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Power Macintosh DOS Compatibility & Vines IP Client (1/95)

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TOPIC -----

Will Banyan Vines support the Power Macintosh DOS Compatibility as a full Vines IP client?

DISCUSSION -----

Not as of January 1995. Banyan is in Beta right now on an IP Vines client stack, they expect it to ship the end of March 1995. In the meantime, Banyan only supports NDIS drivers for their protocol stack. If you have a Windows client software package, you could probably get it to work with Windows for Workgroups 3.11, since it has an ODI to NDIS translator that seems to work well with the DOS Compatible card.

The other option is to try to get Novell's ODINSUP to work, which has been done. Needless to say any ODI to NDIS translator is in the "unsupported" category! (But should work). For more information search the Tech Info Library for DOS Compatibility and NDIS.

We recommend waiting for the IP Vines client to ship. This seems the most stable route to go.

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