Compaq Presario Desktop Products

Warranty and Support Guide

- ✓ 1 Year Parts Replacement on Hardware with Available Shipment of Replacement Parts — Compaq's award-winning Easy Access Design makes it easy!
- √ 1 Year Free Labor on Hardware
- √ 1 Year Free Hardware Technical Support
- √ 30 Days Free Software Technical Support to Get You Up-and-Running

IMPORTANT NOTE

If you experience a problem with your new Presario, DO NOT RETURN YOUR COMPUTER TO YOUR RETAILER. At Compaq, we take pride in our ability to service your needs. We have specialists available to help you with your technical support questions as they arise via the Web or phone (see Contact Numbers chart within this document). As our valued customer, we want to make sure that your support needs are met and any issues resolved as quickly as possible.

The information in this document is subject to change without notice.

| Before contacting Compaq Customer Support Center, it's important following information handy. Please take a moment to write down information, located on the rear of the PC, for future reference. | |
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| Product Name: | |
| Model Number: | |
| Serial Number: | |
| Purchase Date: | |



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Contact Numbers

Technical Support

http://www.hp.com/support/

Product Registration

http://register.hp.com

Australia: 1-300-888-423

Hours: M - F 10 - 9, Sat. – Sun. 10 - 4

Hong Kong SAR: 8205-1000

Macau SAR: 0800-366 Hours: M – F 9 – 6, Sat. 9 – 1

India: 1-600-114772

Hours: M - Sat. 9 - 9

Indonesia: (21) 350-3408

Hours: M – F 8 – 5, Sat. 8 – 12

Malaysia: 1-800-805-405

Hours: M – F 8:30 – 9:30, Sat. 8:30 – 12:30

New Zealand: 0-800-113-694

Hours: M - F 10 - 9, Sat. - Sun. 10 - 4

Philippines: (2) 867-3551

Hours: M - F 8:30 - 5:30, Sat. 8:30 - 12:30

Singapore: 6272-5300

Hours: M - F 8:30 - 9:30, Sat. 8:30 - 12:30

Thailand: (2) 353-9000

Hours: M - F 8:30 - 5:30, Sat. 8:30 - 12:30

Vietnam: Call your retailer.

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- Linux Online www.linux.org
- Linux.com www.linux.com
- Linux on Laptops www.linux-laptop.net
- Linux Security www.linuxsecurity.com
- Linux Journal www.linuxjournal.com
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To Our Valued Customer

Congratulations on your decision to purchase a Compaq Presario PC! During development, the Compaq Presario must pass extensive quality tests to meet the rigorous standards that have made Compaq famous for quality and reliability.

All Compaq Presarios go through a comprehensive quality test to ensure the PC is working correctly before it leaves our factory. In addition, we have placed a security seal on your PC to indicate that it has not been tampered with since it left our factory.

We know that expanding and upgrading are key benefits for all customers. We are proud to make this a key differentiator for our Compaq Presario and understand that you may wish to upgrade your PC to meet your specific needs.

Any hardware upgrades that you intend to do should only be done after you have completely set up your new Compaq Presario. Refer to the setup poster included with your system for help with setting up. If you have any problems setting up your system and turning it on, immediately contact the Compaq Customer Support Center listed earlier in this Warranty and Support Guide, and a Compaq Customer Representative will assist you. This must be done first before attempting to upgrade your system.

By breaking the security seal on the back of the Compaq Presario, you are confirming that the Compaq Presario was working properly before you attempted to upgrade your system. Once the security seal has been broken, your Compaq Presario is then, to the extent allowed by local law, covered under the terms and conditions listed in the following pages.

Thank you for choosing the Compaq Presario. We hope you enjoy discovering the exciting things you can do with it!

Compaq Customer Support

Easy to reach. Easy to use. Award-winning Compaq Customer Support is our promise to help you get the most from your Compaq Presario. Whether with tools located on your PC, from information on the Web, by phone, or through your local retailer, you'll find what you need.

Problems? Compaq Will Help

Your new Compaq Presario computer is built to work right now — and for many years to come. But it is a complex, powerful machine, and sometimes things go wrong. If that happens to your computer, Compaq is ready to help.

Getting Started

Follow the setup poster and the *User's Guide* for help with setting up and using your PC.

Register Your PC

It is always best to register your PC. This allows for quicker help when you need it. You can register your PC on the Web at http://register.hp.com

Call Compaq Customer Support Center

Finally, if these steps don't help, you can reach a real, knowledgeable person by calling the Compaq Customer Support Center in your area. Phone assistance to get you up and running is free for 30 days from the time you purchased your computer. After 30 days, there may be a charge, but the helpful support is still available.

And, if Necessary: Get Repair

If your computer needs to be repaired or to have parts replaced, you have two choices:

- 1 You can easily replace many of your Compaq Presario parts that are considered consumer replaceable. This is the fastest method of repair, as many times we can send the part directly to your home or business in a few days. This service is free for one year from the date you purchased your computer.
- 2 If a repair is necessary, the Compaq Customer Support Center will make arrangements to fix your computer. This service is free for one year from the date you purchased your computer.

There are a few limitations and exclusions to this warranty (as well as some important details), which are described in the following section.

The Legal Language

Compag Limited Warranty Statement

COMPAQ PRODUCT DURATION OF LIMITED WARRANTY

Hardware — Parts and Labor: 1 Year

Phone assistance to get you 30 days

up-and-running:

Compaq warrants to you, the end-user customer, that Compaq hardware, accessories, and supplies will be free from defects in materials and workmanship after the date of purchase, for the period specified above. If Compaq receives notice of such defects during the warranty period, Compaq will, at its option, either repair or replace products which prove to be defective. Replacement products may be either new or equivalent in performance to new.

Compaq warrants to you that Compaq software will not fail to execute its programming instructions after the date of purchase, for the period specified above, due to defects in material and workmanship when properly installed and used. If Compaq receives notice of such defects during the warranty period, Compaq will replace software which does not execute its programming instructions due to such defects.

Compaq does not warrant that the operation of Compaq products will be uninterrupted or error free. If Compaq is unable, within a reasonable time, to repair or replace any product to a condition as warranted, you will be entitled to a refund of the purchase price on a prorated basis upon prompt return of the product.

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Compaq does not support, or provide support for hardware and software products not supplied or approved by Compaq.

Compaq does not provide software technical support for Linux operating systems or other Linux applications, whether or not they were supplied or approved by Compaq.

Compaq does not support or guarantee, and is not in any way liable for non-Compaq or Compaq/HP products or peripherals bundled along with the Compaq Presario.

Software Media (CDs)

The software CDs that come with your system are warranted to be free from defects for one year. Any claims for missing CDs need to be made within 30 days. Any claims for defective CDs may require the exchange of the CDs.

Customer Responsibilities

You may be required to run Compaq-supplied diagnostic programs before an in-home visit will be scheduled or a replacement part will be dispatched.

You are responsible for the security of your proprietary and confidential information and for maintaining a procedure external to the products for reconstruction of lost or altered files, data, or programs. You should back up all data on your system before calling the Compaq Customer Support Center.

For In-home service, you must provide: access to the product; adequate working space and facilities within a reasonable distance of the product; access to and use of all information and facilities determined necessary by Compaq to service the product; and operating supplies and consumables such as you would use during normal operation.

When service is being performed in-home, you or your representative, 18 years of age or older, must be present at all times. You must state if the product is being used in an environment which poses a potential health hazard to repair personnel; Compaq may require that the product be maintained by customer personnel under direct Compaq supervision. Compaq may also refuse to provide In-home service in special circumstances and will provide an alternative repair method such as Carry-in repair.

Obtaining Hardware Warranty Repair Service

For the duration of the one-year parts and labor warranty, repair service includes Customer-replaceable Parts services, Carry-in services, and In-home services as described below. To obtain hardware warranty service, call the Compaq Customer Support Center. You must be prepared to supply the proof-of-purchase date.

The time it takes to repair your computer will vary based upon location and circumstances. The phone agent can supply more details.

Customer-Replaceable Parts Services

Customer-replaceable components — such as the keyboard, mouse, speakers, and monitor — may be serviced through expedited part shipment. In this event, Compaq will send you the component and, if necessary, telephone assistance on replacement of the component. In some cases, Compaq will ask for a credit card as collateral for the part (such as monitors) and will charge you for the retail price of the part if the failed product is not returned within 30 days.

Carry-In Services

Hardware service during the one-year warranty period is provided by bringing or mailing your PC to a Compaq Presario authorized service provider. The Compaq Customer Support Center can provide you with details on the location nearest you.

In-Home Services

In-home service is available for certain products sold and serviced in the country/region of purchase only and is unavailable in certain locations. The Compaq Customer Support Center can give you more information.

Software Support Information

While HP provides support for the PC hardware, HP does not provide technical support for the Linux operating system that shipped with your system. Operating system support is provided through the Linux Software provider.

The Linux Software provider will give e-mail support for the Linux operating system.

The open source code for Linux is available from the Linux Software provider.

Information for this provider and the above services is provided in a separate document.

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Declaration of Conformity

According to ISO/IEC Guide 22 and EN 45014

Manufacturer's Hewlett-Packard Company

Name:

Manufacturer's

10500 Ridgeview Ct.

Address: Cupertino, CA 95015-4010

USA

declares that the product

Product Name: Compag Presario Personal

Computer System

Model Number(s): 8000 series, S0000 series,

SA1000 series, and SA4000

series

Product Options: All

conforms to the following Product Specifications:

Safety: IEC 60950:1991 + A1, A2, A3, A4

EN 60950:1992 + A1, A2, A3, A4, A11 IEC 60825-1:1993 + A1/E 60825-1:1994 +

A11 Class 1 (Laser/LED)

EMC: CISPR 22:1997/EN 55022:1998 Class B¹⁾

CISPR 24:1997/EN 55024:1998

IEC 61000-3-2:1995/EN61000-3-2:1995 +

A14 — Harmonics

IEC 61000-3-3:1994/EN61000-3-3:1995 —

Flicker

FCC Title 47 CFR, Part 15 Class B2 /ICES-003,

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AS/NZS 3548:1995 + A1 + A2:1997/CISPR

22:1993 + A1 + A2:1996 Class B1)

Telecom: TBR 21:1998, EG201 121:1998

Supplementary Information:

The product herewith complies with the requirements of the following Directives and carries the CE marking accordingly.

- the R&TTE Directive 1999/5/EC

1) The Product was tested in a typical configuration with Compag Personal Computer and peripherals.

This Device complies with Part 15 of the FCC Rules.
 Operation is subject to the following two conditions:

 (1) this device may not cause harmful interference, and
 (2) this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired

operation.

Hardware Quality Engineering Manager Cupertino, CA, USA February, 2004

For Regulatory Compliance Information ONLY,

contact:

Australian Product Regulations Manager
Contact: Hewlett-Packard Australia Ltd.

31-41 Joseph Street

Blackburn, Victoria 3130, Australia

Operating Specifications

Electrical ratings: For products 8000 series and

S0000 series:

100–127 V√/200–240 V√,

4/2 A, 50/60 Hz

For products SR1000 series and

SA4000 series:

100–127 V√/200–240 V√,

6/3 A, 50/60 Hz

Operating 5° to 35° C

temperature: (On models with DVD+RW/+R

drives, the operating temperature is

5° to 30° C.)

Storage -40° to 70° C

temperature:

Operating humidity: 15 to 80% @ 26° C

Storage humidity: 90% @ 65° C (non-condensing)

Operating altitude: 0-2286 m

Storage altitude: 0-4572 m

Batteries are delivered with this product. When empty, do not throw them away but collect as small chemical waste.

Regulatory and Safety Information



WARNING: The Compaq Presario is heavy; be sure to use ergonomically correct lifting procedures when moving the computer.



WARNING: Please read the "Additional Safety Information" located later in this document before installing and connecting your system to the electrical power system.

ENERGY STAR Compliance

Compaq Presario PCs and Monitors marked with the ENERGY STAR® logo on the packaging box qualify with the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's ENERGY STAR guidelines for energy efficiency.

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Australia Telecom Statement

The computer must be connected to the Telecommunication Network through a line cord that meets the requirements of ACA Technical Standard TS008.



WARNING: Modems without integral RJ-11 that are shipped with this computer must be installed only in devices displaying the A-tick.

New Zealand Telecom Statement

The grant of a Telepermit for any item of terminal equipment indicates only that Telecom has accepted that the item complies with minimum conditions for connection to its network. It indicates no endorsement of the product by Telecom, nor does it provide any sort of warranty. Above all, it provides no assurance that any item will work correctly in all respects with another item of Telepermitted equipment of a different make or model, nor does it imply that any product is compatible with all of Telecom's network services.

Some parameters required for compliance with Telecom's Telepermit requirements are dependent on the equipment (PC) associated with this modem. The associated equipment shall be set to operate within the following limits for compliance with Telecom's specification:

For automatically initiated calls to the same number:

(a) There shall be no more than 10 call attempts to the same number within any 30-minute period for a single manual call initiation.

and

(b) The equipment shall be on the hook for a period of not less than 30 seconds between the end of one attempt and the beginning of the next attempt.

- For automatically initiated calls to different numbers: The equipment shall be on-hook for a period of not less than 5 seconds between the end of one attempt and the beginning of the next attempt.
- For automatically answered incoming calls: Incoming calls shall be answered between 3 and 30 seconds of the first ring.

For correct operation of the ringers in each device, the total of the RNs (ringer number) of all devices connected to a single line at any time should not exceed 5. The RN can be found printed on the Telepermit Label.



WARNING: When using this device, basic safety precautions should always be followed to reduce the risk of fire, electric shock, and injury to persons, including the following:

- Do not use this product near water; for example, near a bathtub, washbowl, kitchen sink, or laundry tub, in a wet basement, or near a swimming pool.
- Avoid using this product during an electrical storm. There may be a remote risk of electric shock from lightening.
- Do not use this product to report a gas leak in the vicinity of the leak.
- Always disconnect the modem cable before opening the equipment enclosure or touching an uninsulated modem cable, jack, or internal components.
- If this product was not provided with a telephone line cord, use only No. 26 AWG or larger telecommunication line cord in order to reduce the risk of fire.
- Do not plug a modem or telephone cable into the Network Interface Card (NIC) receptacle.

SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS

Additional Safety Information

This product has not been evaluated for connection to an "IT" power system (an AC distribution system with no direct connection to earth, according to IEC 60950).

AC Power Safety Warning



WARNING: Install the computer near an AC outlet. The AC power cord is your Compaq Presario's main AC disconnecting device and must be easily accessible at all times. For your safety, the power cord provided with your system has a grounded plug. Always use the power cord with a properly grounded wall outlet, to avoid the risk of electrical shock.



WARNING: Your system is provided with a voltage select switch for use in a 115 or 230 VAC power system. The voltage select switch has been pre-set to the correct voltage setting for use in the particular country/region where it was initially sold. Changing the voltage select switch to the incorrect position can damage your PC and void any implied warranty.



WARNING: To reduce the possibility of an electric shock from the telephone network, plug your computer into the AC outlet before connecting it to the telephone line. Also, disconnect the telephone line before unplugging your computer from the AC power outlet.



WARNING: Always disconnect the modem cord from the telephone system before installing or removing your computer cover.



WARNING: Do not operate the computer with the cover removed.



WARNING: Electrostatic discharge (ESD) can damage disk drives, add-in cards, and other components. If an ESD station is not available, wear a wrist strap attached to a metal part of the computer. Place cards on a conductive foam pad or inside the card wrapper, if possible, but never on the card wrapper.



WARNING: For your safety, always unplug the system from its power source and from any telecommunications systems (such as phone lines), networks, or modems before performing any of the procedures described in this guide. Failure to do so may result in personal injury or equipment damage. Hazardous voltage levels are inside the power supply and modem of this product.

Lithium Battery Caution



WARNING: The PC uses a lithium battery, type CR2032. There is danger of an explosion if the battery is incorrectly replaced. Replace only with the same, or equivalent, type recommended by the manufacturer. Dispose of used batteries according to the manufacturer's instructions.

Laser Safety Statement

Class 1 LED Product

The CD-ROM and DVD-ROM drives contain a laser system and are classified as a "Class 1 Laser Product" under a U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) Radiation Performance standard according to the Radiation Control for Health and Safety Act of 1968.

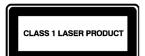
Should the unit ever require maintenance, contact an authorized service location.



WARNING: Use of controls, adjustments, or performance procedures other than those specified in the *User's Guide* may result in hazardous radiation exposure. To prevent direct exposure to laser beam, do not try to open the enclosure of the CD-ROM or DVD-ROM.

Laser Product Label

The following label or equivalent is located on the surface of Compaq laser products:



This label indicates that the product is classified as a CLASS 1 LASER PRODUCT. This label appears on a laser device installed in your product.

TV Antenna Connectors Protection External Television Antenna Grounding

If an outside antenna or cable system is connected to the product, be sure the antenna or cable system is electrically grounded so as to provide some protection against voltage surges and built-up static charges. Article 810 of the National Electrical Code, ANSI/NFPA 70, provides information with regard to proper electrical grounding of the mast and supporting structure, grounding of the lead-in wire to an antenna-discharge unit, size of grounding conductors, location of antenna-discharge unit, connection to grounding electrodes, and requirements for the grounding electrode.

Lightning Protection

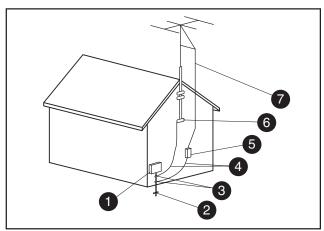
For added protection of any Compaq product during a lightning storm, or when it is left unattended and unused for long periods of time, unplug the product from the wall outlet and disconnect the antenna or cable system. This will prevent damage to the product from lightning and power line surges.

Power Lines

An outside antenna system should not be located in the vicinity of overhead power lines or other electric light or power circuits, or where it can fall into such power lines or circuits.



WARNING: When installing an outside antenna system, extreme care should be taken to keep from touching such power lines or circuits as contact with them could be fatal.



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| Reference | Grounding Component |
|-----------|--|
| 0 | Electric Service Equipment |
| 2 | Power Service Grounding Electrode System (NEC Art 250, Part H) |
| 3 | Ground Clamps |
| 4 | Grounding Conductors (NEC Section 810-21) |
| 5 | Antenna Discharge Unit (NEC Section 810-20) |
| 6 | Ground Clamp |
| 7 | Antenna Lead in Wire |

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