

Quick Reference Guide

Before You Begin

This card is divided into four parts:

- The first will help you install ThunderScan.
- The second part outlines the software version that runs on all Apple II's.
- The third part explains how to use ThunderScan GS.
- The last part shows the keyboard equivalents for ThunderScan.

Installation and Setup

Installing ThunderScan on Your ImageWriter

To install ThunderScan:

- Make sure your Apple II and everything connected to it is turned *off*.
- If you're using an Apple IIe, be sure your printer cable is connected to a serial card. On the IIc, IIc Plus, or IIGs, your printer cable should be plugged into the built-in printer port.
- Connect the cable from the scanning cartridge to the game I/O port of your Apple II.

Preparing Your Printer

To get your printer ready for scanning:

- With your printer turned *off*, remove the ribbon cartridge and insert the scanner. Make sure both sides of the scanner snap onto the ribbon deck.
- On an ImageWriter II, separate the plexiglass window from the printer cover and adjust the paper thickness lever to allow for maximum paper thickness.
- If you have an ImageWriter I or Wide-carriage ImageWriter, install the scan key or special Thunderware printer cover.

Inserting an Original

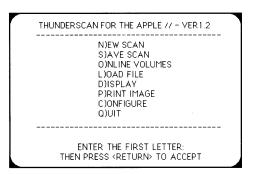
To insert an original in your printer:

- With your printer off, make sure any paper is removed from your printer.
- Set the paper release lever to the *pin feed* position.
- Insert an original so that it is facing forward after you roll it through the printer.
- Set the paper release lever back to the *friction feed* position.

Using ThunderScan with the IIe, IIc, and IIc Plus

About ThunderScan for Apple II

The ProDOS 8 version of the ThunderScan software operates on all Apple II computers. To begin, insert a copy of the ThunderScan Program Disk into Drive 1 and reboot your computer. ThunderScan's main menu appears:



From the main menu, you can start a scan, save, check online volumes, switch displays, print, configure and quit the program.

Configuring the Software

Before starting the scan, make sure the software is properly configured for your printer.

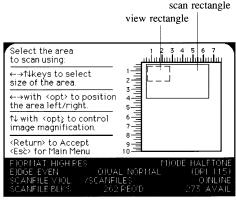
- Press C (for Configure) and press Return.
- Follow the instructions on the screen to specify proper printer type and slot.
 Press Return to continue. If you are using a IIc or IIc Plus, you should specify slot 1 for the printer.

Starting a Scan

The New Scan command on the main menu begins the scanning process:

• Press N (for New Scan) and press Return.

The Scan Select screen appears:



- Follow the instructions on the Scan Select screen to select the area for scanning, desired format, DPI setting and scan volume. Press Return.
- Follow the instructions on the **Focus** screen to focus.
- Follow the instructions on the Preparing the Printer to Scan screen to recycle your printer. Press Return when ready.
- Follow the instructions on the Preparing to Start the Scan screen.

Pausing and Stopping a Scan

To pause the scan:

- Press P.
- Press any key to resume scanning.

To quit the scan or return to the main menu, simply press the ESC key.

Using ThunderScan GS

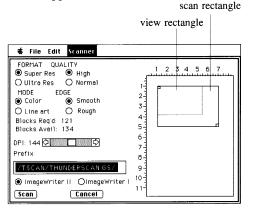
About ThunderScan GS

ThunderScan GS operates on an Apple IIGs with a minimum of 512K of memory. If you are using GS/OS, you'll need at least 768K of memory. Keep these memory considerations in mind when setting up a RAM disk or using the RAM Cache desk accessory.

To begin, make sure that print buffering is turned *off* in the **Control Panel**. Insert a copy of the ThunderScan program disk into Drive 1 and reboot your computer. The ThunderScan GS application is automatically loaded. Click on the **OK** button.

Starting a Scan

To start the scan, select **New Scan** from the **File** menu (or press (3-N). The scan screen appears:



- Use the radio buttons to select the desired format, mode, left edge type, scan quality, and printer model.
- Use the scroll bar to adjust DPI (resolution).

- Type in a prefix selection.
- Click on "Blocks Avail." to view the disk space available for scanning.
- Use the mouse to adjust the scan rectangle by dragging from the lower right handle of the scan rectangle.
- Use the mouse to position the scan rectangle on the page map by dragging from the upper left handle of the scan rectangle.
- Click on the Scan button to continue.

The focus dialog box will appear.

- Follow the instructions in the focus dialog box to focus the scanner.
- Click on the **OK** button to continue.
- Follow the instructions in the next dialog box to prepare the printer.
- Click on the **OK** button to continue.
- Follow the instructions in the next dialog box to adjust the original to be scanned.
- Click on the **Begin Scan** button to start scanning.

Pausing and Stopping a Scan

To pause the scan:

- Press the 🖒 key. A dialog box appears.
- Click on the **Resume** button to resume scanning.
- Click on the **Quit Scan** button to stop the scan.
- To access menus, click on the Pause button. To continue scanning, select Resume Scan from the Scanner menu (or press (3-R).

Using ThunderScan Version 1.2

While a scanned image is being displayed you can use the keyboard to:

option	press
change brightness	В
change contrast	C
adjust brightness and contrast	\leftarrow and \rightarrow
change display	D
view the histogram	Н
save as a screen image	S
return to the main menu	ESC
scroll the image	\uparrow , \downarrow , \leftarrow , and \rightarrow
scroll image faster	Option with
	\uparrow , \downarrow , \leftarrow , and \rightarrow

ThunderScan GS - Menus and Keyboard Equivalents

File	
Open	G 0
Save As	G S
Choose Printer	
Page Setup	
Print	ĜΡ
Tile Print	ĠΤ
Quit	ĢQ

Edit	
Esst Copy	ÖН ÖС
Paste	Qη

Scanner	
New Scan	ďΝ
Contrast & Brightness	ĠВ
Filter	ŮЕ
Protect Controls	
Resume Scan	ĠВ
Switch Display	

