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Mac OS 9.2.2 for Mac mini G4
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STEP 1 (Mac OS Drive Setup):

Partition and format your hard drive using the Mac OS Drive Setup Utility.
Drive Setup should autostart, if it does not, this utility can be launched from the Apple Menu, and is located in the Applications Folder of this CD.

If your hard drive is larger than 190 GB, create multiple partitions with each being 190 GB or smaller.

NOTES: Drive Setup will initialize (erase) your hard drive.

STEP 2 (Apple Software Restore):

Launch the Apple Software Restore application from the Apple Menu and make sure that the "Destination disk" is your newly formatted hard drive or a volume you wish to restore to (This will erase your selected volume).

Now click the "Restore" Button and answer any prompts.

Once restored, launch the Startup Disk Control Panel, from the Apple Menu, to make sure you when you restart, you boot off your completed install, and not this CD again.

Then, restart and enjoy :)

Find more in the CD Extras folder on this CD.

READ THESE NOTES:

The version of Drive Setup used in this is version 1.9.2, an older version of the app from Mac OS 9.0. This is the version you have to use if you want to initialize FireWire disks, the newer versions will not work.

Sound only comes out of the headphone jack, at a fixed volume, so you need a volume control on the speaker that the Mac mini is connected to, to control the volume. (You could use an Amp, Digital Keyboard, Radio, HiFi...)

If graphics are messed up... If you are using a monitor at 1080p, lower the resolution. Try to avoid using HDMI. If you use a TV as your monitor, use DVI to VGA instead of DVI to HDMI.

AirPort and Bluetooth do not currently work.

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