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Quick Reference Guide for
Installing and Using Bar'n'Coder 3.0

1. Decompress the Bar'n'Coder 3.0 Program

Double click on the BNC icon on the original BNC program disc, to decompress the files and install them onto the hard drive of your computer.

2. Bar'n'Coder 3.0 Stacks

Four stacks make up the Bar'n'Coder program:

- LD Bar'n'Coder — Launch this stack to create standard LaserBarcodes.
- CD Bar'n'Coder — Launch this to stack to create standard Compact Disc Barcodes.
- Stackform — This is a template that must be in the BNC folder, to create data stacks. The LD or CD Barcodes you create can be saved to specific data stacks.
- SampleFile — This initial data stack is launched with LD-BNC or CD-BNC. It contains some sample barcodes.

3. Hypercard 2.1

Hypercard 2.1 is included with the Bar'n'Coder 3.0 files and automatically installs on your hard-drive when the program is decompressed. The default application memory size is 1500K. Make sure you are using Hypercard 2.1 and that you do not have any other version of Hypercard installed. If you are not using BNC's decompressed version of Hypercard, make sure the Hypercard memory is set to 1500K. To do this, select the Hypercard Icon, then under the File Menu, select "Get Info". In the lower right corner of the dialog box that appears you can set the Hypercard memory size to 1500K.

4. Launch LD Bar'n'Coder

Double click on the LD-BNC icon in the Bar'n'Coder 3.0 folder. This will bring up LD-BNC and it will automatically load the "Sample File".

5. Select "Player" or "No Player"

You will have the option of selecting "Player" or "No Player" to indicate whether or not a player is attached to the computer. If you use the Pioneer CC-04 cable to connect the Macintosh to an LD-V8000, LD-V4400, CLD-V2400 or an LD-V2200, you can select the "Player" option to rehearse barcodes. When "Player" is selected, a control palette built into the program is activated and appears in the upper right corner of the LD-BNC card. You can use this control palette to locate frames, chapters and time numbers from within the program. If you select the "No Player" option, you will not see the control palette in the upper right corner.

6. Use the LD-BNC Menu to select special options

The first time you bring up the program it will be set to walk an individual user through "With Prompts". For the purposes of this quick demonstration, pull down the LD-BNC menu and select "Without prompts". You might also want to select "Show Comments" so that you can enter two lines of text describing the content of the video segment you will be controlling by barcode.