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# Office Campaign

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Re: FY '93 Office Campaign Draft

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Attached is the draft of the FY '93 Office Campaign plans, for Windows and Macintosh. These presentation will be reviewed with each of your groups in the next week. Please forward to your staff as appropriate and feel free to send your comments to those on the "from" line above. A word processed version will be developed based on the feedback from the meetings.

Living Experience  
Budget why so  
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What does  
direct mail  
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**FY '93  
Windows Office Campaign**

***Draft Version v1.0***

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**Situation Analysis**

- ◆ Windows sales accelerating, WP/SS upgrade battle now underway
- ◆ Word/Excel share gains vulnerable due to new competitors and category transition to Win apps
- ◆ No major versions of Excel or Word until FY'94
- ◆ Competitive products will improve, feature gap will narrow
- ◆ IEUs we reach are saturated, need to reach more

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## Situation Analysis

### ◆ Assets

- Product superiority
- Broadest range of Windows applications
- More Windows application owners
- Creator of Windows
- International leadership

### ◆ Threats

- 1-2-3W and WP Win seen as natural upgrade
- Low awareness among Fringe IEU and GBU
- Lotus selling "working together"
- Borland selling data-centric solution
- Only 4 in 10 customers "secure"

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## Problem Definition

- ◆ The "natural upgrade" to Windows is seen as coming from current vendors, WordPerfect and Lotus
- ◆ WordPerfect and Lotus can more efficiently reach and market to their installed bases
- ◆ Borland challenging us as insurgent marketer

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## Campaign Mission

**Be the preferred word processor and spreadsheet  
as the market moves to Windows.**

1. Win the upgrade battle among WordPerfect and Lotus 1-2-3 DOS users  
Software upgraders  
Hardware upgraders
2. Be the recommended Windows WP and SS among influencers  
KIEs, press, analysts
3. Capture new user sales

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## Campaign Message (draft)

**Microsoft Word and Excel for Windows are  
the preferred upgrade among DOS  
WordPerfect and DOS Lotus 1-2-3 users  
moving to Windows.**

FY'93 Strategy

**Win the Windows upgrade battle**

1. Encourage simultaneous Win/Winapp purchase and capture Windows purchasers
2. Expand awareness and trial to Fringe IEUs
3. Foster recommendation by users within workgroups
4. Own "best of breed" position with influentials
5. Make IAYF real for Office customers

*Mail, OEM  
Expense  
Zealots*

*Windows support  
SP1's*

**1. Encourage simultaneous purchase and capture Windows purchasers**

◆ Make simultaneous purchase the default



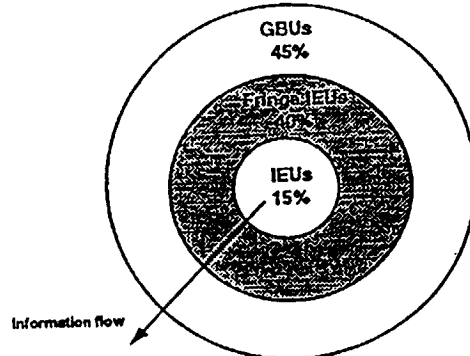
OEM application pre-install	1 mm
OEM trial pre-install	250k users
Windows Partnership Program	250k users
Retailer merchandizing, bundles	50k-250k users

◆ Capture Windows purchasers

Quickfeed (Windows reg)	750k users
Capture names of Windows users	1mm users
Direct mail OEM names	1,750k users

## 2a. Expand awareness and trial to Fringe IEUs

Windows predisposition a required audience characteristic



IEUs

- ◆ Have input on purchase and give advice

Fringe IEUs

- ◆ Either have input on purchase or give advice

GBUs

- ◆ Follow installed base

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## 2b. Expand awareness and trial to Fringe IEUs

### ◆ Awareness

Communicate "preference" message to Fringe IEUs 5mm users



### ◆ Get trial (live experience) among 2 million DOS WordPerfect and 1-2-3 fringe IEUs

MCSS/MRSS	125k users
Infomercials	1.5 mm users
Channel promos, POS video/demo	400k users
Tradeshows	20k users
User groups	10k users

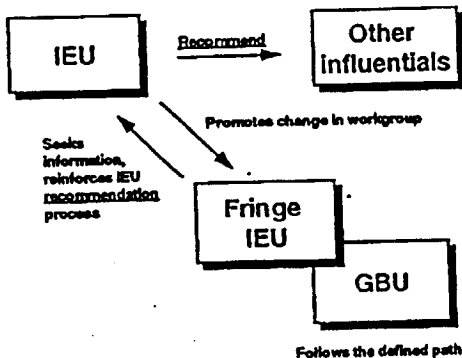
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### 3a. Foster recommendation by users within their workgroups



### 3b. Foster recommendation by users within their workgroups

#### ◆ Increase satisfaction

VIEW newsletter	1.2mm users
Affinity/membership programs	150k users

*what?*

#### ◆ Arm "Switchers" \* to foster adoption

Seeding/Trial plus	20k users
Migration KB	10k users
Eval Program/Reference program	?
ATC Push/LMI guarantee	?

*next*

\* Switcher defined as ex WordPerfect or Lotus 1-2-3 user that now uses Word or Excel for Windows.

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## 4. Own Best of Breed Position

### ◆ Influence the influencers

Press/Analyst relations
Enthusiast ads for core IEUs
User groups

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## 5. Make IAYF real to Office customers

### ◆ Develop identity for Windows line

### ◆ Sponsor events for MIS and influentials

Apps press briefing	500 users
Application "solutions" PR	?
Apps user conference	2k users
SBTs	?

### ◆ Create new sales tools

Windows demo
Windows testimonials/solutions
White papers

SP  
Windows love



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## Relationship to Other Campaigns

### ◆ Solutions Providers

Excel and Word as component tools represent sizable revenue opportunity  
Solution campaign is critical vehicle for communicating our desktop strategy  
Office campaign relies on Solution campaign for developer support programs  
Developers conference and App Tech workshops paid for by Office campaign

### ◆ Windows Campaign

Windows and Word/Excel sales and marketing activities should be aggressively  
linked where appropriate  
Desktop apps campaign assumes we don't have to sell Windows concept

### ◆ Workgroup Campaign

Need to determine how to stop Notes momentum  
Excel and Word developing mid-life Iditarod Sparta tie-ins

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## Issues

### ◆ OEM strategy for applications

### ◆ VIEW newsletter

- Fit within overall affinity program
- Scale/budget
- Naming/visual consistency with Focus

### ◆ Reach vehicles for getting to Fringe IEUs

### ◆ Scale of trial programs for Fringe IEUs

- Samples budget too high?

### ◆ Need for Windows applications identity

- End user
- MIS

Yes  
1 Newsletter

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## Campaign Metrics

- ◆ Market Share
- ◆ Unit and Revenue forecasts
- ◆ Relative Share of WP/SS upgraders
- ◆ Windows Penetration
- ◆ Win all reviews
- ◆ Awareness
- ◆ Secured customers

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## Next Steps

- ◆ SMSD Input/feedback meetings start 5/18
- ◆ Finalize campaign metrics

# Macintosh Office Campaign FY '93

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## Situation Analysis: Macintosh Market

- Mac market share up to 15% total market (from 10% in 1990 & 12% in 1991)
- Mac growth rate forecast = 20%
- Low/mid range CPUs biggest share of Mac market -> LC, Powerbook 140
- Broadened distribution: VARs, mass merchants, ad campaign
- Highest growth in home and small business
- Flat in Fortune 500, stable in education

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## Situation Analysis: Microsoft Assets

- Dominant market share
- Top rated products in most categories
- Highest usage, awareness among IEUs
- Broadest line of products
- Cross platform solution

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## Situation Analysis: Threats

- Market shift away from corporate/high end
- New Mac buyers more in home, small business, less predisposed to MS
- Share loss to new, enhanced competitors
- IEUs' allegiance to MS weakening
- Apple promoting and preinstalling Claris, other competitors
- Claris has dominant mindshare in channel

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## Mac Thrust Campaign Mission

**DEFEND** market share

**CAPTURE** new Mac buyers

1. Upgrade current user base for Word and Excel
2. Promote sales of Office or Works with every new Mac sold

*Get aggressive  
w/ office*

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### Mac Office Campaign Strategy: "Defend Share"

- Upgrade Word and Excel users
- Arm and activate current MS user base
- Regain IEU allegiance

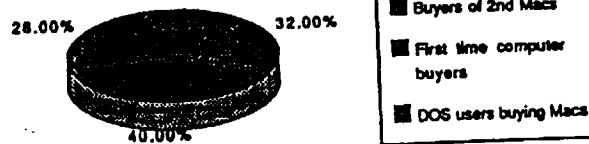
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## Mac Office Campaign Strategy: "Capture New Mac Buyers"

- Expand awareness for Works and Office among new buyers
- Strong channel programs for Works or Office
- Hardware pre-installation with Works

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### Profile: Mac Buyers



## Mac Buyers - CPU Mix

	Classic/LC II/Quadra	Powerbook
Buyers of 2nd Macs	41,600	208,000
First time computer buyers	364,000	52,000
DOS users buying Macs	36,400	109,200

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## Mac Buyers - Marketing Models

Buyers of 2nd Macs  
DOS users buying Macs

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IEU Marketing Model  
Follow current marketing programs, just do them better

First Time buyers of computers

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Expanded IEU marketing model  
Expand current programs to reach new audience

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## Mac Campaign Tactics: Upgrade Word/Excel Users

- *Upgrade registered users*  
Direct response campaigns
- *Upgrade non-registered users*  
Channel upgrade program  
Advertising call to action  
Direct response campaign to new lists
- *Upsell MS Works users*  
Direct response campaign to "ClubWorks"  
users

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## Mac Campaign Tactics: Office/Works for New Mac Buyers

- *Establish Works as the default choice for purchase with low end Macs*  
End User promotion  
CRN advertising
- *Establish Office as the default choice for purchase with high end Macs*  
VAR programs  
End User promotion



## Mac Campaign Tactics: Regain IEU Allegiance

- *Increase IEU's product usage and recommendation*  
One to One  
User group program
- *Improve MS Image In Mac press*  
Product reviews (Win "Best of Breed")  
Executive strategy briefings
- *Improve MS Image with corporate IEUs*  
Corporate field reps training, tools

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## Mac Campaign Tactics: Build awareness for Works/Office

- *Advertising*  
Enterprise Press advertising campaign  
following Apple's media plan  
  
Increased advertising in mail order catalogs
- *Communication Tools*  
Microsoft product video - advertising call to action
- *End User Promotion*  
Works/Office bundled with value-added software (Quicken, Touchbase, Disk Doubler etc)

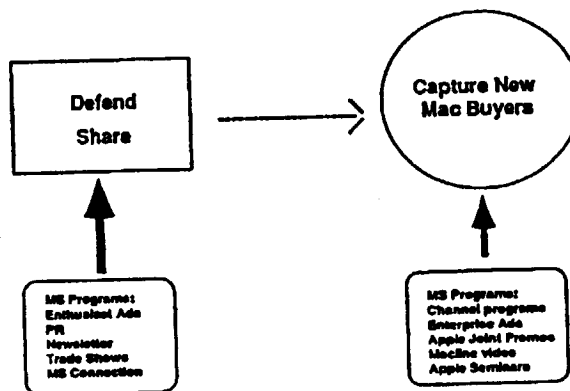
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## Mac Campaign Tactics: Strong Channel Programs

- *Simultaneous purchase with new Macs*  
End user/channel promotion for Works/Office  
Reseller pre-install bundles for Works
- *Regain reseller mind share*  
RSP personal use and training  
End user channel promotion
- *Increase distribution*  
300 new Apple VARs  
Mass merchants/superstores

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### Mapping Tactics to Mission



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## Campaign Measurement

- **Defend Share**  
Penetration = 85% (New MS apps to New Macs)  
Market Share = 55% Word, 70% Excel, 60% Works
- **Upgrade + Upsell MS Buyers:**  
Upgrade 40% of Word/Excel install base  
Upsell 25% of Works install base  
Increase reg rates to 60%
- **Regain IEU Allegiance:**  
Win product reviews  
AAU measurement

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