HP 300 Computer System





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From its Silicon-on-Sapphire processor to its advanced operating software, the HP 300's powerful features simplify application design and development. Yet, the system is designed to bring dedicated, local processing power directly into daily business operations. It is engineered for ease of use and styled for the office environment. The HP 300 is backed by traditional Hewlett-Packard quality and reliability.

Take a closer look at what the HP 300 has to offer. Then call your local HP sales office for a personal demonstration of what it can do for you.

Processor based on HP's Silicon-on-Sapphire CMOS/LSI technology

256 KBytes of error- correcting memory; expandable to 1024 KBytes

Expansion capacityup to 16 terminals

- two printersup to 240 Mbyte
- stand-alone disc drives

Powerful, Expandable Hardware

The HP 300 offers exceptional hardware capability and growth potential in a small, integrated system package. The system spans a range from small single-user configurations to large multiterminal processing environments.



Integrated Display System

The HP 300's Integrated Display System offers significant new display capabilities that simplify system control and make management information more accessible:



vertical and horizontal scrolling for directly viewing data files through a window Each window operates as a minidisplay with its own I/O capability Eight softkeys, dynamically labelled on the screen, for pushbutton selection

Amigo/300 Operating System

The HP 300's advanced Amigo/300 Operating System provides a flexible structure for implementing efficient on-line multiterminal applications.

- Easy-to-use command language with spelling correction and HELP facility
- Virtual memory
- Very large addressing space
- Multiterminal processing on up to 16 application terminals
- Multiprogramming
- Multitasking—parallel task execution within a program
- Event-driven processing structures
- Priority scheduling
- Callable system services for programmatic access

Comprehensive Data Management Facilities

The Amigo/300 file system and Image/300 Data Base Management System provide a full range of data management capability for HP 300 applications.

- Uniform, high-level file and device access
- Seven file structures, including sequential, keyed sequential, direct, relative and library files
- Variable-length records
- Removable private disc volumes
- File and data base sharing
- Integrated, networking data base structure with master and detail data sets
- Data Base Inquiry facility for ad hoc data base access and update

On-Line Program Development

A unique interactive programming environment combines advanced editing features and powerful programming tools to simplify and streamline HP 300 software development. (A typical program development screen is shown in the cover photo.)

- Single, integrated programming environment
- Direct, on-screen program editing through editing keys
- · Powerful editing commands
- On-line syntax checking with interactive error correction
- Split screen mode for editing and debugging
- TEST softkey for one-step program testing
- Symbolic Debugging in Business Basic
- Compiled languages

Business Basic/300

- Extended, enhanced Basic language
- Six data types, including decimal, integer and real arithmetic
- Long variable names and statement labels
- Full string manipulation capability
- Parameterized subprograms with local and COMMON storage
- Formatted output
- Access to system services

RPG II/300

- Industry standard RPG II language
- Interactive program entry and editing with RPG II screen templates
- Multiterminal data entry extension for transparent terminal-handling from RPG II programs

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