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Welcome to **Academic Press Dictionary of Science and Technology, CD-ROM Version 1.0**, an electronic dictionary with a sophisticated browser and search engine that gives you instant access to information from the convenience of your desktop. Complicated searches that would be impossible to carry out with the printed book now take only a fraction of a second and can be done from within your word processor.

This booklet describes the procedures for installing and opening the **Academic Press Dictionary of Science and Technology**. It is assumed that you are familiar with basic computer techniques, such as scrolling, resizing windows, and running several applications concurrently. For instructions, consult the manuals provided with your computer. Information specific to the CD-ROM version of the **Academic Press Dictionary of Science and Technology** can be accessed by selecting the About option from the Help Menu.

SYSTEM REQUIREMENTS

To use the **Academic Press Dictionary of Science and Technology** CD-ROM, your system must meet the following requirements:

- MPC Standard PC or compatible computer (386SX or higher processor) running MS-DOS 4.1 or higher and Microsoft Windows 3.1 or higher operating systems with a minimum of 4 MB of RAM, a VGA or SVGA (256 colors) monitor, CD-ROM drive with Microsoft MSCDEX 2.0 or higher, and mouse or pointing device.

- Macintosh LC or higher computer, 68020 CPU, 16 MHz or faster, running System 7.0 or higher operating system with a minimum of 4 MB of RAM, a color (256 colors) display, and compatible CD-ROM drive with Foreign File Access installed.

Both versions also require approximately 4 MB or less of available hard-disk space for the program software, and supporting files and memory-buffer space. If you wish to hear the spoken pronunciations, you will also need an audio board plus headphones or speakers.

GETTING STARTED

If you already own an application with the *Complex* browser and search engine, the installation procedure will add the new reference book to your existing application in the default directory. Make sure that all of the books are installed in the same location.

INSTALLATION FOR MS-WINDOWS

1. Start Windows in Enhanced mode and insert the compact disc into the CD-ROM drive.
2. In **Program Manager**, choose **Run** from the **File** Menu.
3. In the **Command Line Box**, type **D:\SETUP**, where **D** is the letter representing your CD-ROM drive, and press ENTER. Follow the instructions that appear on your screen. Both the application program and fonts will be installed and a group called **Academic Press** will be

created in your **Program Manager**.

4. To install QuickTime for Windows, choose **Run** from the **File** menu. In the **Command Line Bar**, type **D:\QI\W\SETUP**, where **D** is the letter representing your CD-ROM drive, and press ENTER. Follow the instructions that appear on your screen. For audio playback, a sound card is required.

5. Double-click on the **APDST** icon to access the CD-ROM to launch the program.

NOTE. See the README file on the CD-ROM for additional information on the installation program.

INSTALLATION FOR MACINTOSH

1. Insert the compact disc into the CD-ROM drive.

2. Double-click on the CD-ROM icon, then double-click on the **Academic Press DST** icon.

3. Choose a suitable location when asked where you would like to install the program software and the special fonts folder, then select Extract.

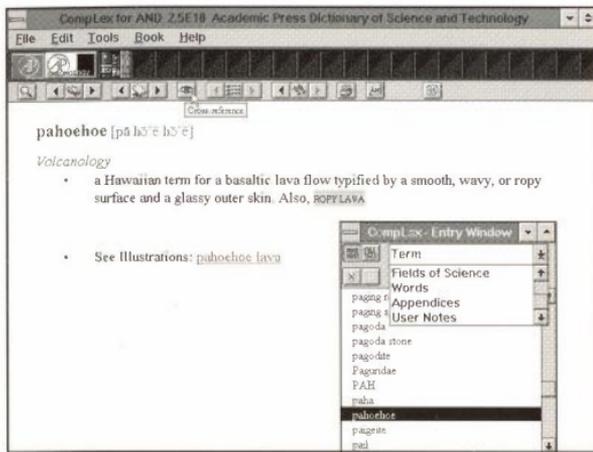
4. If QuickTime is not installed, drag the QuickTime extension from its folder to your current system folder and restart your computer.

5. Double-click on the **Dictionary of Science and Technology** bookshelf on your hard drive to launch the program.

NOTE. See the README file on the CD-ROM for additional information on the installation program.

USING THE DICTIONARY

After installing the application software, launch the program and open the Help Menu. Select About the Dictionary option to learn more about the product features, advantages, and basic



structure. To learn more about the CompLex software, select the About CompLex option from the Help Menu. For more detailed information on how to use the help facility, select How to Use Help from the Help Menu.

When you first start the program, the Main Window is displayed. At the top of the Main Window in the Titlebar is the name of the book currently open. Below the Titlebar is the Menu Bar containing the 5 menus from which the functions of the program are controlled. Immediately following the Menu Bar is the Bookshelf containing the currently installed books. The Toolbar contains the buttons that provide short cuts to the most common menu functions. The center of the Main Window is the text area where the entries are displayed.

The Entry Window contains a list of all the words in the dictionary. In the drop-down list box is a list of available indexes; below that is an edit box in which you can type the word or term that you want to find. The list of entries will automatically scroll until it finds the word you

typed or its nearest match. To display the entry in the entry area, double-click on the term in the list or press ENTER. You can also browse through the contents of any window using the scroll bar or the PageUp and PageDown keys.

To quit the program, select the Exit option from the File Menu or double-click the Control Menu Box in the top left-hand corner of the Main Window.

CONNECTING TO MAJOR WORD PROCESSORS

The **Academic Press Dictionary of Science and Technology** CD-ROM can be used in conjunction with Word for Windows, WordPerfect, and Lotus AmiPro. Words in your document can be replaced with text from the CD-ROM automatically. To replace a word, select it in your word processor and click the *Complex* button. Once you have found a replacement word or phrase, highlight it and press the Copy to Application button to insert the new text. See the online Help file for information on the installation and activation of this feature.

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