CD-ROM DRIVES: Demand Dual- or Quad-Speed and MPC-2 Compatibility

| 1 What's more important? | 2 What kind of titles? | 3 This is a minimum configuration: | 4 Look for these features... |
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| Multimedia | 5 or More Commercial Titles | Quad-speed Drive with 150Kbps to 600Kbps Transfer Rate | Usability: A, B, C |
| | | | Features: 1, 2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 |
| | Proprietary, or Fewer than 5 Commercial Titles | Dual-speed Drive with 150Kbps to 300Kbps Transfer Rate | Usability: A, B, C |
| | | | Features: 1, 2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 |
| Text & Static Images | 5 or More Commercial Titles | Dual-speed Drive with 150Kbps to 300Kbps Transfer Rate | Usability: A, B, C |
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| USABILITY | FEATURES | | |
| A. Door Cover: Double doors on drive to deter dust. | 1. Performance: 200ms access time or faster. | | |
| B. Control: Audio output jack and manual volume control. | 2. Interface: SCSI-2. | | |
| C. Installation: IRQs set through software, not jumpers or dip switches. | 3. Buffer: 64K or larger. | | |
| | 4. Buffer: 256K or larger. | | |
| | 5. Compatibility: MPC 2. | | |
| | 6. Compatibility: High Sierra and ISO-9660. | | |
| | 7. Compatibility: CD-Audio and Kodak Photo CD. | | |
| | 8. Applications: Bundled CDs. | | |