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## PowerBook Duo 210, 230, 250, 270c: External Pinouts (6/94)

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TOPIC -----

This article gives the pin assignments and functions for the external connectors on the Macintosh PowerBook Duo 210, Duo 230, Duo 250, and 270c.

DISCUSSION -----

### ADB connector signal assignments

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Pin number	Signal name	Description
1	ADB	Bidirectional data bus for I/O
2	/POWER ON	Key on ADB keyboard grounds this pin-to-pin 4 to turn on power supply
3	+5V	+5 V power.
4	GND	Ground

#### Serial port connector signal assignments

\_\_\_\_\_ Pin Signal name Description 1 HSKo Handshake output. Connected to the Request to Send (RTS) pin on the Combo chip. Tristated when the Data Terminal Ready (DTR) signal is inactive. 2 HSKi Handshake input. Connected to the Transmit Receive Clock (TRXC) pin on the Combo chip. 3 /TXD Transmit data (inverted). Connected to the Transmit Data (TXD) pin on the Combo chip. Tristated when DTR is inactive Signal ground. Connected to logic and SG chassis ground.

5	/RXD	Receive data (inverted). Connected to the Receive Data (RXD) pin on the Combo chip.
6	TXD	Transmit data. Connected to the Transmit Data (TXD) pin on the Combo chip. Tristated when DTR is inactive
7	GPi	General purpose input. Connected to the Data Carrier Detect (DCD) pin on the Combo chip.
8	RXD	Receive data. Connected to the Receive Data (RXD) pin on the Combo chip.
9, 10, 11	GND	These pins are connected to chassis ground

## PowerBook Duo Floppy Adapter

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The drive is connected through a custom HDI-20 high-density connector.

Pin number	Signal name	Description
1, 2, 3, 4	GND	Ground
5, 10, 20	nc	No connection
6, 7, 8, 9	+5V	+5 V power for floppy drive
11	РН0	State-control line 0
12	PH1	State-control line 1
13	PH2	State-control line 2
14	РН3	State-control line 3
15	/WRREQ	Write data request
16	HDSEL	Head select
17	/ENBL	Floppy drive enable
18	RD	Read data
19	WR	Write data

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