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TOPIC -----

Will File sharing slow down my Macintosh when someone logs onto it?

DISCUSSION -----

File sharing operates during the idle cycles on a user's machine. How often it uses those idle cycles or makes a higher-level request for more cycles depends on how heavy the requests are from the remote users connected to your Macintosh computer. During heavy access requests for files from remote users, the Macintosh manifests mouse jumping and varying degrees of slowness.

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