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Posted by [Gantt Kushner](#) on Tue, 29 Apr 2008 18:32:11 GMT

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Posted by [Ted Gerber](#) on Tue, 29 Apr 2008 21:13:41 GMT

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Posted by [Gantt Kushner](#) on Wed, 30 Apr 2008 00:53:30 GMT

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Posted by [Aaron Allen](#) on Wed, 30 Apr 2008 01:52:39 GMT

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Posted by [Ted Gerber](#) on Wed, 30 Apr 2008 05:02:50 GMT  
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Thanks Aaron-

I'll check the RAM allocation again, but I think it's got plenty. I also am considering PC for Paris to run under XP. I'm quite apprehensive about the switch tho, I'm by no means a computer maestro.

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Subject: Re: UAD-1 V.3.9 and Mac  
Posted by [Eugene B](#) on Thu, 01 May 2008 23:13:46 GMT  
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Posted by [Gantt Kushner](#) on Fri, 02 May 2008 02:04:57 GMT  
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