

Shopper's Guide: Trackballs

Company	Model	List Price	Compatibility	Description
CA4Tech USA	WT-5P First Finger	\$34	PC	Three-button mouse/trackball combo; paint software; nine- to 25-pin adapter
ABI Corp.	ABI Notebook Trackball	\$90	PC	Three-button
ABI Corp.	ABI Pro Track 3000	*	PC	Three-button; 200 to 2,000 dpi; serial interface
Amis International	AMT-9550	\$50	PC	Three-button desktop trackball; 400 dpi
CH Products	Trackball Pro	\$120	Mac	Four-button opto-mechanical trackball; right- or left-handed control
CH Products	Trackball Pro	\$130	PC	Four-button; opto-mechanical; right- or left-handed control; serial- or PS/2-port interface
Computer Keyboard Systems	TraCKSpad	\$551	PC	Three-button; ruggedized finger-pointing device; sealed enclosure for harsh environments
Computer Keyboard Systems	TraCKSball	\$554	PC	2-inch ball; serial interface; embossed keys; sealed enclosure for harsh environments
Contek International	Trackball	\$16	PC	Three-button
Contek International	Handy Trackball	\$22	PC	Two-button trackball; for notebook computers
CoStar Corp.	Stingray	\$100	Mac	Two oversized buttons; switch enables click or click-lock button functions; ADB interface with pass-through connector
CTI Electronics Corp.	T80X3	\$449	PC, Mac	Three-button; 2-inch ball diameter; water-resistant
DynaPoint	SuperTrak	\$22	PC	For left- and right-handed users; serial- and PS/2-port interface
Evergreen Systems	Omega	\$225	PC	Three-button; 1.5-inch ball diameter; uses existing driver
Evergreen Systems	Diamond XL-5	\$295	PC	Three-button; 2-inch ball diameter
Evergreen Systems	Diamond XX	\$295	PC	Four-button; 2-inch ball diameter
Evergreen Systems	Diamond VII Panel Mount	\$295	PC	2-inch ball diameter; button assembly sold separately; for custom installations
Evergreen Systems	Diamond 300 Panel Mount	\$425	PC	3-inch ball diameter; button assembly sold separately; for custom installations
Fellowes Computerware	Mini-Trackball	\$40	PC	Portable trackball; 1.6 inches square; serial interface
Identity Systems Technology	IDTrkBall	\$49	PC	Three-button; 200 dpi; includes paint software

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IMSI	Mini-Thumball	\$60	PC	Miniature trackball, clips to side of computer; interchangeable button settings; 1,600 dpi; serial or PS/2 interface; Cursorama software
ITAC Systems	Mouse-trak	\$179	PC, Mac	Three user-definable buttons; adjustable cursor velocity
Jameco	PC Trackball	\$30	PC	Three-button; 290 dpi
JDR Microdevices	Trackball	\$30	PC	Right-hand design; serial interface; 50 to 800 dpi; pop-up menus; nine- to 25-pin adapter
Kensington Microware	Expert Mouse	\$89	PC	Two-button; opto-mechanical; for left- or right-handed users; serial, PS/2, or bus interface
Kensington Microware	Turbo Mouse	\$109	Mac	Two-button; opto-mechanical; for left- or right-handed users; ADB interface
Key Tronic Corp.	TrakMate	\$149	PC	Wrist pad with built-in trackball; two additional buttons control pointing speed and drag lock
Logitech	TrackMan Voyager	\$90	PC	Three-button; attaches to portables and can be used independently; protective cover doubles as wrist support; software enables cursor customization; serial- or PS/2-port interface
Penny and Giles	MTBO	\$184	PC	1.5-inch ball diameter; mountable
Penny and Giles	UMTBO	\$184	PC	1-inch ultra-miniature trackball; mountable
Penny and Giles	FMTBO	\$314	PC	1.5-inch face-mounted trackball; mountable
Penny and Giles	LPTB2	\$540	PC	2-inch ball diameter; low profile
Penny and Giles	DTBO	\$660	PC	Three-button; 2-inch ball diameter; serial interface
Penny and Giles	WPTBO	\$758	PC	2-inch ball diameter; water- and dustproof; mountable
Primax Electronics	HB Series	*	PC, Mac	Hand-held or desktop operation; for left- or right-handed users; serial-, PS/2-, or ADB-port interface
ProHance Technologies	PowerTrack 100	\$175	PC	40-button opto-mechanical trackball; 240 programmable functions; snap-in button templates
Qumax Corp.	Libra 90ADB	\$36	Mac	Three-button; 400 dpi; window-lock function; pop-up menus
Qumax Corp.	Libra 90MS	\$38	PC	Three-button; 400 dpi; window-lock function; pop-up menus; serial- or PS/2-port interface
SIIG	Trackball for Mac	\$59	Mac	Three-button; ADB port interface; for desktop or hand-held use
Unipac Computer Products	UNTB Thumball	\$30	PC	Mini-trackball for left- or right-handed use; 2-foot cord; serial interface