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TOPIC -----

I heard that the Macintosh IIci ROMs can be put into a Macintosh IIcx or Macintosh SE/30 to improve performance. Is there any truth to this?

DISCUSSION -----

The Macintosh IIci ROMs have been tested only in the Macintosh IIci. They may work properly in the Macintosh IIcx or Macintosh SE/30, but there would be no perceptible improvement in performance. Using the Macintosh IIci ROMs would not cause the Macintosh IIcx or Macintosh SE/30 to support the "burst mode" abilities of the MC68030 microprocessor. The Macintosh IIci and the Macintosh IIfx are the only Macintosh computers that have the hardware to support the "burst mode". We do not support using the Macintosh IIci ROMs in a Macintosh IIcx or Macintosh SE/30.

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