

Introducing this Notebook



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Introducing this Notebook

Welcome

This computer is a state-of-the-art notebook computer that delivers high computational power and accelerated 2/3D graphics on a large built-in screen. It has multiple storage devices and supports a variety of upgrade options such as increasing memory and adding peripherals.

Using this Computer

This notebook computer runs on its own rechargeable battery. You can also plug its AC adapter into a wall socket for continuous high-performance operation or battery recharge.

Warning: It is particularly important that you use only the AC adapter supplied from your dealer in order to avoid damaging your notebook computer.

To use the AC adapter, plug it into a wall socket, plug its DC cable into your notebook's DC jack. This notebook computer's AC adapter has a voltage sensor that accepts different countries' voltages without manual adjustment.

To Open this System

Slide the locking latch on the front edge of the notebook to the right and lift the screen up to a comfortable viewing angle.



To Power On this System

Press the power button to switch on your notebook computer. Before starting Windows, you can activate the System Configuration Utility by pressing the [Ctrl] + [Alt] + [s] key combination shortly after the system is turned on.

For detailed instructions on the System Configuration Utility, please refer to this notebook computer's Online Manual.

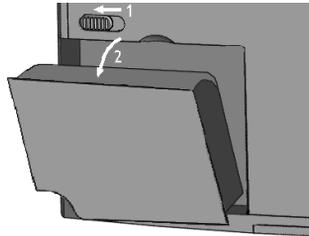
To Shut Down this System

In Microsoft Windows, you can shut down your computer by selecting Shut Down within the Windows Start Menu. You can also restart your computer from this menu.

To Change the Battery

To change the battery, shut down the system, and turn your computer over. Unlock and remove your battery, replace it with a charged battery.

Note: Consult your local dealer for purchasing extra batteries.



Know Your Notebook Computer

This computer's face panel has these parts:

- Keyboard
- Touch pad and touch pad buttons
- Power switch
- Quick-access buttons
- Power indicators
- Status indicators

About the Keyboard

The exact layout of your keyboard depends on the language/system you're using. Displayed here is a standard US/Windows keyboard.

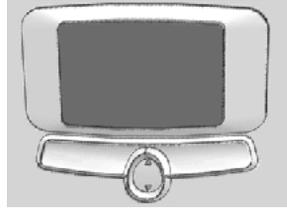
The table below shows the meaning of the function key icons, and other embedded keyboard icons:

Keystrokes	Icon	Action
FN + F2		This key combination causes your notebook to suspend to RAM.
FN + F3		This key combination causes your notebook to suspend to disk.(For APM mode)
FN + F6		This key combination turns off the built-in speakers, and any speakers that are connected to the speaker sound port.
FN + F7		This key combination increases the volume of the speakers, and any speakers attached to the sound port.
FN + F8		This key combination decreases the volume of the speakers, and any speakers attached to the sound port.
FN + F9		This key combination increases the brightness of the built-in monitor.
FN + F10		This key combination decreases the brightness of the built-in monitor.
		This key activates the Start button Windows Task Bar.
		This key opens the pull down menu of a selected icon or object. Its action is the same as right-clicking an icon or object with a mouse or Touch pad.

Note: Certain models may not support some of the above-mentioned key combinations.

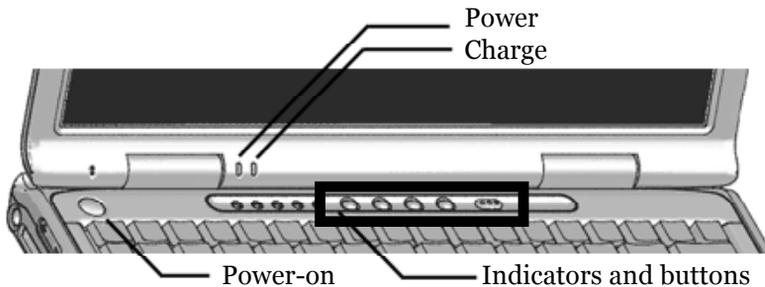
Using the Touch pad

The touch pad acts exactly like a roller mouse. You can move your fingertip across the pad's surface to control the cursor. The left and right buttons act exactly like a mouse's left and right buttons. The up and down button can scroll a window's contents up and down.



You can use the Windows Mouse Control Panel to configure the touch pad.

Using Quick-access Buttons



Launching Applications



You can quick launch as many as four applications using quick-access buttons. The first two are your system's default browser and E-mail client. The rest of them (P1 and P2) are two user-defined applications. You can define the applications using the supplied Control Panels.

Playing Audio CD



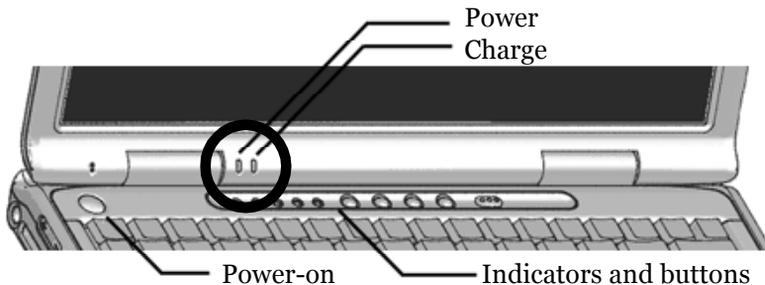
If you have placed a piece of audio CD in the CD/DVD drive, you can press a button to play it or stop playing it. From left to right: Last Chapter, Play/Pause, Stop, and Next Chapter.

Note: Even if the computer is off, you can play the CD in your CD/DVD drive as long as the system is powered.

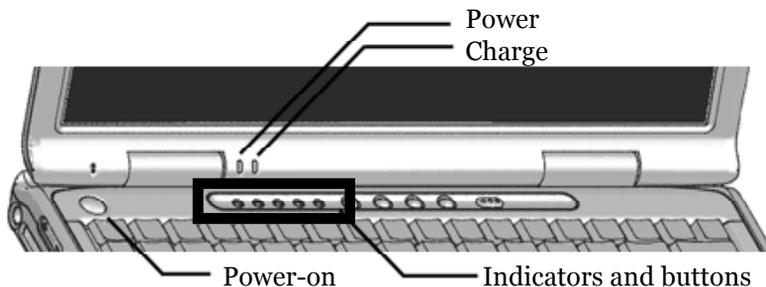
You can adjust volume using the volume button on the left side.

About the Power Indicators

The two power indicators are located on the lower edge of both sides of the display panel.



Left-side Indicator		Right-side Indicator	
Steady	System is on	Steady	Battery is fully charged
Flashing	System is suspended	Flashing	Battery is charging



About the Status Indicators



The five status indicators, from left to right, are: Mail, Hard Disk, Num Lock, Caps Lock and Scroll Lock.

About the CD/DVD Drive

Depending on configuration, your notebook computer may have a CD-ROM drive or a more advanced optical drive like a DVD-ROM or CD/RW. Press the button on the drive's faceplate to eject the tray. To retract, carefully push the tray in. All optical drives should be handled with care.

Using an External Monitor

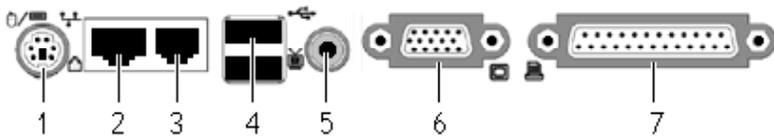
This computer supports both mirroring and desktop expansion modes. If you connect this computer to an external monitor, the additional monitor can display the same contents as the LCD, or it can display additional contents. You can use the Windows Monitor Control Panel to configure your display.

The external monitor is always on. You only have to plug it to the monitor port on the computer's rear side.

Adding Peripherals

With a variety of ports and slots, this notebook computer is almost as expandable as a desktop model. Here are lists of user-serviceable upgrade options:

Rear side (from left to right):



1. External PS/2 mouse/keyboard port
2. 10/100 BaseT Ethernet port
3. Modem port
4. 2 USB ports
5. TV out RCA jack (optional, only on certain models)
6. External monitor
7. Printer port

Left Side (from left to right):



1. AC adapter jack
2. Volume control (+ / -)
3. FIR port
4. 3.5" Floppy disk drive
5. High-speed IEEE-1394 port
6. Audio in (To microphone)
7. Audio out (To speaker)
8. PCMCIA slot

Note: The left side volume control works only with the power-off CD player feature. It doesn't work under Windows.

Here is a list of upgrading options that are not user-serviceable:

- Processor
- CD/DVD drive
- Mini PCI bus (For wireless LAN card only)
- SODIMM Memory
- Internal hard disk

Note: Consult your local dealer for upgrade solutions.