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TOPIC -----

The Macintosh II Video Card specifications seem to have changed since August 15th. After looking in the Finished Goods Price List, the part numbers have actually been replaced. The cards use to be M0213 and M0322. We need to know the changes that have occurred because the video output on their projection monitors now is blurred.

DISCUSSION -----

Actually, Apple part number M0213 is the Macintosh II Video Card 4-Bit Expansion Kit and Apple part number M0322 is the new Macintosh II 4-Bit Video Card. The Macintosh II 8-Bit Video Card is part number M0324. The old 4-Bit Video Card's part number is M0211, and the old 8-Bit Video Card's part number is M5640.

The new video cards (M0322 and M0324) use pin 4 to detect the type of monitor attached to the card, and this feature is probably the cause of the problem. For more information on the new video cards, check the Tech Info Library article, "Macintosh II High-Resolution Video Card: New Features."

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