What CDU Does

CDU is the leading integrated set of utilities for enhancing Macintosh productivity and convenience.

Power Savers. The screen dimmer and automatic shutdown save power while you are away from your Mac. Conserve energy, reduce harmful screen radiation, and preserve your monitor all at the same time. The automatic shutdown does full "bookmarking"—making sure that when you turn your Mac back on it comes back to the same state it was in when it was turned off.

Keyboard Enhancements. Keyboard Power lets you navigate dialog boxes and menus with keystrokes instead of the mouse or trackball. Type Control, Shift, and any underlined letter in a menu or dialog box to select the item or button. Or, modify menu action to Auto-Drop or Click-Drop to simplify mousing through menus.

Hot Keys. Here's the easiest way to assign simple key combinations to open any document or application, or type any text string you frequently use. Hot Keys even saves passwords without giving them away.

Color. Bring your desktop to life with a menu selection of color schemes and desktop pictures.

Enhanced Displays. Display puts a fully functional clock with hourly chimes and date in your menu bar. It also includes activity indicators for disk and network access, as well as showing how much free space remains on your hard drive.

Security. CDU keeps people out of your files when you leave your Macintosh unattended. CDU can be set to request a standard password or use a unique graphic security system.

AppManager. Cycle through open applications with a single keystroke. Hide background applications to reduce desktop clutter. Speed processing by eliminating unnecessary window redraws.

Extended Keys. The Extended Keys option gives you Page Up/Down and Function Keys not available on many Macintosh keyboards.

Balloon Help. Banish Balloon Help from your menu bar to make space for something you use more often. Get it back when you need it with a simple key combination.

Extras. Select a printer, adjust color level and sound depth, or turn file sharing on or off simply by selecting from the menu bar. Don't Eject keeps any removable drive (floppy, cartridge, CD) from ejecting if it finds a System and Finder on the drive. CDU Users and Sets store all adjustable parameters in easily recalled groups for multiple users or types of use.