



HP Introduces New Business Desktop PC Portfolio

PALO ALTO, Calif., Sept. 15, 2009 – HP today introduced the HP Compaq 6000 Pro and HP Compaq 6005 Pro desktop PC portfolio for businesses ranging from mid market education and healthcare customers to corporate enterprises.

The portfolio offers proven technology, flexible productivity tools and security features that are easy to deploy and manage.

“HP continues to see strong and steady customer demand for reliable, secure and full-featured desktop PCs,” said Alan Reed, vice president and general manager, Desktop PCs, HP. “Featuring the right blend of productivity and manageability solutions, the HP Compaq 6000 Pro and HP Compaq 6005 Pro desktop PCs offer businesses the essential PC security, reliability and energy efficiency they need at a competitive price.”

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Solid foundation for business: security, energy efficiency and flexible deployment options

The HP Compaq Pro series offer a comprehensive portfolio of security solutions, including the full suite of HP ProtectTools options⁽¹⁾ to more safely secure hardware, software, firmware and the operating system. A standard embedded Trusted Platform Module 1.2-compliant security chip provides hardware-based encryption capabilities and enhances data protection and system access.

The series features an array of energy-saving components to help businesses monitor and reduce energy use. Both models are EPEAT® Gold registered⁽²⁾ and offer an optional⁽³⁾ 89 percent efficient power supply - the highest percentage of power savings HP offers on its desktop PCs - which helps lower energy consumption and costs. HP Power Manager software maximizes energy savings, default S3 sleep settings conserve power after periods of inactivity, and a holistic thermal design enables these PCs to last longer.

Both models include two independent audio streams that allow Voice over IP (VoIP)⁽⁴⁾ calls to be routed to the headset while restricting other audio playback to PC speakers.

Featuring a new industrial design with a sleek black, modern chassis with silver accents, the HP Compaq Pro series boasts a 12 month-plus product lifecycle and global SKUs to meet global business deployment needs. Available in a traditional microtower for expandability or the space saving small form factor, the series also features internal and external bays for removable media options or a second hard drive, and PCIe slots to expand capabilities. Simplified serviceability is a snap with a new, simplified tool-less hood removal, quick release latches, and color-coded connectors and wires. HP will also be the one of the first in the industry to offer 100 percent recycled single packaging expanded polyethylene (EPE) cushions across the 6000 Pro series, available in NA and LA.

HP Compaq 6000 Pro Desktop PC

The HP Compaq 6000 Pro now offers integrated dual-monitor capability and improved video and 3D graphics support with Intel Graphics Media Accelerator 4500, which enables integrated graphics with Microsoft® DirectX-10 support.⁽⁵⁾ High-definition multi-streaming and four-channel audio with echo-cancellation features provide rich sound quality with increased audio flexibility, performance and noise reduction. DDR3 SDRAM memory technology provides higher bandwidth and performance while using less power.

Equipped with a choice of Intel® processors⁽⁶⁾ and the Intel Q43 express chipset, the HP Compaq 6000 Pro desktop provides solid computing for businesses that need flexible management capabilities for office and remote workers. Integrated Intel Standard Manageability enables remote PC access so IT departments can quickly identify and resolve issues. The Intel Stable Image Platform Program helps reduce costs by providing components that support a standardized, common and stable software image across the series.

HP Compaq 6005 Pro Desktop PC

New HP RapidDrive technology, which pairs a solid state drive and regular serial ATA hard drive, is an optional⁽⁷⁾ configuration on the HP Compaq 6005 Pro that provides customers with quicker boot-up and response times with extended storage capability. High-end features such as integrated dual-display capability and DDR3 memory raise productivity while optional⁽³⁾ RAID technology with data mirroring minimizes disruptions and protects critical business documents.

The HP Compaq 6005 features integrated DASH 1.1 for expedited remote access to security patches, troubleshooting, and automated system startup and shutdown. All HP Compaq 6005 Pro PC configurations are ENERGY STAR® 5.0 qualified, and a new integrated sideport memory interface helps reduce system power. Businesses will appreciate that the HP Compaq 6005 Pro PC idle quad core processor power measurements show an average of 25 percent improvement over the current HP Compaq dc5850 PC. In addition, a solenoid hood lock and sensor help protect the unit from theft or tampering.

AMD Business Class technology and the new AMD 785G chipset along with Athlon™ II Dual Core and Phenom™ II Dual/Triple/Quad Core processors⁽⁷⁾ provide stability with exceptional multi-tasking processing power and an excellent integrated graphics experience which supports Microsoft DirectX-10.1.⁽⁶⁾

Building a full solution

HP also announced new HP Compaq LA1905wg, LA2205wg and LA2405wg business displays featuring a smart, adjustable design for a comfortable workspace and power saving capabilities that help reduce costs. The HP Compaq LE1851w and LE2001w have been introduced with the HP Compaq Pro series to provide the consistent and affordable image quality capability to meet business needs.

The HP Compaq LA1751g and LA1951g deliver a reduction in power consumption and upgraded features that allow users to work with legacy and developing graphics technology with connections that support analog or digital modes. All of these displays are ENERGY STAR® 5.0 qualified,⁽²⁾ TCO 5.0 Certified and feature reduced power consumption along with many other environmental features.



Pricing and availability⁽⁸⁾

Available now, the starting U.S. list prices for the HP Compaq 6000 and 6005 Pro desktop PCs are \$605 and \$563, respectively. HP Compaq 6005 Pro with RapidDrive configuration has a starting price of \$774. Business displays are expected to be available starting Oct. 1 in the United States, with a list price starting at \$190.

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⁽¹⁾ ProtectTools features include: Credential Manager, File Sanitizer, Device Access Manager, Drive Encryption, Embedded Security, Java Card Security, Privacy Manager, LoJack Pro. For more information, visit, http://www.hp.com/sbso/solutions/pc_expertise/great-desktops/protect/tools.html

⁽²⁾ In advance of the Oct. 31, 2009 effective date.

⁽³⁾ Optional features sold separately or as add on features.

⁽⁴⁾ Requires Internet Access and VOIP service contracts. Internet access sold separately

⁽⁵⁾ DirectX® 10 requires Windows Vista. Windows 7 will support older DirectX 9 adapters using a WDDM v1.0 (Vista) driver. DirectX 10 requires a WDDM v1.1 (Windows 7) compliant driver.

⁽⁶⁾ Processors include Intel Core 2™ Quad, Intel Core 2 Duo, Intel Pentium® dual core, or Intel Celeron®.

⁽⁷⁾ This system requires a separately purchased 64-bit operating system and 64-bit software products to take advantage of the 64-bit processing capabilities of AMD technology. Dual/quad/triple-core processing available with AMD technology is designed to improve performance of this system. Given the wide range of software applications available, performance of a system including a 64-bit operating system and a dual-core processor will vary

⁽⁸⁾ Estimated U.S. list prices. Actual prices may vary.

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