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Apple Products: Dates Introduced and Discontinued (2/97)

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This article lists the approximate date of introduction and, where applicable, the date when the model was discontinued for various Apple products. Dates which are missing from the table will be added as they occur.

DISCUSSION -----

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COMPUTER SYSTEMS

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| Apple II Series ----- | Introduced ----- | Discontinued ----- |
|---------------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|
| Apple II | August 1978 | December 1982 |
| Apple II+ | June 1979 | June 1983 |
| Apple IIC | April 1984 | September 1988 |
| Apple IIC Plus | September 1988 | November 1990 |
| Apple IIe | January 1983 | March 1985 |
| Apple IIe Enhanced | March 1985 | November 1993 |
| Apple IIGS | September 1986 | December 1992 |
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| Apple III Series ----- | Introduced ----- | Discontinued ----- |
| Apple III | May 1980 | September 1985 |
| Apple III+ | December 1983 | September 1985 |
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| Lisa ----- | Introduced ----- | Discontinued ----- |
| Lisa 2 | January 1984 | January 1985 |
| Lisa 2/5 | January 1984 | January 1985 |
| Lisa 2/10 | January 1984 | January 1985 |
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| Macintosh ----- | Introduced ----- | Discontinued ----- |
| Mac 128K | January 1984 | October 1985 |
| Mac 512K | September 1984 | April 1986 |
| Mac 512Ke | April 1986 | August 1986 |

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| Mac Plus | January 1986 | October 1990 |
| Macintosh Classic | October 1990 | October 1991 |
| Macintosh Classic II | October 1991 | September 1993 |
| Macintosh Color Classic | February 1993 | May 1994 |
| Macintosh LC | November 1990 | March 1992 |
| Macintosh LC II | March 1992 | March 1993 |
| Macintosh LC III | February 1993 | February 1994 |
| Macintosh LC 475 | October 1993 | |
| Macintosh LC 520 | June 1993 | February 1995 |
| Macintosh LC 550 | February 1994 | April 1995 |
| Macintosh LC 575 | February 1994 | April 1995 |
| Macintosh LC 580 | April 1995 | |
| Macintosh LC 630 | July 1994 | April 1995 |
| Macintosh LC 630 DOS Compatible | April 1995 | April 1996 |
| Macintosh Portable | September 1989 | January 1991 |
| Macintosh SE | March 1987 | October 1990 |
| Macintosh SE/30 | January 1989 | October 1990 |
| Macintosh SE FDHD | August 1989 | October 1990 |
| Macintosh TV | October 1993 | |
| Macintosh XL | January 1985 | August 1986 |

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| Macintosh II | Introduced | Discontinued |
| ----- | ----- | ----- |
| Macintosh II | March 1987 | January 1990 |
| Macintosh IIX | October 1988 | October 1990 |
| Macintosh IICx | March 1989 | March 1991 |
| Macintosh IICi | September 1989 | February 1993 |
| Macintosh IIFx | March 1990 | April 1992 |
| Macintosh IISi | October 1990 | March 1993 |
| Macintosh IIVx | October 1992 | October 1993 |

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| Centris | Introduced | Discontinued |
| ----- | ----- | ----- |
| Macintosh Centris 610 | February 1993 | October 1993 |
| Macintosh Centris 650 | February 1993 | October 1993 |
| Macintosh Centris 660AV | August 1993 | October 1993 |

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| Quadra | Introduced | Discontinued |
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| Quadra 605 | October 1993 | October 1994 |
| Quadra 610 | October 1993 | May 1994 |
| Quadra 630 | July 1994 | April 1995 |
| Quadra 650 | October 1993 | September 1994 |
| Quadra 660AV | October 1993 | September 1994 |
| Quadra 700 | October 1991 | March 1993 |
| Quadra 800 | February 1993 | March 1994 |
| Quadra 840AV | August 1993 | July 1994 |
| Quadra 900 | October 1991 | May 1992 |
| Quadra 950 | May 1992 | October 1995 |

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| Power Macintosh | Introduced | Discontinued |
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| Power Macintosh 4400/160 | November | 1996 | | |
| (Europe only) | | | | |
| Power Macintosh 4400/200 | February | 1997 | | |
| Power Macintosh 5200/75 LC | April | 1995 | April | 1996 |
| Power Macintosh 5260/100 | April | 1996 | | |
| Power Macintosh 5260/120 | October | 1996 | | |
| Power Macintosh 5300/100 LC | September | 1995 | | |
| Power Macintosh 5400/120 | April | 1996 | | |
| Power Macintosh 5400/180 | October | 1996 | | |
| Power Macintosh 5500/225 | February | 1997 | | |
| Power Macintosh 6400/200 | October | 1996 | | |
| Power Macintosh 6500/225 | February | 1997 | | |
| Power Macintosh 6500/250 | February | 1997 | | |
| Power Macintosh 6100/60 | March | 1994 | January | 1995 |
| Power Macintosh 6100/60AV | March | 1994 | January | 1995 |
| Power Macintosh 6100/66 | January | 1995 | October | 1995 |
| Power Macintosh 6100/66AV | January | 1995 | April | 1995 |
| Power Macintosh 6100/66 | | | | |
| DOS Compatible | January | 1995 | | |
| Power Macintosh 7100/66 | March | 1994 | January | 1995 |
| Power Macintosh 7100/66AV | March | 1994 | January | 1995 |
| Power Macintosh 7100/80 | January | 1995 | January | 1996 |
| Power Macintosh 7100/80AV | January | 1995 | August | 1995 |
| Power Macintosh 7200/75 | August | 1995 | March | 1996 |
| Power Macintosh 7200/90 | August | 1995 | | |
| Power Macintosh 7200/120 | April | 1996 | | |
| Power Macintosh 7200/120 | April | 1996 | February | 1997 |
| PC Compatible | | | | |
| Power Macintosh 7300/180 | February | 1997 | | |
| Power Macintosh 7300/200 | February | 1997 | | |
| Power Macintosh 7500/100 | August | 1995 | | |
| Power Macintosh 7600/120 | April | 1996 | | |
| Power Macintosh 7600/200 | November | 1997 | | |
| Power Macintosh 8100/80 | March | 1994 | January | 1995 |
| Power Macintosh 8100/80AV | March | 1994 | January | 1995 |
| Power Macintosh 8100/100 | January | 1995 | October | 1995 |
| Power Macintosh 8100/100AV | January | 1995 | August | 1995 |
| Power Macintosh 8100/110 | November | 1994 | August | 1995 |
| Power Macintosh 8200/100 | April | 1996 | | |
| Power Macintosh 8200/120 | April | 1996 | | |
| Power Macintosh 8500/120 | August | 1995 | | |
| Power Macintosh 8500/132 | April | 1996 | | |
| Power Macintosh 8500/150 | April | 1996 | | |
| Power Macintosh 8500/180 | August | 1996 | | |
| Power Macintosh 8600/200 | February | 1997 | | |
| Power Macintosh 9500/120 | June | 1995 | May | 1996 |
| Power Macintosh 9500/132 | June | 1995 | July | 1996 |
| Power Macintosh 9500/150 | April | 1996 | August | 1996 |
| Power Macintosh 9500/200 | August | 1996 | | |
| Power Macintosh 9500/180MP | August | 1996 | | |
| Power Macintosh 9600/200 | February | 1997 | | |
| Power Macintosh 9600/200MP | February | 1997 | | |

| PowerBook | Introduced | Discontinued |
|---------------------------|---------------|------------------|
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| PowerBook 100 | October 1991 | July 1992 |
| PowerBook 140 | October 1991 | August 1992 |
| PowerBook 145 | August 1992 | June 1993 |
| PowerBook 145b | June 1993 | July 1994 |
| PowerBook 150 | July 1994 | October 1995 |
| PowerBook 160 | October 1992 | August 1993 |
| PowerBook 165 | August 1993 | July 1994 |
| PowerBook 165c | February 1993 | December 1993 |
| PowerBook 170 | October 1991 | October 1992 |
| PowerBook 180 | October 1992 | May 1994 |
| PowerBook 180c | June 1993 | March 1994 |
| PowerBook 190/66 | August 1995 | |
| PowerBook 190cs/66 | August 1995 | September 1996* |
| PowerBook 520 | May 1994 | June 1995 |
| PowerBook 520c | May 1994 | September 1995 |
| PowerBook 540 | May 1994 | October 1994 |
| PowerBook 540c | May 1994 | August 1995 |
| PowerBook 550c | May 1995 | |
| (Available in Japan Only) | | |
| PowerBook 1400cs/117 | October 1996 | |
| PowerBook 1400c/117 | October 1996 | February 1997 |
| PowerBook 1400c/133 | October 1996 | |
| PowerBook 3400c/180 | February 1997 | |
| PowerBook 3400c/200 | February 1997 | |
| PowerBook 3400c/240 | February 1997 | |
| PowerBook 5300/100 | August 1995 | August 1996 |
| PowerBook 5300c/100 | August 1995 | September 1996** |
| PowerBook 5300ce/117 | August 1995 | September 1996 |
| PowerBook 5300cs/100 | August 1995 | August 1996 |
| PowerBook Duo 210 | October 1992 | October 1993 |
| PowerBook Duo 230 | October 1992 | July 1994 |
| PowerBook Duo 250 | October 1993 | May 1994 |
| PowerBook Duo 270c | October 1993 | May 1994 |
| PowerBook Duo 280 | May 1994 | November 1994 |
| PowerBook Duo 280c | May 1994 | January 1996 |
| PowerBook Duo 2300c/100 | August 1995 | |

NOTE:

* The PowerBook 190cs 8/500 configuration was discontinued 9/96, the 4/500 configuration was not.

** The PowerBook 5300c 8/500 configuration was discontinued 9/96, the 16/750 configuration was not.

| PowerBook Docking Solutions | Introduced | Discontinued |
|-----------------------------|--------------|--------------|
| ----- | ----- | ----- |
| PowerBook Duo MiniDock | October 1992 | August 1995 |
| PowerBook Duo Dock | October 1992 | July 1995 |
| PowerBook Duo Dock II | May 1994 | May 1995 |
| PowerBook Duo Dock Plus | May 1995 | |

| Performa | Introduced | Discontinued |
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| Performa 200 | October | 1992 | April 1993 |
| Performa 400 | October | 1992 | April 1993 |
| Performa 405 | April | 1993 | |
| Performa 410 | October | 1993 | |
| Performa 430 | April | 1993 | |
| Performa 450 | April | 1993 | |
| Performa 460 | October | 1993 | |
| Performa 466 | October | 1993 | |
| Performa 467 | October | 1993 | |
| Performa 475 | October | 1993 | |
| Performa 476 | October | 1993 | |
| Performa 550 | October | 1993 | |
| Performa 560 | January | 1994 | |
| Performa 575 | April | 1994 | |
| Performa 577 | April | 1994 | |
| Performa 578 | April | 1994 | |
| Performa 580 | May | 1995 | |
| Performa 588 | April | 1995 | |
| Performa 600 | October | 1992 | October 1993 |
| Performa 630 | July | 1994 | |
| Performa 630CD | July | 1994 | |
| Performa 631 | July | 1995 | |
| Performa 635 | July | 1994 | |
| Performa 635CD | July | 1994 | |
| Performa 636 | July | 1994 | |
| Performa 637CD | July | 1994 | |
| Performa 638CD | July | 1994 | |
| Performa 640 | | | |
| DOS Compatible | May | 1995 | |
| Performa 5200CD | July | 1995 | |
| Performa 5210 | May | 1995 | |
| Performa 5215 | July | 1995 | |
| Performa 5220 | May | 1995 | |
| Performa 5300 | October | 1995 | |
| Performa 6110 | September | 1994 | |
| Performa 6112 | September | 1994 | |
| Performa 6115 | September | 1994 | |
| Performa 6116 | July | 1995 | |
| Performa 6117 | September | 1994 | |
| Performa 6118 | September | 1994 | |
| Performa 6200 | July | 1995 | |
| Performa 6205 | August | 1995 | |
| Performa 6214 | August | 1995 | |
| Performa 6216 | July | 1995 | |
| Performa 6218 | July | 1995 | |
| Performa 6220 | July | 1995 | |
| Performa 6290 | January | 1996 | |
| Performa 6230 | July | 1995 | |
| Performa 6300 | October | 1995 | |
| Performa 6320 | April | 1996 | September 1996 |
| Performa 6400 | August | 1996 | |
| Performa 6360/160 | October | 1996 | |

| Apple Servers | Introduced | Discontinued |
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| ----- | ----- | ----- |
| Network Server 500/132 | April 1996 | |
| Network Server 700/150 | April 1996 | |
| Network Server 700/200 | September 1996 | |
| Workgroup Server 60 | July 1993 | October 1993 |
| Workgroup Server 80 | March 1993 | October 1994 |
| Workgroup Server 95 | March 1993 | April 1995 |
| Workgroup Server 6150/60 | April 1994 | April 1995 |
| Workgroup Server 6150/66 | April 1995 | October 1995 |
| Workgroup Server 7250/120 | Feb 1996 | |
| Workgroup Server 8150/80 | April 1994 | |
| Workgroup Server 8150/110 | April 1995 | |
| Workgroup Server 8550/132 | September 1996 | |
| Workgroup Server 8550/200 | September 1996 | |
| Workgroup Server 8550/132 | April 1996 | |
| Workgroup Server 9150/80 | April 1994 | October 1994 |
| Workgroup Server 9150/120 | April 1995 | |

PRINTERS

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| ImageWriters | Introduced | Discontinued |
|-----------------|----------------|----------------|
| ----- | ----- | ----- |
| ImageWriter 15" | April 1984 | September 1987 |
| ImageWriter I | June 1984 | December 1985 |
| ImageWriter II | September 1985 | |
| ImageWriter LQ | August 1987 | December 1990 |

| LaserWriters | Introduced | Discontinued |
|--------------------------|----------------|----------------|
| ----- | ----- | ----- |
| Color LaserWriter 12/600 | June 1995 | |
| LaserWriter | March 1985 | February 1988 |
| LaserWriter 12/640 PS | June 1996 | |
| LaserWriter 16/600 PS | September 1994 | |
| LaserWriter Plus | January 1986 | February 1988 |
| LaserWriter IISC | January 1988 | July 1990 |
| LaserWriter IINT | January 1988 | October 1991 |
| LaserWriter IINTX | January 1988 | October 1991 |
| LaserWriter IIf | October 1991 | May 1993 |
| LaserWriter IIg | October 1991 | October 1993 |
| LaserWriter Pro 600 | January 1993 | October 1993 |
| LaserWriter Pro 630 | January 1993 | September 1994 |
| LaserWriter Pro 810 | October 1993 | November 1994 |
| LaserWriter Select 300 | February 1993 | January 1995 |
| LaserWriter Select 310 | February 1993 | January 1994 |
| LaserWriter Select 360 | October 1993 | April 1996 |
| Personal LaserWriter LS | March 1991 | May 1993 |
| Personal LaserWriter NT | July 1990 | 1994 |
| Personal LaserWriter NTR | March 1992 | September 1993 |
| Personal LaserWriter SC | June 1990 | September 1993 |
| Personal LaserWriter 300 | June 1993 | 1994 |

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| Personal LaserWriter 320 | October 1993 | September 1995 |
| StyleWriters | Introduced | Discontinued |
| ----- | ----- | ----- |
| Color StyleWriter 1500 | February 1996 | |
| Color StyleWriter 2200 | June 1995 | |
| Color StyleWriter 2400 | September 1994 | |
| Color StyleWriter 2500 | February 1996 | |
| Color StyleWriter Pro | February 1994 | December 1995 |
| Portable StyleWriter | June 1993 | May 1995 |
| StyleWriter | March 1991 | January 1993 |
| StyleWriter 1200 | April 1995 | |
| StyleWriter II | January 1993 | April 1995 |

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| Other Printers | Introduced | Discontinued |
| ----- | ----- | ----- |
| Apple Color Printer | January 1993 | February 1994 |
| Apple Daisy Wheel Printer | May 1980 | September 1986 |
| Apple Dot Matrix Printer | May 1980 | December 1985 |
| Scribe | April 1984 | August 1986 |
| Silentype | January 1980 | June 1984 |

OTHER PRODUCTS

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|--------------------------------|----------------|----------------|
| Scanners | Introduced | Discontinued |
| ----- | ----- | ----- |
| Apple Scanner | August 1988 | September 1991 |
| Apple OneScanner | September 1991 | June 1994 |
| Apple Color OneScanner | January 1993 | |
| Apple Color OneScanner 600/27 | March 1996 | |
| Apple Color OneScanner 1200/30 | September 1996 | |

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| Digital Cameras | Introduced | Discontinued |
| ----- | ----- | ----- |
| QuickTake 100 | February 1994 | |
| QuickTake 150 | March 1995 | |
| QuickTake 200 | February 1997 | |

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| Monitors | Introduced | Discontinued |
| ----- | ----- | ----- |
| AppleColor High-Res RGB | March 1987 | December 1992 |
| AppleColor RGB | September 1986 | January 1993 |
| AppleVision 1710 | January 1996 | |
| AppleVision 1710AV | August 1995 | |
| Apple AudioVision 14 | August 1993 | October 1995 |
| Apple Basic Color | February 1993 | October 1993 |
| Apple Color Plus Display | October 1993 | |
| Apple High-Res Mono | March 1989 | February 1991 |
| Apple Multiple Scan 14 | August 1995 | February 1997 |
| Apple Multiple Scan 15 | July 1994 | February 1997 |
| Apple Multiple Scan 17 | March 1994 | |

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| Apple Multiple Scan 20 | March | 1994 | | |
| Macintosh 12-inch Mono | December | 1990 | October | 1993 |
| Macintosh 12-inch RGB | October | 1990 | March | 1993 |
| Macintosh 16-inch Color | October | 1991 | April | 1994 |
| Macintosh 21-inch Color | October | 1991 | March | 1994 |
| Macintosh Color 14 Display | December | 1992 | | |
| Macintosh Portrait Display | March | 1989 | December | 1992 |
| Macintosh Two-Page Mono | March | 1989 | December | 1992 |
| Performa Display | September | 1992 | July | 1994 |
| Performa Plus Display | September | 1992 | | |

| Modems | Introduced | Discontinued |
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| ----- | ----- | ----- |
| Apple Personal Modem | September 1985 | December 1990 |
| Apple Modem 2400 | July 1989 | December 1992 |
| PowerBook Data/Fax Modem | October 1991 | November 1993 |
| PowerBook Express Modem | October 1992 | |
| PowerBook Express Modem II | October 1992 | |
| (Available in Europe Only) | | |

| PIE | Introduced | Discontinued |
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| ----- | ----- | ----- |
| Apple MessagePad | August 1993 | March 1994 |
| Apple MessagePad 100 | March 1994 | January 1995 |
| Apple MessagePad 110 | March 1994 | January 1995 |
| Apple MessagePad 120 | January 1995 | |
| Apple MessagePad 130 | March 1996 | |
| Apple MessagePad 2000 | February 1997 | |
| Apple eMate 300 | February 1997 | |

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25 Feb 1997 - Added discontinued date for 5300ce.
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