good error recovery for each use.

ERROR HANDLING: Prime Time provides on-screen error messages whenever you select an incorrect command. You can choose different levels of error handling, simply deleting an entry rather than re-saving the database. However, the fact that you can delete only those items that are part of the database allows us to save time by deleting the database immediately.

SUPPORT: Prime Time offers a wide variety of setup and technical support options. It is also possible to purchase advanced technical support for a fee. We strongly recommend that you use this feature.

On the other hand, Prime Time is well suited for designing custom databases for specific needs. The ease of use and the variety of setup and technical support options make Prime Time a good choice for designing and maintaining databases.

In summary, Prime Time is a powerful tool for database management. It is well suited for designing custom databases, as well as for maintaining existing ones. The ease of use and the variety of setup and technical support options make Prime Time a good choice for designing and maintaining databases.
The review begins with a description of the product, highlighting its features and performance. The text then moves on to discuss the user experience, mentioning the ease of use and adaptability of the product. It also touches on the product's compatibility with other software and hardware, as well as its overall value for money.

The review concludes with a summary of the product's strengths, as well as areas for improvement. The reviewer provides a rating based on their experience, suggesting that it is a recommended product for those looking for a reliable and efficient solution.

Throughout the review, the author provides specific examples and comparisons to other products in the market, which helps readers make informed decisions. The review is written in a clear and concise manner, with a focus on providing practical information that potential buyers can use.

Finally, the reviewer includes a section on troubleshooting, which is a valuable resource for users who may encounter issues with the product. This section includes common problems and solutions, making it easier for users to resolve any issues they may face.

Overall, the review is a comprehensive and informative guide for those interested in purchasing the product. It provides a balanced perspective on the product's strengths and weaknesses, and is written in a manner that is easy to understand and follow.
Despite these few minor annoyances, the superb on-line help and the clarity of the manual make the documentation a very good read.

RARE OF LOERING: It seems as no surprise to find that Easy Extra is easy to learn. One requires practically no training to begin using this program. The disk-based tutorial is outstanding, easily paced, clearly presented, and complete. Once you have completed the tutorial, the program is not overly complex, and the manual and context-sensitive help resources provide the assistance you need to finish learning the program.

Because of the superb disk-based tutorial and support system, Easy Extra earns an excellent rating (ease of learning).

RARE OF USF: Although Easy Extra permits graphical movement within a document, handles automatic formatting changes quickly and easily, and supports practically all printers known to us, the inscrutability to reformat an entire document represents a significant flaw in ease of use. What reduces the importance of this shortcoming is our impression that users of basic word processing programs are likely to write short documents at one margins setting. Another drawback is the limited Dollar options, especially the lack of a Delte Word command.

There is also a minor quick fix in the insert mode. You can't insert a carriage return without pressing spacebar twice, instead of once. Control-Spacebar. Otherwise, the return key while the cursor is in the middle of a line is not affected. Easy Extra automatically makes backup copies, every time you save. Although this takes extra disk space, it does provide considerable security for the documents. This backup process cannot be detected.

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- Unacceptable
- Poor
- Satisfactory
- Very Good
- Excellent

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Easy Extra is a multifunctional word processing program with virtually unlimited capabilities. Among its many features, it has an outstanding user interface, superior help systems, cross-platform document handling, and printer support, and it is easy to learn. Recommended.

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