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Macintosh II Family: Improving Sound Sampling Rate

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TOPIC -----

I want to get better sound quality out of my Macintosh IIsi. I've read that the Macintosh IIsi can sample sound at 11kHz and 22kHz. How can I change my sampling rate to 22kHz? Can I also upgrade my sound chip from 8-bit to 12-bit?

DISCUSSION -----

The sampling rate for the Macintosh IIsi is set at 11khz by the software that comes with the Macintosh IIsi. Third parties will be delivering software that will take advantage of the greater sound capabilities of the Macintosh IIsi in the near future.

There's no way for you to upgrade the Macintosh IIsi sound chip as it is soldered to the logic board. Any upgrade has to be done by Apple at the factory.

In terms of hearing a better output, you hook up your Macintosh to a stereo system, or simply attach some speakers to the Sound Port on the back of the Macintosh. Bose is one company that makes speakers that are popular with the Macintosh.

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