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Macintosh: Do Not Draw Power Directly From The Power Supply

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TOPIC -----

Can I draw power directly from the Macintosh power supply?

DISCUSSION -----

Due to design constraints, you should not draw power directly from the Macintosh power supply.

Use an additional power supply to generate the necessary DC voltages for any peripherals or accessories, such as non-standard hard drives or fans. Thermal considerations are important as well.

(NOTE: As with all non-Apple hardware modifications or upgrades, such adjustments will void the computer system's warranty.)

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