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## Macintosh LC 520 Server: Power Conservation (8/93)

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TOPIC -----

I want to use a Macintosh LC 520 as an AppleShare 3.0 server. Will there be any adverse effect on server performance as a result of the power conservation feature? Is screen dimming the only energy-saving feature of the Macintosh LC 520?

DISCUSSION -----

The Macintosh LC 520's only energy-saving feature is screen dimming. There are no performance-related issues when the computer is in this mode.

When the screen is powered down, total system energy is reduced by approximately 50%:

- Regular power consumption for the Macintosh LC 520 is 60 watts (40 watts not including monitor)
- Power consumption reduces to approximately 30 watts in energy-saving mode.

Power to the screen is restored when you either press the mouse button or a key on the keyboard.

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