

# 1990 Worldwide Developers' Conference

Integrating Sound Into Your Applications



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## A New Face for Mac

User Interface for Notes





## Why This Presentation?

- Let developers know what Apple is thinking Many groups at Apple taking action.
- Promote the value of consistency
  - "Avoid fragmented approaches."
- Provoke discussion and feedback
  - "Apple does not have all the answers."

## **Types of Notes**



• Text Notes



Graphics Notes

Audio Notes







#### **How Could Notes Be Used?**



• Reminders

Critical feedback







• Sketch simulations

• Etc.

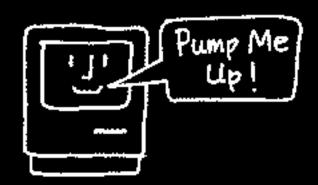
# **Integration of Notes**

- No New Menus!
- Consistent "look and feel"
- Extend the Mac Interface



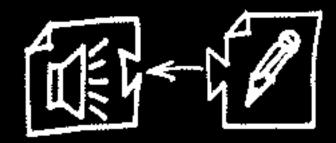
## Some Big Interface Issues

- Integrating a note system
- Anticipating evolving technologies
- Spatial, temporal, contextual considerations



## Some Nitty Gritty Issues

- How will users:
  - create, edit and place notes?
  - store, organize and filter notes?
  - link notes?



## More Nitty Gritty Issues

#### • How will:



- notes be visually represented?
- note content be made secure?
- the Scrapbook be extended to handle notes?
- notes be compressed?

#### What Can You Do?

- Help us add magic to Apple products
- Keep your eye out for Tech Notes
- AppleLink: Developer Services: Apple Human Interface Discussion





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