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Power Macintosh 8100/100AV: No Video from AV Card (6/96)

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TOPIC -----

A customer has a Power Macintosh 8100/100AV computer, which is unable to display video on any known-good displays connected to the AV card, but the built-in video port works fine. We have already replaced the AV card, the logic board, and power supply, but the computer still cannot display video from the AV card. What else can we check?

DISCUSSION -----

You should also verify that the computer has a known-good logic board power cable. Use the steps below to check this cable:

Step 1

Locate the logic board power cable, which is a bundle of 21 multi-colored wires connecting the power supply and logic board.

Step 2

Verify that there are 21 wires and that each wire is connected to the correct pin sockets on the two end connectors; each wire should be connected to the corresponding pins on each connector.

If any wire is missing or if any wire is not properly connected, proceed to Step 3.

Step 3

Replace the logic board power cable (922-0838).

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