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TOPIC -----

I know that System 7 allows a Macintosh II-class system or a Macintosh SE/30 to access more than 8MB of physical DRAM, and the use of higher-density SIMMs. Is the same true for the Macintosh Plus and Macintosh SE? Can I now put in four 4MB SIMMs and have 16MB of RAM in my Macintosh Plus, Macintosh SE, or Macintosh Classic?

DISCUSSION -----

Neither the microprocessor nor the system software determines the type of SIMMs the system can use. This depends on the electrical design and the Memory Manager. The Macintosh Plus, Macintosh Classic, and Macintosh SE have address lines that support only 1MB SIMMs.

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