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Bi-Monthly. $65.00 per year

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A monthly magazine with useful listings of new products, technical tips, and news about industry developments. Check with the publisher for current subscription rates.

Information Today. Learned Information, 143 Old Marlton Pike, Medford, NJ 08055

Includes a useful section devoted to ***CD-ROMs.*** Fine source of new *CD-ROM* product announcements and informa tion.

CD-ROM *Professional.* Pemberton Press, 11 Tannery Lane, Westport CT 06883

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