

## Apple Data Modem 2400: Supports Flash Command

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TOPIC
I have an application that requires approximately a 1/2-second break (sometimes referred to as a 'flash hook' or a 'switch hook') to be generated by the modem. There are a number of modems that provide this feature by sending an exclamation point ('!'). The Apple Personal Modem does not support this.
Does the new Apple Data Modem 2400 support this feature?
DISCUSSION
Yes, the Apple Data Modem 2400 does support the 'Flash' command; the character used is the exclamation point ('!'). This command causes the modem to go ON-HOOK for half a second, then go OFF-HOOK. This is a useful command for transferring telephone calls on some telephone systems. Copyright 1989 Apple Computer, Inc.
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