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PowerBook 145: Specifications (Discontinued)

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TOPIC -----

This article gives technical specifications for the Macintosh PowerBook 145 notebook computer.

DISCUSSION -----

Microprocessor

• 68030, running at 25 MHz

Address and Data Bus

32-bit Address Bus 32-bit Data Bus

Memory

- Comes with 2MB or 4MB pseudostatic RAM on the logic board and one memory expansion slot.
- Expandable to 8MB of RAM by installing a RAM expansion card in the expansion slot.

Disk Storage

- One built-in 1.4MB drive that uses high-density floppy disks; it reads, writes, and formats Macintosh, MS-DOS, OS/2, and ProDOS disks.
- One internal 40MB or 80MB hard disk

Display

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- 10 inch (254 mm) diagonal
- Backlit Supertwist liquid crystal display
- 640 by 400 pixels

Battery

- NiCad, 2.5 ampere-hours, provides 2 to 3 hours of use before recharging is necessary
- Recharge time: 100% recharged after 5 hours; 80% recharged after 3 hours

Keyboard

- Built-in keyboard with standard Macintosh layout
- Two-level tilt adjustment

Trackball

• Dual-button trackball, 30 mm diameter,

Clock/Calendar

• CMOS custom chip with long-life lithium battery

Interfaces

- One Apple Desktop Bus (ADB) port for keyboard, mouse, and other devices using a low-speed, synchronous serial bus
- Two RS-422 serial ports for LocalTalk networking, printers, modems, and other devices
- One HDI-30 SCSI port for hard disks, scanners, CD-ROM drives, and other devices
- One sound output port for external audio amplifier
- One sound-in port

Modem

- Optional internal 2400-baud modem with facsimile send at 9600 baud; includes facsimile send software
- Error correction and compression: MNP 4, 5 and V.42, V.42bis

Sound Generator

• Apple Sound Chip provides 8-bit sound, capable of driving stereo

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headphones or other stereo equipment through the sound port.

Sound Input

• 8-bit sound, sampled at 11 or 22 kHz

Disability Access

• CloseView, Easy Access, and visible beep included with system software. These built-in solutions and third-party options provide alternative input and output devices for people with disability.

ADB Power Requirements

 Maximum current draw for all ADB devices is 200 milliamps (a maximum of three ADB devices is recommended)

Electrical Requirements

- Line voltage: 100 to 240 volts
- Frequency: 50 to 60 Hz

Environmental Requirements

- Operating temperature: 50 to 104 degrees F (10 to 40 degrees C)
- Storage Temperature: -40 to 65° C (-40 to 148° F)
- Relative humidity: 20% to 80% noncondensing
- Altitude: Operating: 3048 m (10,000 ft.) maximum Shipping (non-operating) 0 to 15,000 ft. (0 to 4,722 m)

Size and Weight

- Height 2.25 inches (5.7 cm)
- Width 11.25 inches (28.6 cm)
- Depth 9.3 inches (23.6 cm)
- Weight 6.8 lb (3.03 kg)

Noise Level

Noise free except for floppy or hard disk use.

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