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Power Macintosh 4400/200: Description (2/97)

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TOPIC -----

This article contains a description of the Power Macintosh 4400/200 series computers.

DISCUSSION -----

The Power Macintosh 4400/200 computer combines high performance with a streamlined, cost-effective design that takes advantage of industry-standard parts to give you Power Macintosh capabilities at a highly economical price. It's an ideal system for small and medium-size businesses, for home offices, and for running productivity applications in organizations of any size.

Based on advanced RISC technology, the Power Macintosh 4400/200 computer provides the two key features that most organizations are looking for in a Macintosh: the speed of the PowerPC processor and the flexibility of the Peripheral Component Interconnect (PCI) expansion architecture. More specifically, for high-performance computing, it offers a fast 200-megahertz PowerPC 603e processor. For expansion, it includes two industry-standard PCI slots that make it easy--and relatively inexpensive--to customize the system to provide additional capabilities that can meet your needs more precisely. In fact, if you want to use your Power Macintosh 4400/200 to run not only the Mac OS, but also MS-DOS and Windows applications, you can simply install a PC Compatibility Card from Apple in one of the system's PCI slots.

With networking and Internet use becoming increasingly important to most individuals and organizations, you'll be glad to know that the Power Macintosh 4400/200 has both bases covered. The Power Macintosh 4400/200 includes built-in LocalTalk networking capabilities, and some configurations include built-in Ethernet and all of the software tools needed to access the Internet. Other configurations can be configured for high-speed Internet access by installing an optional Ethernet or modem card.

So whether you need power and expandability for everyday number crunching, office productivity, or an innovative multimedia project--or want a fast, easy way to get started with the Internet--the Power Macintosh 4400/200 offers the features you need at an affordable price.

Features

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High performance

- * 200-MHz PowerPC 603e processor
- * Built-in floating-point processor and 32K internal cache
- * 256K level 2 cache (included with some configurations)
- * Built-in 2-D graphics acceleration

Communications and multimedia

- * 10BASE-T Ethernet port (included with some configurations)
- * Two high-speed serial ports compatible with GeoPort devices and LocalTalk cables
- * 8x- or 12x-speed CD-ROM drive (depending on configuration)
- * 16-bit stereo audio input and output

Expandability

- * Two industry-standard PCI expansion slots (one 12-inch and one 7-inch)
- * SCSI connector for hard disks, CD-ROM drives, and other SCSI devices
- * Up to 160 MB of EDO DRAM
- * Up to 4 MB of video RAM
- * Communication slot for optional internal modem or Ethernet card (Ethernet Card installed in some configurations)

Compatibility

- * Supports Open Transport networking software (TCP/IP and AppleTalk)
 - * Runs most 680x0 Macintosh applications as well as applications accelerated for Power Macintosh computers
 - * Reads Mac OS, Windows, MS-DOS, OS/2, and ProDOS floppy disk formats
 - * Runs MS-DOS and Windows applications via optional PC Compatibility Cards from Apple
 - * Comes with all of the software required for Internet access
- System 7.5 software
- * Makes working with different applications consistent, so they're easier to learn and use
 - * Allows easy customization of your Macintosh to reflect the way you work
 - * Provides active assistance in learning new features with Apple Guide

Ordering Information

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Power Macintosh 4400/200 (US)

Order No. M5767LL/A

* Power Macintosh 4400/200 computer with 256K level 2 cache, 16 MB of EDO DRAM, 2 MB video RAM, built-in Ethernet, a built-in 1.4 MB Apple SuperDrive floppy disk drive, an internal 1.2 GB hard disk drive, and an internal 8x-speed CD-ROM drive. Includes keyboard and mouse; system software version 7.5.3 or later; Internet access software; complete setup, learning, and reference documentation; and limited warranty.

Power Macintosh 4400/200 (Europe/Latin America)

Order No. M5766LL/A

* Power Macintosh 4400/200 computer with 16 MB of RAM, a built-in 1.4 MB Apple SuperDrive floppy disk drive, an internal 1.2 GB hard disk drive, and an internal 8x-speed CD-ROM drive. Includes keyboard and mouse; system software version 7.5.3 or later; Internet access software; complete setup, learning, and reference documentation; and limited warranty.

Power Macintosh 4400/200 (Europe)

Order No. M5842LL/A

* Power Macintosh 4400/200 computer with 256K level 2 cache, 24 MB of EDO DRAM, 2 MB video RAM, built-in Ethernet, a built-in 1.4 MB Apple SuperDrive floppy disk drive, an internal 1.6 GB hard disk drive, and an internal 8x-speed CD-ROM drive. Includes keyboard and mouse; system software version 7.5.3 or later; Internet access software; complete setup, learning, and reference documentation; and limited warranty.

Power Macintosh 4400/200 (Japan)

Order No. M5773LL/A

* Power Macintosh 4400/200 computer with 256K level 2 cache, 16 MB of EDO DRAM, 2 MB video RAM, built-in Ethernet, a built-in 1.4 MB Apple SuperDrive floppy disk drive, an internal 1.2 GB hard disk drive, and an internal 12x-speed CD-ROM drive. Includes keyboard and mouse; system software version 7.5.3 or later; Internet access software; complete setup, learning, and reference documentation; and limited warranty.

Power Macintosh 4400/200 (Asia)

Order No. M5839LL/A

* Power Macintosh 4400/200 computer with 16 MB of RAM, 2 MB video RAM, a built-in 1.4 MB Apple SuperDrive floppy disk drive, an internal 1.2 GB hard disk drive, and an internal 8x-speed CD-ROM drive. Includes keyboard and mouse; system software version 7.5.3 or later; Internet access software; complete setup, learning, and reference documentation; and limited warranty.

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