

	<b>Acer Aspire P200 MMX</b>	<b>AST Advantage! 9320</b>	<b>EDITORS' CHOICE Dell Dimension XPS M200s</b>	<b>Dell OptiPlex Gs 200</b>	<b>Digital Celebris FX 5200M</b>
Price of tested configuration	\$3,100 (street)	\$2,500 (street)	\$3,179 (direct)	\$3,265 (direct)	\$4,060 (street)
System type	Home	Home	Business	Business	Business
Installed system RAM	32MB EDO	32MB EDO	32MB SDRAM	32MB EDO	32MB EDO
Hard disk	Quantum Fireball TM3840A	Western Digital Caviar AC33100	IBM DAQA-33240	Quantum Fireball TM2110A	Quantum Fireball TM2110A
Capacity and interface	3.6GB Fast ATA-2	3GB EIDE	3GB ATA-3	2GB Fast ATA-2	2GB Fast ATA-2
Graphics adapter	ATI 3D Rage II (integrated)	S3 ViRGE (integrated)	Matrox Millennium	Number Nine Imagine128 Series II	Matrox Millennium
Memory	2MB SGRAM	2MB EDO	4MB WRAM	4MB VRAM	4MB WRAM
Monitor	AcerView 77is	ASTVision 7L	Samsung D1728-LS	Samsung D1528-LS	LG Electronics FR-PCXBV-ZW
Claimed/measured diagonal size (inches)	17, 15.8	17, 15.5	17, 15.8	15, 13.8	17, 16.2
<b>Multimedia Features</b>					
CD-ROM drive	Acer 612A	Toshiba XM-5602B	Mitsumi FX 120T	NEC CDR-1400A	Toshiba XM-5602B
Speed and interface	12X ATAPI	8X ATAPI	12X ATAPI	8X ATAPI	8X ATAPI
Sound adapter	GVC MD-2781	Silicom ADBT 3D Sound	Creative Labs Sound Blaster AWE32 Upgrade Card	Creative Labs Sound Blaster 16 Value	Creative Labs Sound Blaster 16 IDE
Speakers	Aura (integrated in monitor)	Labtec LCS-1020	Altec Lansing ACS490	Altec Lansing ACS31	Goldmedia 3DS-12
Modem speed (data/fax, in Kbps)	33.6/14.4	33.6/14.4	33.6/14.4	N/A	N/A
<b>Motherboard Components</b>					
Installed external RAM cache and type	256K pipelined-burst	256K pipelined-burst	512K pipelined-burst	256K pipelined-burst	512K pipelined-burst
Motherboard manufacturer	Acer	Intel	Intel	Dell	Digital
Chip set	ALI M1521	Intel 82430HX	Intel 82430VX	Intel 82430FX	SiS 85C511
BIOS manufacturer and version (or date)	Acer (8/96)	AST 905588 1.00.05.DLOQ	AMI/Dell X13	Phoenix/Dell 1.10 A00	Phoenix (1/1/96)
<b>Expandability</b>					

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Expansion-bus slots	3 ISA, 2 PCI, 1 PCI/ISA	4 ISA, 1 PCI, 1 PCI/ISA	2 ISA, 3 PCI, 1 ISA/PCI	1 ISA, 1 PCI, 1 PCI/ISA	2 PCI/ISA
Front-accessible drive bays (5.25," 3.5")	2, 1	3, 1	2, 3	1, 1	2, 1
Internal drive bays (5.25", 3.5")	1, 1	0, 3	0, 2	0, 1	0, 1
Power-supply wattage	147W	200W	200W	145W	100W
Parallel/serial/mouse ports	1, 2, 1	1, 1, 1	1, 1, 1	1, 2, 1	1, 2, 1
<b>Service and Support</b>					
24-hour, 7-day live technical support	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
Standard warranty on parts/labor	1 year/1 year	1 year/1 year	3 years/1 year	3 years/1 year	3 years/1 year
On-site service included	90 days	1 year	1 year	1 year	1 year
24-hour turnaround for replacement parts	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	No

<b>EDITORS' CHOICE</b> Gateway P55C-200 FPC	<b>HP Pavilion</b> <b>7370V</b>	<b>IBM PC 350</b>	<b>EDITORS' CHOICE</b> Micron Millennia MXE P200	<b>NEC</b> <b>PowerMate</b> <b>P2200M</b>	<b>Packard Bell</b> <b>Platinum 2240</b>	<b>Quantex</b> <b>QP5/200 SM-3</b>
\$2,918 (direct)	\$3,550 (street)	\$4,581 (list)	\$2,848 (direct)	\$3,860 (street)	\$2,700 (street)	\$3,399 (direct)
Home	Home	Business	Business	Business	Home	Business
32MB SDRAM	32MB EDO	32MB EDO	32MB EDO	32MB EDO	32MB EDO	32MB SDRAM
Quantum Fireball TM3840A	Quantum Bigfoot CY4320A	IBM DAQA- 32700	Western Digital Caviar AC33100	IBM DAQA- 33240	Quantum Fireball TM3200A	Seagate Barracuda ST34371W
3.6GB Fast ATA-2	4.1GB Fast ATA-2	2.5GB EIDE	2GB EIDE	3GB ATA-3	3GB Fast ATA- 2	4GB Ultra SCSI
STB Velocity 3D(also has 3Dfx Interactive WooDoo 3-D daughtercard.	S3 ViRGE (integrated)	Matrox Millennium	Diamond Stealth 3D 2000	ATI Pro Turbo Rage-GT	S3 ViRGE (integrated)	Matrox Millennium
4MB EDO	2MB EDO	4MB WRAM	4MB EDO	4MB SGRAM	2MB EDO	4MB WRAM
MAG CrystalScan- 700	Hewlett- Packard D3859A	IBM G70	Micron LM- 1764	NEC MultiSync 17XV17+	Packard Bell 3030	MAG InnoVision DX700T
17, 15.9	17, 15.8	17, 15.5	17, 15.9	17, 15.6	17, 15.8	17, 16
Mitsumi CRMC- FX120T	GoldStar CRD- 8160B	Hitachi CDR- 7930	Hitachi CDR- 8130	NEC MultiSpin 8V	NEC 1400C	Toshiba XM- 5702B/T
12X ATAPI	16X ATAPI	8X ATAPI	12X ATAPI	8X ATAPI	8X ATAPI	12X ATAPI
Ensoniq SoundscapeVI VO	Yamaha OPL3- SA	Creative Labs Sound Blaster AWE32 PnP	Creative Labs Sound Blaster AWE32 PnP	Creative Labs Vibra 16C	Aztech Labs Sound III 336FSP	Ensoniq SoundscapeVI VO90
Altec Lansing ACS-410	Altec Lansing	Cambridge SoundWorks SWK1	Advent AV270	NEC	Packard Bell BBE	Altec Lansing ACS400
33.6/14.4	33.6/14.4	N/A	N/A	N/A	33.6/14.4	33.6/14.4
512K pipelined- burst	256K pipelined- burst	512K pipelined- burst	512K pipelined- burst	512K pipelined- burst	256K pipelined- burst	512K pipelined- burst
Intel	Intel	IBM	Micronics	Intel	Packard	Netrix
Intel 82430VX AMI 0.00.06DQ0T Alpha 6.01.02	Intel 82430HX AMI 1.00.01.DLO1	Intel 82430HX IBM (9/26/96)	Intel 82430HX Phoenix 4.05 M55Hi-Plus 04.1	Intel 82430HX AMI 0.02.03.DKO	Intel 82430VX AMI 1.00.08DNOR	Intel 82430VX AMI TVX0917D

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2 ISA, 3 PCI, 1 PCI/ISA	4 ISA, 2 PCI	1 ISA, 3 PCI/ISA	3 ISA, 3 PCI, 1 PCI/ISA	2 ISA, 2 PCI, 1 PCI/ISA	1 ISA, 2 PCI, 1 PCI/ISA	3 ISA, 2 PCI, 1 PCI/ISA
3, 1	2, 2	2, 1	2, 3	3, 1	3, 1	4, 1
0, 3	1, 2	0, 2	0, 2	0, 2	0, 1	0, 3
145W 1, 1, 1	160W 1, 1, 1	200W 1, 1, 1	250W 1, 2, 1	200W 1, 2, 1	204W 1, 1, 1	200W 1, 2, 1
Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
3 years/ 3 years	1 year/1 year	3 years/ 3 years	3 years/1 year	3 years/ 3 years	1 year/1 year	3 years/1 year
1 year	1 year	1 year	1 year	1 year	1 year	1 year
No	Yes	No	Yes	No	No	Yes