

Macintosh: OK to Use SIMMs that Are Faster than Required

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TOPIC
Can using SIMMs faster than what a Macintosh is officially rated for cause any problems?
DISCUSSION
Using SIMMs that are faster than a computer's rating should not cause any problems. It's like arriving at the bus stop 10 minutes earlyyou'll just be there with time to spare but it won't make the bus arrive any earlier. In the same way, your data will be ready for the CPU faster, but the CPU won't read it until it's ready.

As long as your SIMMs are good quality and the proper resistors have been clipped, there should be no problem using faster speeds. Copyright 1991, Apple Computer, Inc.

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