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The cable described here is a "null" cable.
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signal	dir-ection	Macintosh DTE Mini Circular 8	VAX DTE DB-25	signal	dir-ection
HSKo (DTR)	out	1	6 20	DSR DTR	in in
HSKi (CTS)	in	2	8 5	DCD CTS	out out
TxD-	out	3	3	RxD	in
Gnd		4 8	1 7	Gnd	
RxD-	in	5	2	TxD	out
		6	no connection		
		7	no connection		

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Connect pins:

  1. Macintosh side of cable: 4 and 8

  2. VAX side of cable:

      a. 6 and 20

      b. 8 and 5
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        c. 1 and 7

The pins on the male end of the circular 8 connector are numbered as shown:

         6 7 8
        3 4   5
         1 2

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