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Apple MessagePad 120: Description (1/95)

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The article provides a description of the Apple MessagePad 120.
DISCUSSION
Description
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The Apple MessagePad 120 puts easy-to-use communications, productivity, and desktop connectivity solutions in the palm of your hand so you can work away from your office.

Yet you'll find it far more useful than paper or electronic organizers because while it has a built-in notepad, to-do list, datebook, and address file for organizing personal and business affairs, with a modem it can also send faxes and gibes you access to e-mail and on-line services.

The Apple MessagePad 120 can receive pages as well as electronic mail. And its built-in infrared communications allow you to instantly exchange information with other Newton devices.

The Apple MessagePad 120 lets you share and exchange information with either Windows-based or Macintosh computers.

Pen-based navigation and data entry make finding information easy and fast. And it allows you to capture and organize information in many forms: notes, sketches, schedules, lists, and letters. It also lets you enter information in many ways: digital ink, printed text, graphics, on-screen keyboard, or a combination.

The Apple MessagePad 120 has printing capabilities that make it simple to print your information the way it appears on its crisp, easy-to-read screen, or as full-page formatted letters.

Its built-in recognition software can even transform your written handwriting into typed text letter by letter or word by word.

But best of all-unlike paper and electronic organizers-your Apple MessagePad 120 can be expanded with software titles as well as accessories and on-line services

that can keep you organized, efficient, and very well informed.

Features

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- Built-in functions
 - Calendar helps you plan monthly, weekly, and daily activities
 - To-do list helps you manage and prioritize your tasks
 - Includes name and address files for colleagues and friends using a familiar business-card format
 - Actively assists you in making phone calls, faxing, finding information, sending electronic mail, printing, scheduling meetings, and completing to-do lists
 - Offers an assortment of information and productivity tools such as time-zone maps, a calculator, currency exchange formulas, and measurement conversions
 - Allows free-form note taking
 - Can turn printed or cursive handwriting into typed text
 - Lets you beam notes, messages, schedules, or business cards using a built-in infrared communication capability
 - Can use a wired or wireless modem to send faxes or use built-in NewtonMail software to tap into electronic mail and on-line services
 - Using the optional Newton Connection Kit, lets you share information and back up and synchronize files with Windows-based or Macintosh computers
 - Prints formatted letters and notes directly using Apple printers or serial or parallel printers using the optional print pack
 - Maintains your business and personal information safely and securely even when your batteries are fully discharged
- Expandable functions
 - Offers a large selection of productivity, finance, time, billing, management, reference, and entertainment software
 - Lets you receive wireless paging messages with an optional messaging card
 - Works with a large selection of PCMCIA cards and external serial peripherals-modems, pagers, and wireless communications and storage products

Ordering Information

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• Apple MessagePad 120 2MB version

Order number: H0142LL/A

- Apple MessagePad 120 personal digital assistant
- Telescoping Pen
- Batteries
- Complete setup, learning, and reference documentation
- Limited warranty
- Newton External Fax Modem
- Notion 1.1 software

• Apple MessagePad 120 1MB version

Order number: H0126LL/A

- Apple MessagePad 120 personal digital assistant
- Telescoping Pen
- Batteries
- Complete setup, learning, and reference documentation
- Limited warranty
- Notion 1.1 software

Accessories

• The Apple MessagePad 120 is compatible with all accessories and software applications available for the Apple MessagePad 110.

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