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## Macintosh 630 DOS Compatible: DOS Cannot Access CS Modem 8/95

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TOPIC -----

I have a Macintosh 630 DOS Compatible with a CS Express Modem installed. I am able to access the modem from the Macintosh side with no problem. When I switch to DOS, I am unable to get any of my DOS or Windows programs to see the internal CS modem.

DISCUSSION -----

The DOS compatible card in your Macintosh 630 has no access to the modem in your comm slot. The DOS card is able to communicate with an Ethernet card in the comm slot.

All serial port functionality is handled by PC Setup and the serial driver, PC Setup only maps to the low-level serial driver. Modem communication requires mapping to the modem hardware itself which is not provided for by the PC Setup control panel.

The workaround is to use an external modem to enable modem access for your DOS programs.

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