

Re: desperate guy with an old laptop

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mr broke wrote:

so, which is better to buy? the Full version or the Upgrade? will the UPGRADE requires the win98 cd during installation? coz i dont have it with me anymore.
thanks.

"rooster" wrote:

Broke;

Per <<http://mywebpages.comcast.net/SupportCD/XPRrequirements.html>>

Minimum:

233 MHz CPU *

64 MB of RAM (may limit performance and some features) *

1.5 GB of available hard disk space *

Super VGA (800 x 600) or higher-resolution video adapter and monitor

CD-ROM or DVD drive

Keyboard and Microsoft Mouse or compatible pointing device

Maximum:

4 GB of RAM (4 GB of Virtual Memory)

1 Physical CPU (With Hyper-threading 2 Virtual CPUs)

Recommended:

300 MHz CPU *

128 MB of RAM *

1.5 GB of available hard disk space *

Super VGA (800 x 600) or higher-resolution video adapter with at least 8 MB of video RAM and monitor

CD-ROM or DVD drive

Network adapter

Sound card and speakers

Keyboard and Microsoft Mouse or compatible pointing device

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* Actual requirements will vary based on your system configuration and the applications and features you choose to install. Additional available hard disk space may be required if you are installing over a network.

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