

NeXT System Administration Release Notes: The DOS Filesystem

This file contains release notes for the DOS filesystem.

Notes Specific to Release 3.3 Patch

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- Renaming files when the dos pathname is > 32 bytes caused the kernel to panic and also did not test for the target name already existing. This has now been fixed.

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New Features

The following new feature has been added to the DOS filesystem since Release 3.2.

- Support for reading and writing removable DOS hard drives.

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- Using large DOS hard drives often led to erroneous data when reading and reporting disk information, and led to corruption when writing. These corruption issues have been fixed.
- DOS filesystem performance has been improved significantly under many circumstances.
- Under a number of circumstances in 3.1 and 3.2, certain DOS partitions wouldn't mount. All known instances of this problem have been addressed.
- If you tried to use a floppy that had been formatted with Norton Safe Format, the disk label used to be displayed incorrectly.
- Sometimes, DOS wasn't listed as a possible option in the workspace initialization panel.