



OPERATOR INTERFACE PRODUCTS APPLICATION NOTE

Subject: Updating the Bootloader on the 3000 Xycom Product Family of Workstations

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To ensure you have the most current bootloader, cycle power to your Xycom Workstation and read the screen to determine the version of the bootloader. Note: If there is no message on the screen and the system continues to boot to your application, go ahead and do the following steps below.

Objective: Step by step instruction outlining the procedure for updating the 3000 bootloader.

1. Install the latest version of the DEVELOPMENT software, 3.x.
2. Install the latest version of the Runtime ENGINE software, 3.x.
3. Install the PLC driver, ver. 3.x
4. In Windows 95 Explorer create a sub directory within Sofwin called, "Bootloader".
5. Copy the contents of the Bootloader diskette in the path of, C:\Softwin\bootloader. The directory structure should look like the following:
C:\Softwin\Bootloader
 \Files
 \Target
7. Reboot the machine.
8. Click the START button on Windows 95 Task bar. Slide to programs, Softscreen and click on Softscreen Download.
9. Next, click on File, Download, Browse, and Click down on the menu to select the following:
c:\softwin\bootloader\target.
10. Select your Xycom machine.
11. Click Start file download.
12. Answer yes to all questions. When the new bootloader has been downloaded to the Workstation. Cycle Power to the Station.
13. PLEASE CALL XYCOM CANADA or EMAIL if you need any help.

Caution: DO NOT lose power to the Workstation while downloading the new bootloader.