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## PowerBook: Using External Device to Discharge NiCad Battery 2/92

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TOPIC -----

When using an external discharge device to discharge the NiCad battery in a PowerBook, is there any adverse effect on the hardware or internal lithium battery?

DISCUSSION -----

There should be no problems using an external discharge device to discharge and then recharge a the NiCad battery in a PowerBook 140, 145, 160, 170, or 180.

This should NOT be done, however, with a PowerBook 100 or PowerBook Duo, which do not have a NiCad battery.

### Article Change History

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