

STARMASTER: a revolutionary development enabling computers to talk to one another.

The product is a modest 1.8 m tall and is approximately the size of a freezer. But the maze of computer chips and circuits inside make it, according to the experts, a revolutionary development in computer technology. It is called STARMASTER and it enables big computer users to link all their computer systems into one central network, regardless of makes or models. And that translates Into increased productivity.

Gandalf's Chairman, Desmond Cunningham, says that this type of central network has hitherto not existed. Until now it was impossible for computers of different makes, speaking different languages, to communicate with one another.

"Corporations, governments and universities have a multiplicity of applications that are running on different computers from IBM, from Digital Equipment, from Hewlett-Packard, Mr. Cunningham explains. "In general, networks associated with those individual computers do not communicate with each other, and so if you're on one of those networks you can't easily access the information that's on the other networks.'

It took Gandalf Technologies five years to develop STARMASTER. The company expects its market potential to jump dramatically as a result. And by 1992 Gandalf expects its sales to quadruple to \$500 million, thanks in large part to STARMASTER.

Where to Buy Tickets

Tickets for the 1988 Calgary Olympic Winter Games may be obtained as follows:

In U.S.A.:

California, call 1-800-421-2255 All other states, call 1-800-421-5785

All other countries:

Call 1-403-270-6088 in Calgary for ticket application forms. Tickets may also be obtained through local National Olympic Committees or from authorized ticket agents.



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Note to Readers

It was erroneously stated in the fall 1987 issue of Canada Reports that the "Loonie" was Canada's first one-dollar coin. Canadian one-dollar coins have been in existence for many years, but the Loonie is the first one designed for mass circulation to replace completely the one-dollar bill, which won't be printed after 1989. The bills, however, will continue to be legal tender for as long as they still remain in circulation.

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