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AppleVision 1710AV Display: Shortened Startup Tone (2/97)

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TOPIC -----

I have an AppleVision 1710AV Display connected to my Macintosh computer. When I startup my computer, I sometimes only hear part of the startup tone. If I disconnect the audio cable from the computer to the display, I hear the entire tone. Is there something I can do to hear the complete tone?

DISCUSSION -----

When the Macintosh audio is connected to the AppleVision 1710AV Display, there is nothing you can do, that will allow you to always hear the complete startup tone. Because of the additional features in the AppleVision 1710AV Display, there is a slight delay in power reaching all the components. Depending on how quickly the speakers in the monitor are able to power up, you may hear a partial startup tone, no startup tone, or the entire startup tone.

There is nothing wrong with your monitor or your computer. If you want to hear the startup chime, unplug the sound out cable that connects from your computer to the AppleVision 1710AV Display. Once this cable is removed, you hear the chime from the built-in speaker of your computer. Until you reconnect the sound cable, all sound goes through the internal computer speaker.

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