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Subject: Dartmouth System and Basic Documentation

        Since the Dartmouth System and Basic compiler are largely
proprietary programs of Dartmouth College, there is a question as
to whether or not writeups should appear in the MPM or SPS. I
propose that we go ahead and document this system in the MPM and
SPS, with the notation "Installation Maintained Library" in place
of "Development System". Since it is becoming necessary for MPM
and SPS updates to be filtered before release to other installations
anyway*, the Dartmouth writeups can be filtered out also.

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* Since distributed systems are normally "behind" the M.I.T. system.