to at least 1. See your CDFS manual for this procedure.
- Make sure that CDFS recognizes your drive by typing *CDFS:CDDEVICES
- Check that the drive is on and connected.
- It's a good idea to set CDROMBuffers to 32K.
- Make sure that your CD-ROM drive is set to 'slave' and your hard disc to 'master'.
- You may find that you need to *Unplug or at least *RMKill some of the other software-loadable drivers as they may cause conflict. This will also reclaim a small amount of memory.



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