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After talking with Davidcol, Davidw, Phil and Karl we have decided that, in general, the consensus prioritizes our competition in the following order of importance:

PC/GEOS
CUTTER (OS/2 1.3)
MAC

Based on this list, we will be focusing our efforts at ascertaining where we stand against each Operating System.

The work, for the most part, is done on PC/GEOS. If you have not read the paper by David Weise on PC/GEOS, let me know and I will get you a copy. Other than a few isolated tests, the report I sent to winperf on Jan 15 is the extent of our comparison against PC/GEOS. The lack of any real apps severely limits what we are able to do here.

The remainder of the work on cross OS comparison will focus on Cutter, and the MAC. We will be comparing Windows against the MAC on the following hardware:

Mac IIci
25-MHz 68030 processor
25-MHz 68882 coprocessor
4MB planar memory
built-in video, 256 colors
80MB SCSI hard disk

IBM PS/2 70
25-MHz 80386 processor
25-MHz 80387 coprocessor
640K conventional memory
3328K extended memory
8514 video, 256 colors
110MB ESDI hard disk

Windows against Cutter will be on the PS/2 70 above, as well as a 16MHz PS/2 55sx.

If you have any questions or comments, please let me know. We will be acquiring the MAC machine ASAP.

Thank you for your support...

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